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Patricia Ryan, TD **Houses of Oireachtas** Leinster House **Kildare Street** Dublin 2

Ref: PQ/24/23161 - Average waiting times for approved Home Support in Co Kildare

PO:

"To ask the Minister for Health the average waiting time in CHO7 for those approved for home support and waiting for services to commence; and if he will make a statement on the matter?"

"Patricia Ryan"

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## Response:

Dear Deputy Ryan,

I wish to acknowledge your PQ in which the HSE is requested to respond directly to you by the

The average wait time in CHO7 for those approved for home support services to commence is as follows;

Where a provider is available the average is 10 days.

Where there is difficultly in sourcing a provider the average is 65 days.

Yours sincerely,

Lorraine Madden

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