

14th January 2022

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Re: PQ 63527/21 – Funding, Cappagh Hospital

“To ask the Minister for Health if immediate funding can be facilitated to increase paediatric and adult care at the National Orthopaedic Hospital with particular reference to the urgent surgeries that await same and given the stress and anxiety that this delay is now causing to the children and families affected by same; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”

Dear Deputy Durkan,

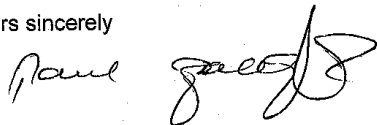
I refer to the above Parliamentary Question seeking an update on funding to the National Orthopaedic Hospital Cappagh, which has been referred to the Ireland East Hospital Group for direct response.

I have had this matter examined and am advised that the National Orthopaedic Hospital Cappagh and the Ireland East Hospital Group have made a submission to the HSE in relation to the future development of services in the National Orthopaedic Hospital Cappagh.

The submission includes a 10 Bed High Dependency Unit, 76 Bed Single Occupancy Modular Build and three additional theatres. The proposal is currently under consideration by the HSE Capital Committee.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely



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