

28th February 2022

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Deputy Violet-Anne Wynne
64 Parnell Street
Ennis
Co. Clare

Re: PQ REF 8087/22

Dear Deputy Wynne,

I wish to refer to your Parliamentary Question *“To ask the Minister for Health the number of whole-time equivalent publicly employed non-acute Counsellors and Psychologists in County Clare in each of the years 2016 to 2021, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter”*

The position is as follows:

Whole Time Equivalent figures for Public Non-Acute Counsellors and Psychologists employed in County Clare are as follows:

Year	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
WTE	16.02	17.44	15.84	17.12	10.82	11.21

I trust this information addresses the question raised in your representation but should you require further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely



Mary Hanley
Head of HR