# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

**FOR WRITTEN REPLY**

**QUESTION NO. 405**

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**Ms N K F Hlonyana (EFF) to ask the Minister of Health:**

What is the total number of young doctors (a) who are obligated to complete their community service in 2018 and (b) who have been placed?

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**REPLY:**

A total of 1 291 South African medical practitioners who were eligible for community service were appointed. From month-to-month new interns complete and are accommodated as we become aware of them. To date an additional 37 have been allocated.

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