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To ask the Minister for Health for an update on the new primary care centre at Boot Road, Clondalkin, Dublin 22; and the timeframe for the provision of full services at the centre.

Dear Deputy Ó Broin,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in regard to your parliamentary question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for a response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The Health Service Executive can confirm that there is a plan to move in and deliver services from the new Primary Care Centre on Boot Road in Quarter 2 of 2024. The building is currently at the equipping stage. Boot Rd Primary Care Centre is part of the overall Clondalkin Enhanced Community Care Network, which provides a number of Primary Care Adult and Children's Services to clients. These services include Public Health Nursing, Dietetics, Speech & Language Therapy, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy and Social Work. Along with delivery of our Chronic Disease Management teams, Integrated Care teams for Older Persons and Disability Services.

Some of the existing Primary Care staff for these services will be based in Boot Rd Primary Care Centre along with other services, such as Older Persons and Disability Services. Unfortunately, there are a number of vacant posts across Primary Care Services and there are recruitment challenges due to the current recruitment pause within the HSE. Recruitment will commence once approval is received for key posts.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but if you have any queries or require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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