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Deputy Fiona O'Loughlin, TD
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To ask the Minister for Health if each CHO has Traveller coordinators in place in relation to the provision of mental health services for Travellers. -Fiona O'Loughlin

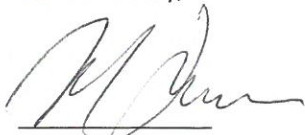
Dear Deputy O'Loughlin,

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 the following latest currently available data outlines the position.

CHO	Traveller Coordinator in Place Y/N
1	Yes
2	Yes
3	Yes
4	Yes
5	Yes
6	Yes
7	No
8	Yes
9	Yes

You will note that 8 of the 9 CHO's have coordinators in place, the position in CHO was offered following interview however was declined by the candidate, recruitment to this post continues. I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours sincerely,



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