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RE: PQ ref 45785/24

The number of people awaiting a first appointment in each of the CDNTs in Longford and Westmeath; the number who have been waiting less than 3, 3-6, 6-12 and more than 12 months, in tabular form.

Dear Deputy Clarke,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above representation. I have examined the matter and I outline the position as follows.

The following table reflects the current number of children awaiting a first appointment with the three (3) Children's Disability Network Teams (CDNTs) in Longford Westmeath.

Team	Total number of children awaiting first appointment
CDNT 7 Mullingar	78
CDNT 8 Longford	14
CDNT 9 Athlone	26

The following table reflects the breakdown of the time these children have been waiting with the respective Teams.

	0-3 months	3-6 months	6-12 months	12 months +	Total
CDNT 7 Mullingar	10	9	14	45	78
CDNT 8 Longford	3	3	8	0	14
CDNT 9 Athlone	7	7	2	10	26

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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