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PQ41271/22

"To ask the Minister for Health the status of the annual financial supports being provided to organisations such as an organisation (details supplied) in County Mayo; if there are plans to develop a funding plan to create additional capacity to address business cases and emergency and future care needs; if there are plans to introduce adequate multi-annual budgets provided as well as capital funding and funding for transport and therapy supports; the steps being taken to increase funding for children's respite provision; and if he will make a statement on the matter".

Dear Deputy Dillon,

I refer to PQ41271/22 uploaded to the PAD System on the 25th of July 2022 and due for response on the 8th of August 2022 regarding representations you have made to the Minister for Health concerning "the status of the annual financial supports being provided to organisations such as an organisation (details supplied) in County Mayo; if there are plans to develop a funding plan to create additional capacity to address business cases and emergency and future care needs; if there are plans to introduce adequate multi-annual budgets provided as well as capital funding and funding for transport and therapy supports; the steps being taken to increase funding for children's respite provision; and if he will make a statement on the matter". The HSE has been requested to reply directly to you on this matter. Apologies for the delay in getting the response to you. The following response outlines the position.

The funding allocation that Western care Association are in receipt of from HSE CHW Disability Services in 2022 is: €42,821,599.00. All business cases that are received are prioritised based on need and the new funding allocation for 2022 as per HSE National Service Plan. The Department of Health published the Disability Capacity Review to 2032-A Review of Social Care Demand Capacity Requirements to 2032. An action plan is due to be published to accompany this review that will address multiannual funding. Currently a review of Children's Respite Services and models of service provision is being undertaken for all children respite services across CHW.

I trust that this response has clarified the matters that you have raised in this instance.

Yours sincerely

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