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**Inquiry into referred 2016–17 Annual and Financial Reports**  
**ANSWER TO QUESTION TAKEN ON NOTICE**  
**15 November 2017**

Asked by Mr Steel:

In relation to:

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1. What are the numbers of the improvement.

Ms Fitzharris: The answer to the Member's question is as follows:–

1. Improvements in Medical Imaging outpatient waitlists since November 2015 to November 2017:

- The MRI waiting list scan has reduced from more than 1,000 to approximately 300 (despite an increase in demand);
- The CT waitlist has reduced from 550 to under 30; and
- Ultrasounds have reduced from more than 1,100 to under 150.

Approved for circulation to the Standing Committee on Health, Ageing and Community Services

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By the Minister for Health and Wellbeing, Meegan Fitzharris MLA