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PQ 51513/19

To ask the Minister for Health his plans to extend services in the Central Remedial Clinic, Waterford to the adult population; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

PQ 51514/19

To ask the Minister for Health the services delivered by the Central Remedial Clinic, Waterford; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

PQ 51515/19

To ask the Minister for Health the spend for the Central Remedial Clinic, Waterford in each of the years 2016 to 2018 and to date in 2019; and if he will make a statement on the matter

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

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

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

The Central Remedial Clinic in Waterford provides services in their purpose-built premises on the grounds of University Hospital Waterford, to children living in the South East. These services include;

- Regional assessment service for children with physical disabilities from Waterford, Wexford, South Tipperary, Carlow and Kilkenny
- Local treatment service for children with physical disabilities and developmental delay in Waterford city and east Waterford.

The HSE works closely with staff and therapists at CRC and acknowledge the services provided by organisation for children with physical disability.

With regard to funding, I can confirm that the HSE funded the Central Remedial Clinic, Waterford as follows:

Year	Funding
2016	€925,944
2017	€925,944
2018	€925,944
2019	€925,944

South East Community Healthcare (SECH) at this time is not aware of any plans to extend the service to the adult population.

I trust this information is of assistance to you. Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'PMcEvoy', written in black ink.

Patricia McEvoy
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