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Deputy Bernard Durkan
Dáil Éireann,
Dublin 2.

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“To ask the Minister for Health the degree to which it is intended to ensure that primary care centres are provided throughout County Kildare with particular reference to growing population centres; and if he will make a statement on the matter.”

Deputy Bernard Durkan

Dear Deputy Durkan,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in regard to your parliamentary question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for a response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The Health Service Executive can confirm a new Primary Care Centre in Naas Co Kildare is planned to meet the needs of the growing population this is in the early stage of development. There are also plans for a Primary Care Centre to provide for the health care requirements of the population in Leixlip and Maynooth and this is at the early stage of development and discussions and negotiations are ongoing. We can confirm when reviewing Primary Care locations we review the population and the services required within that area.

The below primary cares are fully operational in the Kildare area.

Network	Primary Care Centres currently in operation
Network 10 - East Kildare & Blessington	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Vista Primary Care Centre, NaasBlessington Primary Care Centre
Network 11 – South Kildare & West Wicklow	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Athy Primary Care CentreBaltinglass Primary Care Centre
Network 12 – West & Central Kildare	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Newbridge Primary Care CentreKildare Primary Care CentreRathangan Primary Care Centre
Network 13 – North East Kildare	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Celbridge Primary Care Centre
Network 14 – North West Kildare	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Clane Primary Care CentreKilcock Primary Care Centre

I trust this information is of assistance to you but if you have any queries or require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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