

6th October, 2022.

Mr. Sean Sherlock, TD.,
Dáil Éireann,
Dublin 2

PQ ref 48681/22

“To ask the Minister for Health the caseload and headcount of staff and children awaiting intervention in the East Central Cork Children's Disability Network Team in tabular form”

Dear Deputy Sherlock,

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.

Please see below table which outlines the current caseload of children and young adults, the number awaiting initial contact and the staffing on each Children's Disability Network Team:-

| CDNT | Current Caseload | Those awaiting initial contact | Staffing WTE |
|--------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|
| East Central Cork CDNT 6 | 444 | 72 | 15.59 |

We are unable to provide a breakdown of data on those awaiting intervention as at any one time a number of children may be in receipt of some interventions but may also be waiting for other interventions and without ICT systems we are unable to provide that level of breakdown at this time.

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Yours sincerely,



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