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Deputy Duncan Smith, Dail Eireann, Dublin 2.

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PQ Number: 49781/21

PQ Question: To ask the Minister for Health the number of psychologists that have been hired to work in CAMHS since 1 July 2021, by CHO; and if he will make a statement on the matter -Duncan Smith

Dear Deputy Smith,

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 the following outlines the position.

CHO	Grade
3	Psychologist, Senior Clinical
9	Psychologist, Senior Clinical
2	Psychologist, Clinical
8	Psychologist, Clinical
4	Psychologist, Senior Clinical
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I trust this information is of assistance to you. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

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