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PQ 22474/21 * To ask the Minister for Health the indicative timeframe for the delivery of a new community nursing unit at St. Columba's Hospital, Thomastown, County Kilkenny; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -John McGuinness

Dear Deputy McGuinness,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

The HSE are planning to replace the existing facility for Older Persons on the site of St. Columbas, Thomastown, Kilkenny with a new Community Nursing Unit (CNU). Construction is expected to commence in Q3 2021 and is expected to be completed Q4 2023.

Yours sincerely,

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