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Darren O'Rourke T.D
Dáil Éireann
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PQ ref 44515/24:

"To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE child and adolescent psychiatrists employed at CAMHS mental health intellectual disability services within CHO8 in the years of 2023 and to date in 2024, in tabular form."

Dear Deputy O'Rourke,

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. I have examined the matter and outlined the position for Midlands and Louth Meath Mental Health Services as follows.

Louth Meath

Year	Consultant Psychiatrist Intellectual Disability	Current Status
February 2023	1 (agency)	Resigned
January 2024	1 (temporary contract)	In Post

Midlands

Year	Consultant Psychiatrist Intellectual Disability	Current Status
2023	0.5 WTE	In Post
2024	0.5 WTE	In Post

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

Yours Sincerely,

Mairead O'Neill
Head of Mental Health Services