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Fiona O'Loughlin Dáil Eireann, Dublin 2.

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To ask the Minister for Health the number of children waiting for assessment for occupational therapy in County Kildare for 3, 6 and over 12 months, respectively in tabular form; 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 regard to your parliamentary question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Primary Care Paediatric O.T. Waiting List as at 1st March 2019 Kildare/West Wicklow

Number of Clients per wait band	North Kildare	Mid Kildare	South Kildare
0 – 12 weeks	13	21	19
12 – 26 weeks	25	32	25
26 – 39 weeks	32	52	55
39 – 52 weeks	58	45	48
52+ weeks	139	155	206
Total Number clients waiting	267	305	353

Total number of children waiting is 925.

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

Yours sincerely.

Mary O'Kelly

Head of Service Primary Care