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Deputy David Cullinane, Kildare Street, Dáil Eireann, Dublin 2

Re: PQ 43100/21

- "To ask the Minister for Health if there are or will be any special procedures including supervision by an immunologist of persons who are vaccine candidates but are likely to suffer from anaphylaxis or another reaction; and if he will make a statement on the matter.""

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to your above Parliamentary Questions which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position

Specialist immunology clinics are available in the City West Vaccination Centre, and people can be referred by their Healthcare Provider. The vaccine administered depends on what the immunologists deems most appropriate after reviewing each client's allergy history.

For those outside of the Dublin area, Vaccination Centres have an arrangement with their local hospital to carry out vaccinations of people on-site at the hospital, who are at risk of severe adverse reaction.

I trust this is of assistance.

Yours sincerely,

David Walsh

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