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Ms. Louise O'Reilly, TD Dáil Éireann Kildare Street Dublin 2

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PQ 48934/19 — To ask the Minister for Health his plans to provide parking for disabled persons using the primary care centre in Balbriggan, County Dublin; and if he will make a statement on the matter. — $Louise\ O'Reilly$

Dear Deputy O'Reilly,

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.

There are two designated disabled person's parking spaces in the car park to the rear of Balbriggan Primary Care Centre. These spaces are located directly beside the centre entrance and are strictly for use by people who have a disabled person's parking permit.

Service users who require use of the designated disabled car spaces can use the key pad on the entrance to the car park to contact reception who will lift the barrier to allow entry. The HSE porter on duty monitors the use of these spaces to ensure they are used appropriately.

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

Yours sincerely,

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