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Mr. Shane Cassells T.D.,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
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Re: Parliamentary Question – 26117/19

To ask the Minister for Health the number of adults with intellectual disabilities in residential care in County Westmeath in tabular form -Shane Cassells

Dear Deputy Cassells,

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 response in below table:

| Question | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|
| 26117/19 The number of adults with intellectual disabilities in residential care in Longford/Westmeath | N/A | 261 | 271 | 267 | 261 |

Please note that as this request relates to historic information, details have been provided for the years from which this information is available to the HSE. Longford and Westmeath information is collated and reported as one entry so it is not possible to break out figures for Westmeath only.

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,

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