



18<sup>th</sup> December 2020

Deputy Michael Moynihan,  
Dáil Eireann,  
Leinster House,  
Kildare Street,  
Dublin 2.

**PQ 41816/20 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons on the speech and language therapy assessment waiting list as of 30 November 2020 or latest date available; the number waiting less than four, four to 12 and more than 12 months; and the number waiting aged zero to 17 and more than 18 years of age for each category by LHO in tabular form.**

**PQ 41817/20 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons on the speech and language therapy initial treatment waiting list as of 30 November 2020 or latest date available; the number waiting less than four, four to 12 months and more than 12 months; and the number waiting for each category aged zero to 17 and more than 18 years of age by each LHO in tabular form.**

**PQ 41818/20 - To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons on the speech and language therapy further treatment waiting list as of 30 November 2020 or latest date available; the number waiting less than four, four to 12 months and more than 12 months; and the number waiting for each category aged zero to 17 and more than 18 years of age by each LHO in tabular form.**

**-Michael Moynihan**

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Dear Deputy Moynihan,

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

The spread of COVID-19 is posing significant challenges for many service areas, including all Therapy Services. In light of these unprecedented challenges together with the Government's guidance on social distancing and on 'Cocooning' for those aged over 70, the HSE has had to reassess its operation of Community Therapy Services nationally, to ensure that the assessed needs of those clients with the highest priority are met.

As a result of the national effort across all Community Healthcare Organisations throughout the country, some aspects of normal monthly reporting have been delayed. Preliminary data currently available reflects the period to the end of October 2020 which is the latest data available at this time. Please see below appendices which contain the following in tabular form;

Appendix 1 – Speech and Language Therapy - Number of patients awaiting Initial Assessment - October 2020

Appendix 2 – Speech and Language Therapy - Number of patients awaiting Initial Therapy – October 2020

Appendix 3 – Speech and Language Therapy - Number of patients awaiting Further Therapy - October 2020

Appendix 4 – Speech and Language Therapy - Number of 0-17 years & 11 months old patients awaiting Initial Assessment - October 2020

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Appendix 9 – Speech and Language Therapy - Number of patients aged 18 and older awaiting Further Therapy - October 2020

Please note the list of LHO areas at the bottom of the Appendix which did not return data, as some areas were not in a position to return data due to staff being redeployed to Covid-19 related duties. Please also note that because of this the overall accuracy of the waiting list data is impacted.

The HSE is working to ensure timely access to children and adults requiring therapy services, and to reduce long waiting times for these important services.

As this is an evolving and unprecedented situation, the HSE will keep matters in review and will advise clients and/or family members accordingly.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,



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TJ Dunford,  
Interim Head of Operations Primary Care/A.N.D.  
Community Operations

**APPENDIX 1**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Total Number of patients awaiting Initial Assessment - October 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	359	205	357	276	67	0	1,264
Donegal	285	300	193	5	8	72	863
Sligo Leitrim	186	182	88	4	0	0	460
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>830</b>	<b>687</b>	<b>638</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>2,587</b>
Galway	456	388	270	87	3	10	1,214
Mayo	56	15	4	0	0	0	75
Roscommon	70	15	2	1	0	0	88
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>582</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,377</b>
Clare	199	66	42	42	9	3	361
Limerick	342	121	167	26	23	25	704
North Tipperary East Limerick	226	138	111	43	26	0	544
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>767</b>	<b>325</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1,609</b>
Kerry	171	3	0	0	0	0	174
North Cork	194	17	0	0	0	0	211
North Lee	299	111	13	0	0	0	423
South Lee	262	33	4	1	11	13	324
West Cork	79	5	0	0	0	0	84
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1,216</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	291	170	153	23	0	0	637
South Tipperary	158	22	34	0	0	0	214
Waterford	114	70	213	14	0	0	411
Wexford	207	99	406	160	1	0	873
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>770</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>806</b>	<b>197</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,135</b>
Dublin South East	106	5	10	7	8	3	139
Dun Laoghaire	121	18	13	12	10	0	174
Wicklow	412	134	108	78	29	0	761
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>639</b>	<b>157</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1,074</b>
Dublin South City	163	104	187	69	28	27	578
Dublin South West	285	132	257	79	78	373	1,204
Dublin West	164	108	310	288	155	23	1,048
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>344</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>423</b>	<b>2,830</b>
Laois Offaly	615	439	205	312	73	16	1,660
Longford Westmeath	377	172	308	141	62	0	1,060
Louth	262	45	0	0	0	0	307
Meath	576	316	321	175	95	0	1,483
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>1,830</b>	<b>972</b>	<b>834</b>	<b>628</b>	<b>230</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>4,510</b>
Dublin North	307	271	540	265	86	0	1,469
Dublin North Central	154	106	242	283	40	0	825
Dublin North West	378	296	414	303	103	43	1,537
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>839</b>	<b>673</b>	<b>1,196</b>	<b>851</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>3,831</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>7,874</b>	<b>4,106</b>	<b>4,972</b>	<b>2,694</b>	<b>915</b>	<b>608</b>	<b>21,169</b>

