

Head of Disability Services Cork Kerry Community Healthcare

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

PQ ref 7466/23

"To ask the Minister for Health if he will fund a community neuro-rehabilitation team to be set up in CHO4."

Dear Deputy Sherlock,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply to you in the context of the above Parlimentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

I understand Cork Kerry Community Healthcare (CHO 4) will received funding under National Service Plan 2023 to establish a Community Neuro Rehabilitation Team in this CHO.

I await further details on this in order to include this welcome development in the Disability Services Cork Kerry Community Healthcare Operational Plan 2023. This has been discussed by the Cork Kerry Community Healthcare management team and we have commenced planning for the funding. This will be in line with the implementation of the National Neuro-Rehabilitation Strategy and will be a welcome development for Cork and Kerry. We are in regular contact with the office of the Assistant National Director, Disability and Mental Health Services, Change Planning and Delivery regarding this development.

If I can be of further assistance please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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