



04<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Mr Paul Lawless, TD  
Leinster House  
Kildare Street  
Dublin 2

**REP: PQ1444/25**

**To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth the total number of people currently waiting for speech and language therapy in Mayo; the number of whom have been waiting 3, 6 months, 1 year and 2 years, in tabular form.; and if he will make a statement on the matter**

Dear Deputy Lawless

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Representation which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

	0-4 months	4-8 months	8-12 months	+12 months
Waiting initial assessment	7	0	0	0
Waiting Initial Therapy	109	60	10	0
Waiting further therapy	231	63	13	0

I trust this information is of assistance to you, but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours Sincerely

Mary O' Halloran  
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