

Oifig an tUas. Pat Bennett, Príomhoifigeach, Eagraíocht Cúram Sláinte Pobail, Lár Tíre, An Lú, An Mhí Feidhmeannacht na Seirbhíse Sláinte, Oifig Cheantair, Bóthar Ardáin, An Tulach Mhór, Co. Uíbh Fhailí.

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Ms. Margaret Murphy O'Mahony T.D., Dáil Eireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street, Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question - 40508/19

To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons on the occupational therapy treatment waiting list by time periods and age category (details supplied) by LHO area in CHO 8 at the end of September 2019 or latest date available in tabular form - Margaret Murphy O'Mahony. -Margaret Murphy O'Mahony

Dear Deputy Murphy O'Mahony,

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 the position as follows for CHO 8 Occupational Therapy Waiting lists.

Louth as at September 2019

Age Range	0 - <u><</u> 12 weeks	>12 weeks - ≤ 26 weeks	>26 weeks - ≤ 39 weeks	>39 weeks but ≤ 52 weeks	>52 weeks
0-4 yrs & 11mths	42	56	28	29	55
5-17 yrs & 11 mths	85	84	84	58	226
18-64 yrs & 11 mths	32	7	0	2	1
65 yrs and over	173	64	27	15	15

Meath as at September 2019

Age Range	0 - <u><</u> 12 weeks	>12 weeks - ≤ 26 weeks	>26 weeks - ≤ 39 weeks	>39 weeks but ≤ 52 weeks	>52 weeks
0-4 yrs & 11mths	23	13	0	0	0
5-17 yrs & 11 mths	164	160	62	7	0
18-64 yrs & 11 mths	34	0	0	0	0
65 yrs and over	115	0	0	0	0

Laois/Offaly - as at September 2019

Age Range	0 - <u><</u> 12 weeks	>12 weeks - ≤ 26 weeks	>26 weeks - ≤ 39 weeks	>39 weeks but ≤ 52 weeks	>52 weeks
0-4 yrs & 11mths	73	102	72	66	168
5-17 yrs & 11 mths	90	129	122	101	629
18-64 yrs & 11 mths	40	26	16	9	46
65 yrs and over	171	141	46	20	18

Longford/Westmeath - as at September 2019

Age Range	0 - <u><</u> 12 weeks	>12 weeks - ≤ 26 weeks	>26 weeks - ≤ 39 weeks	>39 weeks but ≤ 52 weeks	>52 weeks
0-4 yrs & 11mths	131	80	22	4	1
5-17 yrs & 11 mths	135	101	47	7	0
18-64 yrs & 11 mths	37	7	2	1	0
65 yrs and over	187	48	4	0	0

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,

Pat Bennett

Chief Officer CHO Area 8