Note : October data not returned for Kildare/West Wicklow.

**APPENDIX 2**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Total Number of patients awaiting Initial Therapy - October 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	14	9	2	0	0	0	25
Donegal	26	33	14	0	0	0	73
Sligo Leitrim	29	43	27	5	0	0	104
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>202</b>
Galway	70	140	132	118	52	227	739
Mayo	107	83	123	23	0	0	336
Roscommon	84	105	40	0	0	0	229
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>295</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>1,304</b>
Clare	37	22	70	16	5	0	150
Limerick	111	48	80	43	19	25	326
North Tipperary East Limerick	46	6	12	1	0	0	65
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>541</b>
Kerry	94	61	20	4	0	0	179
North Cork	61	92	87	72	0	0	312
North Lee	172	133	285	221	71	41	923
South Lee	139	101	190	139	54	84	707
West Cork	44	23	30	19	2	0	118
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>510</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>612</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>2,239</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	46	15	79	149	169	177	635
South Tipperary	93	32	51	63	0	0	239
Waterford	27	14	53	124	181	101	500
Wexford	83	24	119	156	82	36	500
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>1,874</b>
Dublin South East	43	0	0	0	0	0	43
Dun Laoghaire	68	4	0	0	0	0	72
Wicklow	248	158	89	71	38	0	604
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>359</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>719</b>
Dublin South City	44	57	122	134	84	96	537
Dublin South West	36	43	102	115	57	20	373
Dublin West	16	18	154	260	138	118	704
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>378</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>1,614</b>
Laois Offaly	58	32	103	96	63	1	353
Longford Westmeath	124	48	98	31	11	0	312
Louth	25	10	0	0	0	0	35
Meath	31	0	0	0	0	0	31
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>201</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>731</b>
Dublin North	180	25	239	437	15	0	896
Dublin North Central	100	33	70	51	24	0	278
Dublin North West	215	176	211	150	38	10	800
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>495</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>638</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,974</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,471</b>	<b>1,588</b>	<b>2,602</b>	<b>2,498</b>	<b>1,103</b>	<b>936</b>	<b>11,198</b>

Note : October data not turned for Kildare / West Wicklow

**APPENDIX 3**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Total Number of patients awaiting Further Therapy - October 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	431	415	107	0	0	0	953
Donegal	370	543	145	70	10	0	1,138
Sligo Leitrim	91	108	192	60	1	6	458
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>1,066</b>	<b>444</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2,549</b>
Galway	584	701	518	110	22	144	2,079
Mayo	97	129	58	0	0	0	284
Roscommon	537	251	24	2	0	0	814
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>1,218</b>	<b>1,081</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>3,177</b>
Clare	187	113	164	187	90	42	783
Limerick	430	239	207	85	57	6	1,024
North Tipperary East Limerick	314	138	76	17	5	0	550
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>931</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>2,357</b>
Kerry	404	412	139	26	0	0	981
North Cork	83	48	136	105	7	0	379
North Lee	217	165	305	222	99	72	1,080
South Lee	259	176	214	98	69	54	870
West Cork	86	67	94	72	2	0	321
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>1,049</b>	<b>868</b>	<b>888</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>3,631</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	113	135	109	66	112	3	538
South Tipperary	0	211	317	0	0	0	528
Waterford	28	2	20	40	17	0	107
Wexford	59	101	364	198	62	26	810
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1,983</b>
Dublin South East	10	7	13	1	2	6	39
Dun Laoghaire	20	0	0	0	0	0	20
Wicklow	247	199	76	78	56	0	656
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>277</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>715</b>
Dublin South City	127	91	162	185	56	99	720
Dublin South West	43	105	225	221	97	54	745
Dublin West	122	51	247	369	179	157	1,125
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>292</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>634</b>	<b>775</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>310</b>	<b>2,590</b>
Laois Offaly	91	176	52	39	42	10	410
Longford Westmeath	194	269	305	126	44	0	938
Louth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meath	37	0	0	0	0	0	37
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>445</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,385</b>
Dublin North	415	92	597	735	32	0	1,871
Dublin North Central	163	140	181	112	57	0	653
Dublin North West	227	171	227	233	93	4	955
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>805</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>1,005</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3,479</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,986</b>	<b>5,255</b>	<b>5,274</b>	<b>3,457</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>21,866</b>

