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Deputy Ged Nash Dáil Éireann Leinster House Dublin 2

Re: PQ - 11024/21 - To ask the Minister for Health the way in which Older Person Integrated Care Team services are not being offered to persons in County Meath as in other neighbouring counties; his plans and the timeline to provide this service in County Meath; and if he will make a statement on the matter – Ged Nash

Dear Deputy Nash,

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 have examined the matter and outline the position as follows.

Older People in Co. Meath have access to a number of integrated care services, including home support service, respite service, day service and long term care. Older Person Services provided integrated care to clients in Co. Meath with public health nursing service and other Primary Care Services including community physiotherapy service, community occupational therapy, community podiatry service and other primary care services.

I trust the above is in order but please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further queries in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

Des O'Flynn Chief Officer

Midlands Louth Meath Community Health Organisation