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Re: 24407 - PQ ref 50752/19 - funding for Dyspraxia

DETAILS: Dyspraxia Ireland.

To ask the Minister for Health the position regarding the funding of an organisation (details supplied); and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy,

CHO Dublin North City and County (CHO DNCC) received the revised submission from Dyspraxia Association of Ireland on 23rd August 2018 and acknowledged receipt. The application was reviewed and CHO DNCC Disability Services remain supportive of both the work undertaken by this organisation and the proposal to increase their overall funding allocation.

Unfortunately, funding is not available from within existing resources to meet this need and no additional resources to meet this proposed application have been allocated to CHO DNCC Disability Services to date for 2020. Should additional resources become available in 2020, CHO DNCC Disability Service will advise Dyspraxia Ireland accordingly.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Yours sincerely,

Mairead Lyons

Head of Service - Social Care