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**Deputy Carol Nolan T.D.,
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PQ- 8106/21: To ask the Minister for Health if arrangements and funding have been put in place for an adult insulin pump clinic to be provided at the Midland Regional Hospital, and if he will make a statement on the matter

Dear Deputy Nolan

I refer to the above parliamentary question in respect of the provision of an adult insulin pump service at the Midland Regional Hospital, Portlaoise

The establishment of an adult insulin pump service is a key priority for the hospital following the successful establishment of a paediatric insulin pump service in 2018. A limited number of adult patients who have already been fitted with an insulin pump are currently managed at the hospital. The necessary supports to enable the development of a comprehensive adult insulin pump service are currently being considered

I trust this clarifies the matter.

Yours sincerely

**Michael Knowles
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