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Dear Deputy Smith,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the following parliamentary questions, which were submitted to this department for response.

PQ 19102/21

To ask the Minister for Health the number and name of all private providers of disability residential care for the HSE; and the number of disability residents currently in privately run residential homecare excluding residential nursing homecare for the elderly.

PQ 19103/21

To ask the Minister for Health the estimated full cost of funding to all private providers of disability residential care contracted by the HSE in 2018, 2019 and 2020 excluding nursing homecare for the elderly; and the number and cost of funding and providing services to disability residents in residential care provided directly by the HSE.

HSE Response.

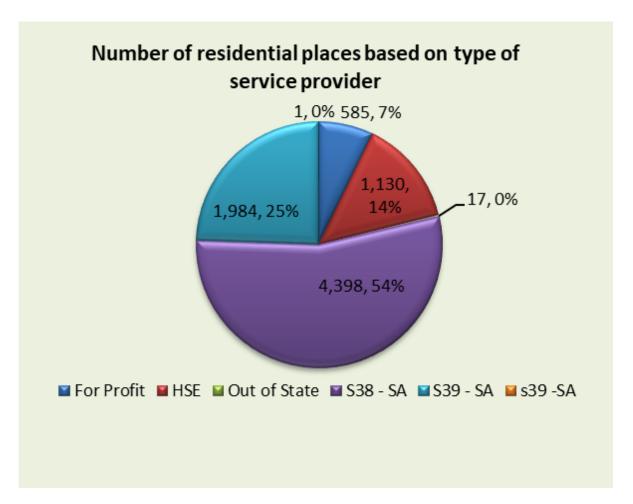
Residential services make up the largest part of the Disability funding disbursed by the HSE – over 60% of the total budget of €2.05 billion in 2020.

Approximately 90 service providers provide residential services to over 8,000 individuals throughout the country. The bulk of these are provided by the 50 highest funded agencies (comprising both Section 38 & Section 39 organisations) – some 6,300 places, or 75%. The HSE itself provides 1,100 or 14% of the places.

With regard to the number and name of all private providers of disability residential care for the HSE; please see Appendix 1 which is a list in alphabetical order of Private Providers of Residential Services (disability funded only). Please note that the list given does not include co funded Private Providers (disability funded and Mental Health or Older Persons Services or Tusla).

As can be seen from the graph below, as at 31st March 2021, 585 residential places are provided by Private For-Profit Providers, which is approximately 7% of the total. It is important to note that these are approximate figures as retrospective adjustments to information provided can be made at a later stage during the year.





With regard to the estimated full cost of funding to all private providers of disability residential care contracted by the HSE in 2018, 2019 and 2020 excluding nursing homecare for the elderly, the table below provides the funding to Residential Services since 2018.

Year	2018 Funding	2019 Funding	2020 Funding
	€000	€000	€000
Residential Services	1,111,110	1,185,355	1,254,923

As outlined above, Private For-Profit Providers (Disability funded only) account for approximately 7% of residential places provided on an annual basis. HSE provided services account for approximately 14% of residential places provided on an annual basis.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Cathal Morgan,

Head of Operations - Disability Services,

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Appendix 1. Disability funded

Name	Org	Funding source
ACH Healthcare	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Aiseanna Taciochta	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Anne Sullivan Foundation	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Beech lodge NH	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
BlacIrock Abbey	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Bloomfeild Private Hospital Raheeney	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Bluebird care	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Borris Lodge Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Brymore House Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Camphill	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Cara Care / TLC Northwood	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Carlingford Nusing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Castleross Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Communicare	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Dara Residential	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Delta Care	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Fatima Home Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Galro	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Gateway Community Care	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Gheel	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Hamilton Park	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Harvey Healthcare	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Highfield	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Hillcrest Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Kellsgrange	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Kilbrew Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Kilmainham Wood Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Knightsbridge Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Lawson House NH	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Manor Home Care	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Moorehall Ltd	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Mowlam	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Muiriosa Foundation	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Mullinahinch PNH	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Novas	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Nua Health Care	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Orwell House	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Positive futures	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Praxis	For Profit	Disabilities Funded



Redwood/Talbot	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Resilience	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Ross Aoibhinn NH	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Simplicitas	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Soilis	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Solis MMC	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
St Josephs Deaf & Blind	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
St Michaels Nursing Home	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Stepping Stones	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Studio 3 Clinical Services	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Talbot Group	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Talbot Group NH	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Talbot Lodge	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Tara Winthorp	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
The Beeches	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
The Beeches NI	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Three Steps	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
TLC	For Profit	Disabilities Funded
Trinity Care	For Profit	Disabilities Funded