

**19<sup>th</sup> December 2022**

Deputy Denis Naughten T.D,  
Dáil Éireann,  
Leinster House,  
Kildare Street,  
Dublin 2  
E: [denis.naughten@oireachtas.ie](mailto:denis.naughten@oireachtas.ie)

**Re: PQ/62911/22**

**“To ask the Minister for Health further to the response of An Taoiseach to questions on promised legislation on 30 November 2022 regarding the long-Covid clinic at the Mater Hospital, the current status of the clinic; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”**

Dear Deputy Naughten,

I refer to the recent PQ made regarding the Long Covid Clinic in the Mater Misericordiae University Hospital, which has been referred to the Ireland East Hospital Group for direct response.

I have had this matter examined and am advised that the Mater Hospital Long Covid Clinic remains active for return patients at present but in the absence of funding to continue this activity we will transfer patients to other sites with funded Long Covid clinics in early 2023.

I trust this information is helpful to you.

The Patient Services Unit  
Quality and Patient Safety Directorate  
Mater Misericordiae University Hospital  
Eccles Street  
Dublin 7  
D07 R2WY  
[patientservices@mater.ie](mailto:patientservices@mater.ie)

