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PQ 8708/21 (206) - To ask the Minister for Health the venues or type of venues which will be used for the mass roll-out of Covid 19 vaccines; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Ryan,

Thank you for your questions. Now that there are safe and effective vaccines available we are aware that most people are keen to get vaccinated as quickly as possible. The key constraint in delivering the vaccine programme is the fact that there is a limited amount of vaccine available so it is not possible to reach everyone quickly. Given that limitation the Government published a national list of Provisional Vaccine Allocation Groups on December 8th. The HSE is continue to follow this list available at the following link

<https://www.gov.ie/en/publication/39038-provisional-vaccine-allocation-groups/>.

There will be 37 HSE vaccination centres opened across the country. Many people will be offered their vaccination in these centres and registration will be online. There will be at least one vaccination centre in every county. The aim is that the vaccination centres will be available by the 1st of March.

The detail of the centres is published in the link below

<https://www.gov.ie/en/publication/8a35f-irelands-covid-19-vaccination-centres/>

I hope that this provides you with assistance,

Yours sincerely

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