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## PQ 8958/22

To ask the Minister for Health the breakdown of the waiting lists in Galway for children for second, third and fourth psychologist appointments in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Farrell,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The Galway Psychology Department does not collate data for the timing of future appointments by second, third and fourth appointments, as these appointment arrangements are managed by each individual psychologist in relation to each individual child and their needs. Some children may be seen for a series of sessions while the majority will have each appointment arranged and planned according to their need.

I trust this information is of assistance to you, but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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