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Ms Claire Kerrane T.D.
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PQ ref: 50830/21

**To ask the Minister for Health if there are current vacancies in a facility (details supplied); and if he will make a statement on the matter.*

*E-Mental Health Hub, Castlerea, Co. Roscommon**

Dear Deputy Kerrane,

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;

In relation to the Psychiatry of Later Life (POLL) Day Hospital service in Aras Naomh Chaolain, Castlerea, the NCHD post has been recruited. The remaining posts, as outlined below, are going through the recruitment process at the moment and they will be filled as soon as possible. Funding will be allocated to GRMHS for the posts as the staff are appointed.

- Consultant Psychiatrist
- Advance Nurse Practitioner
- Social Worker
- Clinical Nurse Specialist
- Senior Psychologist
- Senior Occupational Therapist



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In relation to the CAMHS Connect Services the remaining post to be filled, as outlined below, are at an advanced stage of recruitment at the moment and they will be filled as soon as possible. Funding will be allocated to GRMHS for the posts as the staff are appointed.

- Clinical Nurse Specialist
- Senior Psychologist
- Senior Occupational Therapist

I trust this information is of assistance to you, but should you have any further queries, please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Charlie Meehan
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