

## Ceannasaí Náisiúnta Oibríochtaí Meabhairshláinte

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Deputy David Cullinane, Dail Eireann, Dublin 2.

PQ Number: 19978/20

PQ Question: To ask the Minister for Health the estimated cost of increasing funding for jigsaw by 10%.

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

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.

Jigsaw are paid an amount of €9.95m from Mental National Health. They also receive a contribution from CHO1 of €235,000. An additional 10% would cost €1m.

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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