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Ms. Fiona O'Loughlin T.D., Dáil Eireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question - 7742/19

To ask the Minister for Health if the national framework for eating disorder care has been launched to date in County Laois; and if he will make a statement on the matter – Fiona O'Loughlin

Dear Deputy O'Loughlin,

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. I have examined the matter and outline the position as follows.

We have been working with the National Eating Disorder Framework for some time now with the Adult Mental Health and Child and Adolescent Mental Health teams.

We are engaging with the emerging regional hub to strengthen these links.

I trust the above is in order but please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further queries in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

Pat Bennett

Chief Officer

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