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Deputy Sorca Clarke, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: PQ 21414/24 To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth the number of high support disability residential placements available in County Westmeath in 2022, 2023 and to-date in 2024, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy Clarke,

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 response. I have examined the matter and outlined the position as follows.

Please see below in tabular form the number of high support disability residential placements for the Westmeath area:

Total residential beds in Westmeath: 193

No of Residential vacancies filled in :		
2022	2023	2024
7	6	3 to date

I trust the above is in order but please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further queries in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

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