

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR SOCIAL SECURITY
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ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 20th NOVEMBER 2007

Question

Would the Minister advise the Assembly how many doctors' visits were covered by Health Insurance scheme payments by the Social Security Department in 2006, and how many prescriptions were similarly funded in that same period?

Answer

In 2006 there were approximately 401,502 GP visits covered by the Health Insurance scheme.

The number of prescriptions for 2006 was 1,419,790.