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3rd March 2021 Deputy Pauline Tully Dail Eireann, Dublin 2.

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To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons waiting on the CAMHS waiting list in each county; the average waiting time; the number waiting more than six months; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Tully,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position, with the latest available data being January 2021.

The HSE has set a target that 78 % of accepted referrals / re-referrals are offered first appointment within 12 weeks by Child and Adolescent Community Mental Health Teams.

At the end of last year, 79.2% of accepted referrals / re-referrals were offered first appointment within 12 weeks.

	Total	<= 12 weeks No.	> 12 <= 26 weeks No	>26 <=39 weeks No	>39 <=52 Weeks No	>52 Weeks No
National Total	2,613	1,418	445	201	266	283
CHO 1	389	212	64	20	31	62
CHO 2	20	20	0	0	0	0
CHO 3	239	71	36	25	39	68
CHO 4	443	203	82	32	57	69
CHO 5	151	88	38	17	8	0
CHO 6	315	210	52	23	21	9
CHO 7	258	197	27	11	10	13
CHO 8	502	290	66	41	69	36
CHO 9	296	127	80	32	31	26

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please contact me

Yours sincerely,



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