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**Paul Donnelly TD** Dáil Éireann **Leinster House Kildare Street Dublin 2** 

Ref: PQ 29016/24

Re: "To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth if he will report on HSE funding for adult transition supports for young adolescents transitioning from post primary or special schools into disability day service; the funding allocated for this in CHO7 in 2022, 2023 and 2024, and the number of young adolescents in CHO7 to transition from post primary or special schools into disability day services in the corresponding timeframe, in tabular form;."

- Paul Donnelly TD

## **Dear Deputy Donnelly,**

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.

Below is the funding allocated for this in Dublin South Kildare and West Wicklow in 2022, 2023 and 2024, and the number of young adolescents in Dublin South Kildare and West Wicklow to transition from post primary or special schools into disability day services, in tabular form.

	2022	2023	2024*
Funding Allocated	€3,670,660	€3,975,399	<b>€</b> 4,357,500

	2022	2023	2024*
Service users Transitioning to Day			
Service	229	241	275

<sup>\*</sup>Up until 15th July 2024

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

Yours sincerely,

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