

18th September 2019

Catherine Connolly TD
Dail Eireann,
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Dublin 2.

Re: PQ 37612/19

Re: To ask the Minister for Health the number of posts in primary care in which interviews have been held, posts offered and accepted and await sanction by the National Director of Community Operations in Galway city and county in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter

Dear Deputy Connolly,

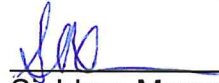
I refer to PQ ref 37612/19 uploaded on the PAD system on 11th September 2019 and due for response on 1st October 2019 concerning the number of posts in primary care in which interviews have been held, posts that are offered and accepted for Galway City & County, awaiting sanction by the National Director of Community Operations.

The HSE has been requested to respond to you directly regarding this matter. The following outlines the current position.

Grade	Number of Posts
Senior Occupational Therapist	3 Posts
Assistant Psychologist	1 Post
Laboratory Technician	1 Post
Audiologist	1 Post
Podiatrist	1 Post
Physiotherapist	1 Post
Dental Surgeon	1 Post
Assistant Staff Officer	1 Post
Clerical Officer	1 Post
Total	11 Posts

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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