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PQ 30157/22* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the refurbishment, refit and extension of the Castlebellingham health centre to a new primary care centre; the estimated total cost of the project; the list of services that will be provided in the new premises; the expected completion date; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Fergus O'Dowd

Dear Deputy O'Dowd,

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.

The project to refurbish the Health Centre at Castlebellingham, Co. Louth has recently commenced, with an indicative timeline of 15 months to completion. It is expected that primary care will commence delivery of services from the newly extended area of the property in Q3 2023. The estimated cost of this project is €2 million.

Once fully operational, it is proposed to deliver the following range of services from Castlebellingham Health Centre:

- General Practice;
- Public Health Nursing;
- Physiotherapy;
- Occupational Therapy;
- Speech and Language Therapy;
- Psychology;
- Dietetics;
- Social Work.

Yours sincerely,

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