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Deputy Jackie Cahill
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Re: PQ 21673/22 “To ask the Minister for Health when the new primary healthcare facility will be fully operational in Mitchell Street, Thurles; the number of general practitioners who will be operating from the new facility; the other healthcare services that will be available at the facility; 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 regard to your parliamentary question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

It is anticipated that the new Primary Care Centre in Thurles, Co. Tipperary will be fully operational by Quarter 3 2022. This is subject to the timely delivery and installation of the equipment to the Centre. I can advise that the General Practitioner (GP) Practice is currently operating from their designated area of the Primary Care Centre and I understand that there are two General Practitioners working in the practice.

The Primary Care Services that will be available from the Primary Care Centre are as follows:

- Public Health Nursing
- Physiotherapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Speech and Language Therapy
- Dental
- Podiatry
- Ophthalmology
- Dietetics

Child and Adult Mental Health Services (CAMHS) will also be available from the centre.

I trust this information addresses the issues raised in your parliamentary question.

Yours sincerely,


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