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Duncan Smith, TD Leinster House Kildare Street Dublin 2

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* To ask the Minister for Health if there are future plans to roll out dialectical behaviour therapy in County Mayo*

Dear Deputy Smith,

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;

I am happy to confirm that the Psychology Department of Mayo Mental Health Services have informed me that Dialectical Behaviour Therapy will be recommenced in Mayo before the end of April 2024.

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

Yours sincerely,

Charlie Meehan Head of Mental Health Services Community Healthcare West