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Deputy Brady,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
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PQ 11981/24 To ask the Minister for Health the number of children on the waiting list for child psychology in CHO6 and CHO7 in County Wicklow, broken down by length of time 3, 6, 12+ months, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

-John Brady

Dear Deputy Brady,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (11981/24) which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

The HSE is committed to delivering efficient high quality services to all eligible service users. In 2023, there were 41,290 patients seen by HSE Primary Care Psychology services. Primary Care Operations is focused on improving access to care in order to reduce waiting times for patients. This includes monitoring the waiting list on an on-going basis in the context of available resources.

Please find the attached appendix, which contains, in tabular form, details of the Psychology waiting list for children in the local area of CHO6 (Wicklow) and CHO7 (Kildare West Wicklow), as at the end of February 2024 which is the latest data available at this time.

Appendix 1 –Psychology Waitlist for Children CHO6 and CHO7 Wicklow as at the end of February 2024

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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