Note : October data not returned for Kildare/West Wicklow (CHO 7)

**APPENDIX 4**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Number of 0-17 years & 11 months old patients awaiting Initial Assessment - October 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	216	145	297	229	26	0	913
Donegal	268	292	0	0	0	0	560
Sligo Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>484</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>297</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,473</b>
Galway	335	318	230	86	3	10	982
Mayo	34	5	2	0	0	0	41
Roscommon	52	9	1	0	0	0	62
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,085</b>
Clare	181	66	42	42	9	3	343
Limerick	295	102	140	17	23	25	602
North Tipperary East Limerick	212	136	111	43	26	0	528
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1,473</b>
Kerry	134	3	0	0	0	0	137
North Cork	168	15	0	0	0	0	183
North Lee	262	99	10	0	0	0	371
South Lee	230	14	2	1	11	13	271
West Cork	61	5	0	0	0	0	66
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>855</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1,028</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	192	110	92	1	0	0	395
South Tipperary	108	19	33	0	0	0	160
Waterford	73	52	211	14	0	0	350
Wexford	173	92	398	159	1	0	823
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>546</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>734</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,728</b>
Dublin South East	47	5	10	7	8	3	80
Dun Laoghaire	121	18	13	12	10	0	174
Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>254</b>
Dublin South City	122	72	151	56	28	27	456
Dublin South West	207	80	211	44	78	373	993
Dublin West	92	71	278	270	153	16	880
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>421</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>416</b>	<b>2,329</b>
Laos Offaly	513	381	141	251	59	7	1,352
Longford Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Louth	230	38	0	0	0	0	268
Meath	85	56	76	23	0	0	240
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>828</b>	<b>475</b>	<b>217</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1,860</b>
Dublin North	258	263	532	265	86	0	1,404
Dublin North Central	93	69	182	234	30	0	608
Dublin North West	156	130	311	303	103	43	1,046
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>507</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>1,025</b>	<b>802</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>3,058</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,918</b>	<b>2,665</b>	<b>3,474</b>	<b>2,057</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>520</b>	<b>14,288</b>

Note : October data not returned for Kildare/West Wicklow.

**APPENDIX 5**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Number of 0-17 years & 11 months old patients awaiting Initial Therapy - October 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	3	3	2	0	0	0	8
Donegal	26	33	14	0	0	0	73
Sligo Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>81</b>
Galway	52	95	116	118	52	227	660
Mayo	93	83	123	23	0	0	322
Roscommon	84	105	40	0	0	0	229
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>283</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>141</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>1,211</b>
Clare	37	22	70	16	5	0	150
Limerick	90	30	53	32	10	25	240
North Tipperary East Limerick	46	4	12	1	0	0	63
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>453</b>
Kerry	76	58	20	4	0	0	158
North Cork	61	92	87	72	0	0	312
North Lee	163	130	283	221	71	41	909
South Lee	137	101	190	139	54	84	705
West Cork	42	20	30	19	2	0	113
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>479</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>455</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>2,197</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	46	15	79	149	169	177	635
South Tipperary	92	32	51	62	0	0	237
Waterford	27	14	53	124	181	101	500
Wexford	83	23	119	155	81	35	496
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>490</b>	<b>431</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>1,868</b>
Dublin South East	25	0	0	0	0	0	25
Dun Laoghaire	68	4	0	0	0	0	72
Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>97</b>
Dublin South City	44	55	122	134	84	96	535
Dublin South West	30	35	98	111	57	20	351
Dublin West	16	18	154	260	138	118	704
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>505</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>1,590</b>
Laos Offaly	58	32	103	96	63	1	353
Longford Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Louth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meath	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>103</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>353</b>
Dublin North	171	18	237	437	15	0	878
Dublin North Central	79	19	69	50	24	0	241
Dublin North West	57	29	112	150	38	10	396
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>307</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>418</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>1,515</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,706</b>	<b>1,070</b>	<b>2,237</b>	<b>2,373</b>	<b>1,044</b>	<b>935</b>	<b>9,365</b>

