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Deputy Louise O'Reilly, TD Dáil Éireann Leinster House Kildare Street Dublin 2

RE: PQ 47413/23

To ask the Minister for Health if there will be any closure of stroke services in 2024; and if he will make a statement on the matter

Dear Deputy O'Reilly,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in relation to the above parliamentary question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have consulted with the National Clinical Programme (NCP) for Stroke on your question and have been informed that the following outlines the position.

The National Clinical Programme (NCP) for Stroke is not aware of (i) either planned closures of stroke service closures in 2024 or (ii) reconfigurations that would result in stroke service closures in 2024.

I trust this information is of assistance to you, but should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Anne Horgan

General Manager

