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Deputy Brendan Smith. Dail Eireann, Dublin 2.

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## PQ Number: 7996/22

PQ Question: To ask the Minister for Health the level of funding provided in 2022 for the provision of mental health services; if specific funding is allocated for suicide prevention services; and if he will make a statement on the matter - Brendan 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.

The table below provides the breakdown of the NSP 2022 new development funding. In relation to specific funding for suicide prevention services €220k for CAMS training has been allocated as part of this funding.

Mental Health - Developments NSP 2022		2022 cost	2023 FY cost
	WTE	€m	€m
National Clinical Programme - Eating Disorders	25.6	1.15	2.3
National Clinical Programme - ADHD	17.5	1.13	1.8
National Clinical Programme – Early Intervention Psychosis	11.2	0.5	1.0
National Clinical Programme – Self Harm	6	0.32	0.42
National Clinical Programme – Dual Diagnosis	14	0.75	1
MoC Specialist MH Services for Older People	10.5	0.56	1.13
CAMHS Hubs	9	0.64	1.15
Sharing the Vision Implementation	2	0.25	0.25
Clonmel Crisis House	6	0.35	0.35
Crisis Resolution Services	27	1.43	2.85
Expanding community services	88.7	4	8
Expansion CAMHS services	48.4	2	4
Individual Placement Supports	0	1.25	1.25
Recovery Colleges	5	1.05	1.05
Peer Support	13	0.4	0.6

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	514	24.0	57.4
Total	314	24.0	37.4
Rent and costs	0	2	2
Mental Health Winter plan - Placements	0	0.85	0.85
Mental Health Winter plan - Eating Disorder training	0	0.15	0.15
Private Placements	0	4	5
NFMHS - removal of Night-time confinement	30	1	2
CAMS training (suicide prevention)	0	0.22	0.22

Just to note that there is a recurring budget of €12.3m for The National Office of Suicide Prevention.

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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