

17th October 2022

Deputy Catherine Connolly
Dáil Éireann
Dublin 2

PQ ref 48860/22

“To ask the Minister for Health if he will provide an update on the implementation of each of the 35 recommendations in the Maskey Report for south Kerry CAMHS in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter..”

Dear Deputy Connolly,

The Health Service Executive have been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted for the Minister for Health for a response.

As you will be aware, the Maskey Report was published on the 26th January 2022. Following publication a Local Implementation Group, which is Chaired by the Chief Officer, Mr Michael Fitzgerald, was established. This group is responsible for the local implementation of the recommendations of the Maskey report in South Kerry CAMHS initially, and then extending to all Cork and Kerry CAMHS teams. This will be delivered in close collaboration with our national colleagues in Mental Health and with the Office of the Chief Clinical Officer. The Local Implementation Group reports monthly to the Maskey Report National Oversight Group on the progress of implementation.

The Local Implementation Group (LIG) has commissioned a series of workstreams, each with its own Workstream Lead and each tasked with documented deliverables and agreed timelines, in line with recommendations of the report and known service improvements required in CAMHS. Each Workstream Lead sits on the Local Implementation Group and is tasked with reporting progress of each deliverable and identifying any challenges to implementation. The LIG also provides opportunity for collaboration between workstreams on delivering all recommendations of the report.

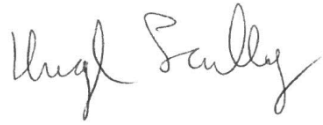
Good progress has been made in relation to the implementation of the 35 recommendations in South Kerry, to date 37.1% of recommendations are complete, 57.1% of recommendations are In Progress and 5.7% of recommendations have yet to commence.

Recommendations	Total (35)	Recommendation number 1-35
<i>Complete</i>	13	<i>Rec 1.2.4.5.6.7.11.12.13.14.18.19.35.</i>
<i>In Progress</i>	20	<i>Rec 8.9.10.15.16.20.21.22.23.24.25.26.27. 28.29.30.31.32.33.34</i>
<i>Behind Schedule</i>	0	
<i>Not Yet Commenced</i>	2	<i>Rec 3.17.</i>

I have also attached this information with a breakdown of each recommendation to this response.

I trust the above clarifies the queries raised.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Hugh Scully". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'H'.

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