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Sláinte Pobail an Mheán-Iarthair,
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Gnó an Raithín, Luimneach I V94 1R71
**Head of Service - Older Persons, HSE Mid-West
Community Healthcare, Pearse House, Pearse
Road, Raheen Business Park, Limerick V94 1R71.**

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DATE: 31st July, 2024

Deputy Alan Kelly
Dáil Éireann
Kildare Street
Dublin 2

Re: PQ 30595 / 24

To ask the Minister for Health the number of private nursing home beds projected for north Tipperary, Clare and Limerick and the midwest, by the end of 2025, in tabular form.

Alan Kelly

Dear Deputy Kelly,

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:

There are currently 42 Private Nursing Homes in the HSE Mid-West area, with 2171 beds currently available as outlined below:

HSE Mid-West Residential Care Units - Beds			
Limerick Area	Clare Area	North Tipperary/East Limerick Area	Total
716	733	722	2171

The HSE are currently in negotiations with the owners of Mount Carmel Nursing Home in North Tipperary with a view to purchasing this private Nursing Home. If this is successful the number of private nursing home beds available in North Tipperary will decrease by 31 beds.

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

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Aisling Ryan", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Aisling Ryan
Head of Service – Older Persons Services
HSE Mid-West Community Healthcare