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Mr. David Cullinane TD
Dail Eireann
Leinster House
Dublin 2

PQ 46661/24

To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth if access to a dietitian will be provided for disability services users at a location (details supplied); and if he received a risk assessment or business case regarding same.

Details Supplied: Brothers of Charity South-East, Killeen, Waterford

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which was submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

I have reviewed the matter and the following is the current position.

The Disability Services Manager has advised that there is currently no Dietetic Service available for Adults with an Intellectual Disability in County Waterford.

The HSE acknowledges the need for dietetic support within the area of Adult Disability Services. We will continue to advocate for Dietetic Services and funding to address this need.

Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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