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PQ 41098/24*To ask the Minister for Health the status of all capital projects currently being constructed by the Government and the HSE, through any means, segmented by construction phase, design phase, planning phase, survey phase and cost spent to date with each project in Kildare, in tabular form. -Sean Sherlock

Dear Deputy Sherlock,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question which you submitted for response.

Please find a table listing the status of Major Capital projects in the Feasibility, Detailed Design and Construction phases for Co. Kildare with spend to date, ordered by their current stage on Appendix 1.

These are in addition to the ongoing equipment replacement programme, infrastructural risk works, climate action or emergency response projects.

Yours sincerely

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Appendix 1 – PQ 41098/24 Major Capital Projects in Co. Kildare

PQ 41098/24 - Co. Kildare Current Major Capital Projects			
Stage	Facility	Brief Description of Project	Spent to Date (€m)
Complete	Naas General Hospital	To construct modular unit, 12 no. single rooms. This would assist in the isolation of suspected COVID-19 and other infectious organisms' cases (feasibility study underway).	5.98
Complete	78 Abbey Park Orchard, Clane	The purchase & renovation of residential dwelling at 78 Abbey Park Orchard, Clane	0.64
Complete	Monasterevin	Drogheda St Monasterevin To renovate an existing building (dispensary) to provide accommodation for an Older Person Day services unit and PCC services.	1.51
Complete	Naas General Hospital	Update Development Control Plan, initial feasibility study supporting DCP.	0.02
Construction	Hawthorn Building, Naas	Fit out of leased building (Hawthorn) to decant not clinical services from St Mary's (and other buildings) for use by ECC. Project. Contract still ongoing therefore costs are commercially sensitive	
Construction	Naas General Hospital	Reconfiguration and refurbishment of existing space to provide 11 bedded AMAU (300sqm). In addition an ED admissions and discharge lounge will be created. Contract still ongoing therefore costs are commercially sensitive	
Construction	St. Vincent's Athy	Passive and active fire safety works - upgrade of Fire Detection & Alarm System, Installation of a new Addressable Emergency Lighting System, upgrade of doors, replacement of doors, fire glazing, upgrade of compartments and fire resisting barriers, fire stopping etc Contract still ongoing therefore costs are commercially sensitive	
Tender	Kilmeague Health Centre, Co. Kildare	Renovation and conversion of the vacant Kilmeague Health Centre for use as Community Daycare / Meals on Wheels run by St Vincent de Paul under SLA. Facilities would include dayroom, dining facility, toilet and showering facilities, Office, treatment room and kitchenette for use by approx 20 clients.	0.09
Tender	St. Vincent's Athy	Renovation of an existing vacant nightingale ward to convert it to a Day Care Centre. Existing Day Care Centre will relocated to the refurbished area.	0.07
Detailed Design	Celbridge	Hazel Cottage, 8 beds High Support Community Residence and 6 single bed rehab units (apts.)	0.11
Detailed Design	St Mary's, Naas	Repurpose and refurbish existing HSE accommodation in St Marys at Naas General Hospital to provide short term accommodation for Enhanced Community Care ICPOP & Chronic Disease Management Services.	0.07
Detailed Design	Naas General Hospital	New 50 Bed Acute MH unit (Lakeview), including 9 Intensive Care Beds, to replace existing. Scope under review (No 1 MH priority).	0.63
Detailed Design	St. Vincent's Athy	Phase 1 of 92 Bed CNU to replace existing capacity as per Service Priority List. Phase 1 for 48 beds	1.04
Detailed Design	Tús Nua, Kildare Town	A High Support Community Residence with 10 ensuite bedrooms & 10 no. one-bedroom, own door units to include outdoor space and indoor communal multi-function area. Refurbish existing protected structure (St. Jude's House) & reconfigure/upgrade existing outdoor space (EVE Harvest) for recovery oriented Horticultural and Recreational programmes.	0.04
Design Feasibility	Naas General Hospital	Convert existing operating theatre and ancillary rooms into two endoscopy procedure rooms bring the total number of rooms from one to three.	0.03