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PQ ref 13038/24.

To ask the Minister for Health if early arrangements can be made for the appointment of a neurology consultant in Midlands Regional Hospital Portlaoise; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Flanagan,

I am writing in response to your representation regarding the appointment of a neurology consultant in Midlands Regional Hospital Portlaoise.

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.

There are currently no plans to appoint a neurology consultant to Midland Regional Hospital Portlaoise.

I trust this clarifies the matter.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kathleen Ward', written over a horizontal line.

**Kathleen Ward.**  
**Deputy Hospital Manager.**

