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PQ 19294/21

Questions - To ask the Minister for Health if the Community Health Organisation CHO6 vaccinated the staff in schools (Enable Ireland School and New Court School)

Dear Deputy Ó Ríordáin,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question (Reference PQ 19294/21), which you submitted for response.

Community Healthcare East can confirm that staff from Special Schools in Enable Ireland and New Court Schools were offered vaccination appointments in the Aviva on Tuesday 6th April 2021 as part of Cohort 4. Community Healthcare East acknowledge this was an error and recognise this was not done in line with the National Vaccination Rollout Plan but decisions to invite these staff members in Special Schools were made in good faith. Community Healthcare East have apologised for this error.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'Mary P. Fitzpatrick', written over a horizontal line.

Mary P. Fitzpatrick

Interim Head of Service Health and Wellbeing