



Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte
Health Service Executive

An Oifig Náisiúnta don Chuimsiú
Sóisialta
Rannóg Cúram Príomhúil
Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse
Sláinte
Lána an Mhuilinn
Baile Phámar
Baile Átha Cliath 20

☎: 01-620 1747 ☎. 01-620 1626

National Social Inclusion Office
Primary Care Division
Health Service Executive
Mill Lane
Palmerstown
Dublin 20

24th July, 2017

Deputy Jack Chambers, TD
Dáil Eireann
Kildare Street
Dublin 2.

PQ 33865/17

* To ask the Minister for Health the current average waiting time from opioid substitution assessment to exit from waiting list or treatment commenced.

Dear Deputy Chambers,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to your above Parliamentary Question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position:

During the month of May 2017 the national Average waiting time from Opioid Substitution Treatment assessment to exit from the waiting list or treatment commenced for the 157 people who exited the waiting list was 36.9 days.

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

Yours sincerely,

Joseph Doyle
National Planning Specialist