Note : October data not turned for Kildare / West Wicklow

**APPENDIX 6**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Number of 0-17 years & 11 months old patients awaiting Further Therapy - October 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	357	405	105	0	0	0	867
Donegal	370	543	145	70	10	0	1,138
Sligo Leitrim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>727</b>	<b>948</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,005</b>
Galway	316	615	491	106	18	4	1,550
Mayo	96	129	58	0	0	0	283
Roscommon	495	161	24	2	0	0	682
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>907</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>573</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2,515</b>
Clare	158	89	164	187	90	42	730
Limerick	385	238	207	85	57	6	978
North Tipperary East Limerick	204	138	76	17	5	0	440
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>747</b>	<b>465</b>	<b>447</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>2,148</b>
Kerry	376	404	137	26	0	0	943
North Cork	69	48	133	98	7	0	355
North Lee	204	155	294	215	84	65	1,017
South Lee	221	132	200	89	69	54	765
West Cork	86	64	94	72	2	0	318
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>956</b>	<b>803</b>	<b>858</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>3,398</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	96	135	109	66	35	3	444
South Tipperary	0	208	314	0	0	0	522
Waterford	4	2	20	40	17	0	83
Wexford	59	101	364	198	61	25	808
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>446</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>113</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1,857</b>
Dublin South East	39	0	0	0	0	0	39
Dun Laoghaire	20	0	0	0	0	0	20
Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>59</b>
Dublin South City	113	74	162	185	56	99	689
Dublin South West	40	89	220	208	95	54	706
Dublin West	22	22	242	352	166	101	905
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>624</b>	<b>745</b>	<b>317</b>	<b>254</b>	<b>2,300</b>
Laos Offaly	91	176	52	39	42	10	410
Longford Westmeath	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Louth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meath	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>410</b>
Dublin North	264	46	595	735	32	0	1,672
Dublin North Central	69	74	153	112	57	0	465
Dublin North West	81	36	126	233	93	4	573
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>414</b>	<b>156</b>	<b>874</b>	<b>1,080</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2,710</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>4,235</b>	<b>4,084</b>	<b>4,485</b>	<b>3,135</b>	<b>996</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>17,402</b>

Note : October data not returned for Kildare/West Wicklow (CHO 7)



**APPENDIX 7**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Number of patients aged 18 years and older awaiting Initial Assessment - October 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	143	60	60	47	41	0	351
Donegal	17	8	193	5	8	72	303
Sligo Leitrim	186	182	88	4	0	0	460
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>250</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>1,114</b>
Galway	121	70	40	1	0	0	232
Mayo	22	10	2	0	0	0	34
Roscommon	18	6	1	1	0	0	26
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>292</b>
Clare	18	0	0	0	0	0	18
Limerick	47	19	27	9	0	0	102
North Tipperary East Limerick	14	2	0	0	0	0	16
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>136</b>
Kerry	37	0	0	0	0	0	37
North Cork	26	2	0	0	0	0	28
North Lee	37	12	3	0	0	0	52
South Lee	32	19	2	0	0	0	53
West Cork	18	0	0	0	0	0	18
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>188</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	99	60	61	22	0	0	242
South Tipperary	50	3	1	0	0	0	54
Waterford	41	18	2	0	0	0	61
Wexford	34	7	8	1	0	0	50
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>224</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>407</b>
Dublin South East	59	0	0	0	0	0	59
Dun Laoghaire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wicklow	412	134	108	78	29	0	761
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>471</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>820</b>
Dublin South City	41	32	36	13	0	0	122
Dublin South West	78	52	46	35	0	0	211
Dublin West	72	37	32	18	2	7	168
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>501</b>
Laois Offaly	102	58	64	61	14	9	308
Longford Westmeath	377	172	308	141	62	0	1,060
Louth	32	7	0	0	0	0	39
Meath	491	260	245	152	95	0	1,243
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>1,002</b>	<b>497</b>	<b>617</b>	<b>354</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2,650</b>
Dublin North	49	8	8	0	0	0	65
Dublin North Central	61	37	60	49	10	0	217
Dublin North West	222	166	103	0	0	0	491
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>773</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,956</b>	<b>1,441</b>	<b>1,498</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>6,881</b>

Note : October data not returned for Kildare/West Wicklow.

