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To ask the Minister for Health if a building has been sourced for the promised alcohol addiction treatment service in Galway city; if so, when the treatment service will be up and running; and if he will make a statement on the matter

Dear Deputy Connolly,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Ongoing actions to source a suitable building for the Galway City adult alcohol service are in hand and it is anticipated that this process will be complete in a number of months.

Recruitment of staff for the service is taking place. It is planned to have the service operational when these actions are completed. Provisional date for service commencement is November 2020.

I trust this information will be of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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