



Oifig an Stiúirthóir Cúnta Náisiúnta,
Foireann Míchumais Náisiúnta,
An Chéad Urlár - Oifigí 13, 14, 15,
Áras Phlásóg na Rós, Coimpléasc Gnó na hOllscoile,
Páirc Náisiúnta Teicneolaíochta,
Caladh an Treoigh,
Luimneach.

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9th September 2024

Deputy Pauline Tully,
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Dear Deputy Tully,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the following parliamentary question³, which were submitted to this department for response.

PQ: 34608/24

To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth if a service improvement programme board has been established to drive the implementation of the Roadmap for Service Improvement 2023-2026, in line with action 1.2 of the Roadmap for Service Improvement 2023-2026; and if so, to detail all the meetings this group has held.

PQ: 34609/24

To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth if a community operations integrated services group has been established to drive the implementation of the Roadmap for Service Improvement 2023-2026, in line with action 1.3 of the Roadmap for Service Improvement 2023-2026; and if so, to detail all the meetings this group has held.

PQ: 34610/24

To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth if a national service improvement lead has been appointed in line with action 1.4 of the Roadmap for Service Improvement 2023-2026.

HSE Response

Roadmap for Service Improvement 2023 – 2026, Disability Services for Children and Young People

The HSE's Roadmap for Service Improvement 2023 – 2026, Disability Services for Children and Young People, approved by the HSE Board and launched by the Government and the HSE in October 2023 is a targeted Service Improvement Programme to achieve a quality, accessible, equitable and timely service for all children with complex needs as a result of a disability and their families.



It sets out the overall aim for Children’s Disability Services, provided by the HSE and its partner agencies, for every child to have a childhood of inclusive experiences where they can have fun, learn, develop interests and skills, and form positive relationships with others in a range of different settings.

The Roadmap commenced implementation with the establishment of the Service Improvement Programme Board in February, followed with four Working Groups in March. Each group meets monthly and reports into the monthly Service Improvement Programme Board every month which in turn reports to the Roadmap Oversight Group chaired by the Minister of State, Anne Rabbitte.

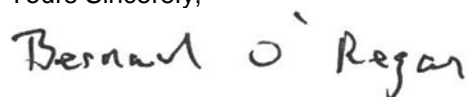
In summary:

Completed Roadmap Actions

1.2	The Service Improvement Programme Board convened in February 2024 and is meeting monthly.
1.3	Community Operations Childrens Integrated Services Group convened in March 2024 and is meeting monthly to drive implementation of National Access Policy and Primary Care, Disability CAMHS Joint Protocol.
1.4	National Service Improvement Lead was appointed in September 2023.

The HSE and its funded agencies are fully committed to the delivery of the Roadmap actions over the lifetime of the plan.

Yours Sincerely,



Bernard O'Regan
Assistant National Director
National Disability Team

