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Deputy Jennifer Carroll MacNeill,
Dáil Eireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

PQ 18945/21

To ask the Minister for Health when the new paediatric rheumatologist will commence in the CHI in Crumlin; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy MacNeill,

I refer to your parliamentary question above to which I have been asked to provide a response.

The Rheumatology service in Crumlin announce they have appointed a third Consultant Rheumatologist position following a successful recruitment campaign.

It is envisioned that the consultant will take up their post in 2022 following their current commitments and obligations.

Yours sincerely,

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