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Deputy Alan Kelly Dáil Eireann, Dublin 2.

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To ask the Minister for Health if he is aware of the urgent need to expand a health centre in Wicklow Dunlavin Health Centre, Co Wicklow to allow wheelchair access for patients with mobility issues and to construct an additional room for medical consultations; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Kelly,

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 are currently no plans to expand Dunlavin Health Centre. Funding has been allocated under the minor capital programme 2024, to provide wheelchair accessibility access to the Health Centre. The start date for these works is being progressed with HSE Estates and the services using the building.

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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