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17th April 2019.

PQ 15582/19: To ask the Minister for Health the status of the mental health team for those experiencing homelessness operating at Parkgate Street, Dublin 8; if the service is open to new referrals; the number of persons availing of the service; the number of persons on the waiting list for the service; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Buckley,

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.

The Assertive Community Care Evaluation Service (ACCES Team) based in Parkgate Street has reopened to new referrals since January 2019.

There are 65 active patients currently availing of the service. The Access Team do not hold a waiting list, they aim to see each appropriate referral received within a maximum of two weeks.

I trust this information is of assistance to you, should you require further information please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Kevin Brady
Head of Mental Health