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**PQ Question: To ask the Minister for Health further to Parliamentary Question No. 204 of 25 May 2022, if he will provide a breakdown of the make-up of a community mental health team by staff and funding; the location of the pilot demonstration sites in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Mark Ward**

Dear Deputy Ward,

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.

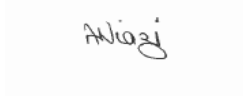
The pilot sites identified for 2022 are St Vincent's University Hospital, St James' Hospital, Sligo/Leitrim & Drogheda. The below table outlines funding/ staffing requirement for each team.

Round 1	Location	Liaison Support			Nursing Home Support		Total	Cost
		Consultant	CNS	Grade IV	Consultant	CNS		
#1	SVUH	0.0	1.0	0.5	0.5	1.0	<b>3.0</b>	€274,761.11
#2	SJH	0.5	1.0	0.5	0.5	0.5	<b>3.0</b>	€341,973.51
#3	Sligo Leitrim	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.5	1.0	<b>2.3</b>	€263,319.70
#4	Drogheda	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.5	<b>1.5</b>	€245,358.06
		<b>1.3</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>9.8</b>	€1,125,412.38

**Pilot Sites for Acute Hospital Liaison and Nursing Home Liaison 2022**

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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