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To ask the Minister for Health the number of referrals received for counselling in primary care in County Roscommon; the number of counselling sessions offered in the county in 2019 and 2020, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Fitzmaurice,

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.

Please see below table as requested outlining the number of referrals received for counselling in Primary Care in County Roscommon and the number of sessions offered in 2019 and 2020.

	Year	Session Hours offered	Session hours attended
CIPC Service – Roscommon Only			
Individual Counselling	2019	2088	1552
Individual Counselling	2020	956	740

I trust that this information is of assistance to you, but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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