

Ceann Seirbhíse, Meabhairshláinte Baile Átha Cliath Theas, Cill Dara & Iarthar Chill Mhantáin – Cúram Sláinte Pobail Teach Darach, Páirc na Mílaoise, An Nás, Co. Chill Dara, W91 KDC2

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Deputy Paul Donnelly Dail Eireann Leinster House Kildare Street Dublin 2

PQ 5473/21; To ask the Minister for Health the variance between A Vision of Change and staffing figures in an area (details supplied) for CAMHS teams, AMHS teams, PoL and rehab and recovery teams.

- Paul Donnelly TD

Dear Deputy Donnelly

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.

I wish to apologies for the delay in responding to you.

Vision for Change (2006) recommends that there should be one General Adult Community Mental Health Team for each sector of 50,000 population with individual General Adult Community Mental Health Team and a staffing compliment of 11 Clinicians per team.

Please see below table which outline the Community Teams and current staffing:

Adult Mental Health Community Team – Dublin South Central

	Population	Clinical WTE Feb 2021
Tallaght	86,455	29.8
Ballyfermot PCC	85,095	28.0
Owendoher	70,496	15.1
Drimnagh	22,583	8.5
Camac	51,348	17.2
Clondalkin	60,256	29.8
Crumlin	48,340	19.5

Old Age Psychiatry Services – Dublin South Central

	Population	Clinical WTE Feb 2021
Dublin South City	19,646	15.6
Dublin South West	29,931	7.67

Rehab and	Recovery	Team	_	Clinical	WTE	Feb
Dublin South Central			2021 - 19	9.8		

A Vision for Change (2006) recommends that there should be two Child and Adolescent Community Mental Health teams for each 100,000 population with individual Child and Adolescent Community Mental Health Teams and a staffing compliment of 11 Clinicians per team.

Child & Adolescent Mental Health Services

	Population	Actual Clinical WTE Feb 2021
Linn Dara Ballyfermot/St. James	14,885	8
Linn Dara Clondalkin	16,665	8
Linn Dara Lucan	15,519	7.3

I trust this clarifies matters.

Kevin Brady

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Mr. Kevin Brady Head of Service Mental Health Dublin South Kildare West Wicklow