



Chief Operating Officer, Saolta University Health Care Group, Old Nurses Home, Newcastle Road, Galway University Hospital,

7/ 2 /2019
Deputy McConalogue,
Dail Eireann,
Leinster House,
Dublin 2

PQ 2904/19 To ask the Minister for Health the status of a shared diabetes centre of excellence between Letterkenny University Hospital and Sligo University Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Charlie McConalogue

Dear Deputy McConalogue,

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 the following outlines the position the Saolta Group's perspective.

Subject to approval of funding, It is intended to proceed to construction in 2019 with the unit operational in 2020.

I trust the above addresses your query. Please contact my office should you require any further information.

Yours sincerely

66___

Ann Cosgrove,

Chief Operating Officer,

Saolta University Health Care Group