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**PQ 15389/24** "To ask the Minister for Health the new primary care centres that will be opened in CHO9 in 2024; and the services that will be provided in each of these primary care centres, in tabular form" **Paul Donnelly, TD** 

Dear Deputy Donnelly,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position:

Community Healthcare Organisation Dublin North City and County (CHO DNCC) anticipate opening a new Primary Care Centre at Omni Whitehall, Dublin and to open the newly refurbished and extended health centre at Kilbarrack in Quarter 3 & 4 of 2024.

## **OMNI Whitehall:**

HSE Estates team have advised, works are due to commence before the end of the summer and the estimated timeline for delivery of the Centre is Q 3 in 2024. The new accommodation comprises 5,834 square feet of administrative space for clinical and support staff on site to support the delivery of Enhanced Community Care (ECC) in the network. Clinical space will amount to 12,851 square feet on the first floor of the Shopping Centre and will provide an additional 36 Clinical Spaces including:

Primary Care Services include:

- Dietetics
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Psychology
- Social Work services
- Speech and Language Therapy

In addition

- Cardiac Rehab Gym
- Clinical Rooms
- Community Diagnostics
- Podiatry and Wound Treatment
- Primary Care Gym
- Pulmonary Rehab Gym

For Beaumont hospital Primary Care will provide the following two hubs:

- Chronic Disease Hub
- Integrated Care Programme for Older Persons (ICPOP)

This specialist hub for chronic diseases and Older Persons will develop pathways and implement integrated services in a consultant led service aligned to Beaumont Hospital for people with complex health and social care needs, particularly those with, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Adult Asthma, Cardiovascular Disease & Type 2 Diabetes.

I may confirm GP services are not incorporated into this project at this time and Dental Services for the area remain at Larkhill Health Centre.

## Kilbarrack

Kilbarrack Health Centre is due to be operational in Q3 to Q4 2024. Kilbarrack Health Centre has undergone refurbishment and extension. It is due for completion in Q3 this year. The services provided from this centre are planned as follows:

- 1. Primary Care:
  - Community Medical Doctor
  - Dietetics
  - Nursing
  - Occupational Therapy
  - Physiotherapy
  - Psychology
  - Social Inclusion
  - Social Work
  - Speech and Language Therapy
- 2. Dental
- 3. Adult Mental Health

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,

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