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PQ 15899/22*To ask the Minister for Health if a response will issue to queries in relation to Ennis General Hospital (details supplied);and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Joe Carey

Details Supplied: Could you please arrange to provide a list of capital investments made at Ennis General Hospital from 2010 to 2022 and the costing associated with each project together with a listing of when new services that were facilitated by each individual investment commenced operation

Dear Deputy Carey,

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.

There has been an investment of €14.69m in Ennis General Hospital in period referred to in your query. A summary breakdown of the investment in major capital projects between 2010 and 2021 is included in the table below. Commencement dates for services are usually a matter for the operational managers at the location, however, the date (year) in which the work was completed is entered in the table.

Major Capital Projects							
Project Ref.	Facility	Brief Description of Project	Stage Current [Jan 2022]	Capital Expenditure 2010-2021	Capital Expenditure 2022 to date	Year of Final Bulk Expenditure	Date Services commenced operation
10018	Ennis General Hospital	Phase 1 of the redevelopment of Ennis General Hospital - consists of the replacement of two wards (50 beds) with appropriate accommodation. Includes fit-out of link to new block (section of existing building).	Operational	8.39	0	2013	2012
10018a	Ennis General Hospital	Phase 1a of the redevelopment of Ennis General Hospital - consists of the fit out of vacated areas in the existing building to accommodate Physiotherapy and Pharmacy (complete) and the reconfiguration of layouts and the provision of a viewing room.	Operational 2015	1.4	0	2017	2015
10018b	Ennis General Hospital	Phase 1b of the redevelopment of Ennis General Hospital - consists of the fit out of vacated areas in the existing building to a Local Injuries Unit	Equipping & Commissioning	1.77	0.01	2022	2022
10380	Ennis General Hospital	The provision of an Endoscopy suite for Medical Day procedures and a number of Isolation Rooms.	Operational	2.47	0	2012	2012
10846	Ennis General Hospital	Radiology Department upgrade and the provision of a CT Scanner	Operational	0.07	0	2010	2010
11417	Ennis General Hospital	Equipping of new OPD, including provision of X-Ray Room and other diagnostics (x-ray to be completed 2022)	Operational 2021	0.36	0	2022	2021
11473	Ennis General Hospital	Purchase of Highfield Park Ennis, adjoining the Hospital.	Operational	0.24	0	2019	Q2 2022
				14.69	0.01		

A list of minor capital investment totalling €2.83m at Ennis General Hospital for the same period is also tabulated below.

Minor capital investment is primarily targeted at addressing existing infrastructural risk and may comprise multiple low cost projects, all of which are completed within the year in which they are initiated.

Generally, minor capital investment supports existing services rather than new, therefore re-commencement of services would be expected on completion of any work undertaken.

Minor Capital Projects					
Project Ref	Facility	Brief Description of Project	Minor Capital Programme	Capital Expenditure 2012-2021	Capital Expenditure 2022 to date
71003036	Ennis General Hospital	Ennis Hospital Min Cap Budget	Infrastructural Risk	0.763	0.026
	Ennis General Hospital	Ennis Hospital Min Cap Budget	Infrastructural Risk	0.586	0
61002080	Ennis General Hospital	1069 MWRH Ennis - Equip Replace Programm	Equipment Replacement Programme	1.344	0
61002580	Ennis General Hospital	1022M Ennis GH - Design & Dignity Scheme	Design & Dignity	0.115	0
61001242	Ennis General Hospital	1104U Ennis GH - Equip (Scopes) Replc	Equipment Replacement Programme	0.026	0
				2.83	0.03

Yours sincerely,



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