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Deputy Niamh Smyth T.D., Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2

## Re: PQ ref 7986/24 (9600GMPQ)

Senior Physiotherapist Vacancy within Bailieborough Primary Care Team. "To ask the Minister for Health for an update on a vacancy (details supplied); how long the position has been vacant; what efforts are being made by HSE to fill this position; when the position will be filled; and if he will make a statement on the matter."

**Dear Deputy Smyth** 

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which was submitted to the Chief Officer Cavan Donegal Leitrim Monaghan Sligo for response.

I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position for Community Healthcare Cavan Donegal Leitrim Monaghan Sligo.

The Senior Physiotherapy position within the Bailieborough Primary Care Team has been vacant since 28<sup>th</sup> of August, 2023 due to specific purpose leave. The Community Healthcare Network have been unable to fill this vacancy due to the HSE's recruitment pause for Health and Social Care Professions (HSCPs).

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,

**Mandy Doyle** 

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