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PQ 4030/21 (101) To ask the Minister for Health the way and location in which providers of homecare services can register for the vaccination of homecare workers on the Covid-19 vaccination list.

Dear Deputy Murphy,

Now that there is a safe and effective vaccine available, we are aware that most people are keen to get vaccinated as quickly as possible. Currently the key constraint is that there is only a limited amount of vaccine available so it is not possible to reach everyone as quickly as we would like. Given that limitation the Government published a national list of Provisional Vaccine Allocation Groups on December 8th. This list is available at the following link. <https://www.gov.ie/en/publication/39038-provisional-vaccine-allocation-groups/>.

The roll out of the vaccine programme has been to the first two priority groups. Frontline healthcare workers who are employed as careers are in group 2 and will be informed through their line management as soon as additional supply is received.

I trust this answers your question to your satisfaction.

Yours sincerely



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