

7th April 2022

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RE: PQ 15527/22

To ask the Minister for Health if funding will be made available for a group (Age Friendly Thurles) in County Tipperary; and if he will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Cahill,

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.

I wish to advise that HSE funding is available to voluntary organisations through Section 39 and Lottery funding schemes. I can confirm that Age friendly Thurles have not applied for support through either of these schemes to date and the closing date for both funding streams for 2022 has passed.

Age Friendly Thurles are welcome to submit a business case for funding, which will be reviewed through the normal process.

I trust this information is of assistance to you and should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours sincerely

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