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PQ39390/20 To ask the Minister for Health his plans to expand apprenticeships to healthcare; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Jennifer Carroll MacNeill

Dear Deputy,

I refer to your recent parliamentary question above which was sent to the HSE for reply.

The HSE introduced a Pilot Apprenticeship scheme in 2019 and is currently in the process of expanding this across the organisation as communicated in HSE HR Circular 067/2020 - https://www.hse.ie/eng/staff/resources/hr-circulars/hr-circular-067/2020 - https://www.hse.ie/eng/staff/resources/hr-circulars/hr-circular-067/2020 - https://www.hse.ie/eng/staff/resources/hr-circulars/hr-circular-067-2020-craft-apprenticeships-in-the-health-service.pdf

Yours sincerely,

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