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22 June 2022,

Deputy Mark Ward
Dail Eireann
Dublin 2.

PQ 27228/22 To ask the Minister for Health the number of children that are waiting on inpatient admission to CAMHS; the length of time that they are waiting; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Mark Ward

Dear Deputy Ward,

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.

As of 22 June 2022, there are currently 4 children on the waiting list for inpatient admissions. The waiting list for under 18 admissions changes on a weekly basis. The HSE does not capture the time spent on the waiting list as all potential admissions are triaged and admission is based on clinical need.

Unit	Bed numbers	Waiting List:
Eist Linn	10	0
Linn Dara	13	1 – Awaiting bed in HDU.
Merlin	11	0
St Vincents	10	3 Of which one is in a general children's hospital bed. And one with a query re benefit of inpatient admission



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

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Tony McCusker'.

Tony McCusker
General Manager Mental Health Services