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**PQ ref 25969/19**

To ask the Minister for Health the number of respite hours provided for children with an intellectual disability in County Donegal in each of the years 2008 to 2018, in tabular form

Dear Deputy Doherty

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.

Please see below in tabular form the number of respite hours provided for children and adolescents with an intellectual disability in County Donegal in the years 2008 to 2018.

The number of respite hours provided for children & adolescents with an intellectual disability in County Donegal in each of the years 2008 to 2018	
Year	No. of hours provided
2008	51,702
2009	43,397
2010	70,382
2011	68,949
2012	71,169
2013	80,773
2014	31,137
2015	38,540
2016	37,514
2017	27,455
2018	23,668

Note - Ballytrim provided full time respite between 2010 to 2013

I trust that this is of assistance, but please do not hesitate to contact me if you require anything further.

Yours sincerely,

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