**APPENDIX 8**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Number of patients aged 18 years and older awaiting Initial Therapy - October 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	11	6	0	0	0	0	17
Donegal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sligo Leitrim	29	43	27	5	0	0	104
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>121</b>
Galway	18	45	16	0	0	0	79
Mayo	14	0	0	0	0	0	14
Roscommon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>93</b>
Clare	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Limerick	21	18	27	11	9	0	86
North Tipperary East Limerick	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>88</b>
Kerry	18	3	0	0	0	0	21
North Cork	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
North Lee	9	3	2	0	0	0	14
South Lee	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
West Cork	2	3	0	0	0	0	5
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>42</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
South Tipperary	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
Waterford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wexford	0	1	0	1	1	1	4
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>
Dublin South East	18	0	0	0	0	0	18
Dun Laoghaire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wicklow	248	158	89	71	38	0	604
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>158</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>622</b>
Dublin South City	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Dublin South West	6	8	4	4	0	0	22
Dublin West	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>
Laois Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Longford Westmeath	124	48	98	31	11	0	312
Louth	25	10	0	0	0	0	35
Meath	31	0	0	0	0	0	31
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>378</b>
Dublin North	9	7	2	0	0	0	18
Dublin North Central	21	14	1	1	0	0	37
Dublin North West	158	147	99	0	0	0	404
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>102</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>459</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1,833</b>

Note : October data not turned for Kildare / West Wicklow

**APPENDIX 9**

**Speech and Language Therapy - Number of patients aged 18 years and older awaiting Further Therapy - September 2020**

LHO	0 to 4 Mths	4 months & 1 day - 8 months	8 months & 1 day - 12 months	12 months & 1 day - 18 months	18 months & 1 day to 24 months	>24 months	Total
Cavan Monaghan	74	10	2	0	0	0	86
Donegal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sligo Leitrim	91	108	192	60	1	6	458
<b>CHO1</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>194</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>544</b>
Galway	268	86	27	4	4	140	529
Mayo	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Roscommon	42	90	0	0	0	0	132
<b>CHO2</b>	<b>311</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>662</b>
Clare	29	24	0	0	0	0	53
Limerick	45	1	0	0	0	0	46
North Tipperary East Limerick	110	0	0	0	0	0	110
<b>CHO3</b>	<b>184</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>209</b>
Kerry	28	8	2	0	0	0	38
North Cork	14	0	3	7	0	0	24
North Lee	13	10	11	7	15	7	63
South Lee	38	44	14	9	0	0	105
West Cork	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
<b>CHO4</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>233</b>
Carlow Kilkenny	17	0	0	0	77	0	94
South Tipperary	0	3	3	0	0	0	6
Waterford	24	0	0	0	0	0	24
Wexford	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
<b>CHO5</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>126</b>
Dublin South East	(29)	7	13	1	2	6	0
Dun Laoghaire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wicklow	247	199	76	78	56	0	656
<b>CHO6</b>	<b>218</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>656</b>
Dublin South City	14	17	0	0	0	0	31
Dublin South West	3	16	5	13	2	0	39
Dublin West	100	29	5	17	13	56	220
Kildare West Wicklow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>CHO7</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>290</b>
Laois Offaly	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Longford Westmeath	194	269	305	126	44	0	938
Louth	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meath	37	0	0	0	0	0	37
<b>CHO8</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>305</b>	<b>126</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>975</b>
Dublin North	151	46	2	0	0	0	199
Dublin North Central	94	66	28	0	0	0	188
Dublin North West	146	135	101	0	0	0	382
<b>CHO9</b>	<b>391</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>769</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,751</b>	<b>1,171</b>	<b>789</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>215</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>4,464</b>

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