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Pauline Tully TD Dáil Éireann Leinster House Kildare Street Dublin 2

Ref: PQ 16705/24

Re: *"*To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth the number of disabled adults with a residential placement in CHO7 that are attending a day service; the number that are attending a day service in the same catchment area they reside in; and the number that attend a day service in a different catchment area to the one they reside in."

- Pauline Tully

Dear Deputy Tully,

I refer to the above Parliamentary Question which has been referred by the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth to the Health Service Executive for direct response. I requested that the Day Opportunities Coordinator to examine the matter and the following outlines the position.

See below tables the provision of disability day services

The number of disabled adults in CHO7 that are attending a day service;	2488
The number of disabled adults in CHO7 that are attending a day service; Who live in a residential placement	642

Most if not all of the above disabled adults receive a day and residential service from the same provider.

The number that are attending a day service in the same catchment area they reside in	2355
The number that attend a day service in a different catchment area to the one they reside in	93

Some disabled adults live on CHO borders and end up crossing into another CHO to attend the actual day service.

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely,

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