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To ask the Minister for Health the number of applications that have been approved for the homecare package but are yet to receive allocated home help assistants in County Donegal since 1 January 2019, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

## **Dear Deputy Doherty**

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

Please see below in tabular form the number of applications that have been approved for the homecare package and the number of referrals that have not yet been activated in Co Donegal since 1<sup>st</sup> January 2019.

New services activated since 1/1/2019	Referrals since 1/1/2019 not activated
272	98

I hope that this is of assistance, but please do not hesitate to contact me if you require anything further.

Yours sincerely,

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