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Madders, Labour's Shadow Health Minister, commenting on the GP workforce figures which have been published by NHS Digital today, said:

“With fewer GPs in place now than in 2015, the Tories are failing on their promise to recruit more General Practitioners. The end result is that it is getting increasingly difficult to see a GP, with people facing longer waits for routine appointments as pressure on A&Es mount.

“This Government's management of the NHS workforce has been a disaster. They need to do much more to address the pressures of working in General Practice and attract the number of new GPs the NHS needs. Across the country patients are paying the price for the Tories' failure to get enough GPs in place”.