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To ask the Minister for Health the detail of the waiting lists for speech and language therapy in County Wexford for each of the past five years.

Dear Deputy Tóibín,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which was submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

I have reviewed the matter and the following outlines the current position.

Waiting Lists for Speech & Language Therapy in Co. Wexford from 2016-2020

Area Wexford	October 2020	October 2019	October 2018	October 2017	October 2016
Assessment	873	711	1004	626	433
Initial Therapy	500	487	458	684	952
Further Therapy	810	366	586	530	116
Total	2,183	1564	2048	1,840	1501

Please be assured that the HSE SLT Service monitors the waiting list on an ongoing basis in the overall context of available resources and prioritisation criteria.

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

Yours sincerely,


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