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Deputy Paul Murphy,
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Dear Deputy Murphy,

The Health Service Executive (HSE) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the following Parliamentary Question, which was submitted to this Department for response.

PQ 43985/22

To ask the Minister for Health the number of HSE teams that provided on-the-ground support to nursing homes and the number of nursing homes that were provided with this support throughout the pandemic.

Since the pandemic commenced in March 2020 Covid-19 Response Teams, managed by a CRT Co-ordinator, were stood up in each of the 9 CHO areas to provide support; primarily in relation to Infection Prevention and Control measures; to approximately 604 Residential Care Facilities for the Older Person both publically and privately managed.

Yours Sincerely,

Sandra Broderick,
Assistant National Director - Community Operations,
Services for Older People.