

25th March, 2022

Mr Thomas Gould, TD.,
 Dáil Éireann,
 Dublin 2

PQ ref 13943/22

“To ask the Minister for Health the number of full-time equivalent posts allocated to each role by children’s disability network team in Cork city in tabular form.”

Dear Deputy Gould

Cork Kerry Community Healthcare has been requested to reply to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which was submitted to the Minister for response.

Children’s Disability Network Teams (CDNTs) have been established to provide services and supports for all children with complex needs within a defined geographic area.

As part of the HSE National Service Plan 2021, a total of 100 development posts were allocated for PDS and its implementation. Under Phase 1 and Phase 2 CKCH received 7.5 wte posts with an additionality of 5.8 posts under Minister Rabbittes Special School allocation.

Please see table below which provides details of the wte on each team.

CDNT	Discipline	WTE
Northwest Cork	CDNM	1.00
	Physiotherapist	3.00
	Occupational Therapist	3.00
	Speech & Language Therapist	5.00
	Psychologist	3.00
	Social Worker	2.00
	Family Support	2.00
	TOTAL full time WTE	19.00
Northeast Cork	CDNM	1.00
	Physiotherapist	2.00
	Occupational Therapist	1.00
	Speech & Language Therapist	2.00
	Psychologist	1.00
	Social Worker	1.00
	Nursing	1.00
	Family Support	1.00
	Administration	1.00

	TOTAL full time WTE	11.00
East Central Cork	CDNM Physiotherapist Occupational Therapist Speech & Language Therapist Psychologist Nursing Administration Total full time WTE	1.00 2.00 2.00 2.00 2.00 1.00 1.00 11.00
East Cork City	CDNM Physiotherapist Occupational Therapist Speech & Language Therapist Psychologist Social Worker Nursing Family Support Total full time WTE	1.00 2.00 4.00 4.00 2.00 2.00 1.00 1.00 17.00
Central Cork	CDNM Physiotherapist Occupational Therapist Speech & Language Therapist Psychologist Social Worker Administration Total full time WTE	1.00 2.00 3.00 4.00 2.00 1.00 1.00 14.00
North Cork City & Blarney	CDNM Physiotherapist Occupational Therapist Speech & Language Therapist Psychologist Total full time WTE	1.00 2.00 3.00 3.00 3.00 12.00
West Cork	CDNM Physiotherapist Occupational Therapist Speech & Language Therapist Psychologist Nursing Administration Total full time WTE	1.00 4.00 3.00 5.00 3.00 2.00 1.00 19.00
South East Cork City	CDNM Physiotherapist Occupational Therapist Speech & Language Therapist Psychologist Social Worker Family Support	1.00 1.00 3.00 5.00 2.00 1.00 1.00



	Other Support	1.00
	Administration	1.00
	Total full time WTE	16.00
West Central Cork	CDNM	1.00
	Physiotherapist	2.00
	Occupational Therapist	5.00
	Speech & Language Therapist	5.00
	Psychologist	3.00
	Social Worker	2.00
	Family Support	2.00
	Other Support	1.00
	Total full time WTE	21.00
Carrigaline/Kinsale/Bandon	CDNM	1.00
	Physiotherapist	2.00
	Occupational Therapist	4.00
	Speech & Language Therapist	5.00
	Psychologist	2.00
	Social Worker	1.00
	Family Support	2.00
	Other Support	1.00
	Administration	1.00
	Total full time WTE	19.00
South Cork City	CDNM	1.00
	Physiotherapist	1.00
	Occupational Therapist	2.00
	Speech & Language Therapist	3.00
	Psychologist	2.00
	Social Worker	1.00
	Total full time WTE	10.00

I trust this clarifies the situation for you.

Yours sincerely,

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