

10th November, 2021

Mr Ruairí Ó Murchú T.D.,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

Re: Parliamentary Question – 51621/21

To ask the Minister for Health the number of posts through (details supplied) that will be provided to CHO8; the expected timeframe for the recruitment for these posts; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Ruairí Ó Murchú

(Details) interRAI Ireland - <https://www.kildarestreet.com/debates/?id=2021-09-30a.630&s=home+carers+speaker>

Dear Deputy Ó Murchú,

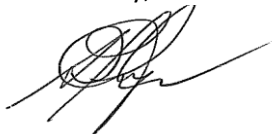
The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and I outline the position as follows.

CHO 8 are piloting the roll out of the InterRAI System, referred to in your correspondence and are using existing resources to do so. A national recruitment campaign is due to commence to employ 130 staff for the national roll-out of the InterRAI system.

In addition a recruitment campaign has been undertaken in CHO 8 to recruit Home Care Support Assistants, with anticipated start dates in November 2021.

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,



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