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To ask the Minister for Health the number of persons awaiting appointments under the National Counselling Service in County Wexford; the waiting times for each service for CaPA, CIPC and counselling for former residents of mother and baby homes; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Tóibín,

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

I have reviewed the matter and the following is the current position.

The number of persons awaiting appointments under the National Counselling Service in County Wexford is set out in the table below as follows:

Service	Waiting Times
CaPA	35 persons, longest waiting - April 2020
CIPC	99 persons, longest waiting - March 2020
Former Residents of Mother and Baby Homes	0

I trust this information is of assistance to you. Should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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