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**PQ Number: 8843/23**

**PQ Question: To ask the Minister for Health the interim ICT system that CAMHS will be operating for electronic case file management; when this will be in place; and if he will make a statement on the matter. – Mark Ward.**

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Dear Deputy Ward,

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. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The interim ICT CAMHS system has had a detailed requirements process undertaken in line with standard practice for the procurement of ICT systems. Demonstrations of a number of systems has taken place. A paper has been prepared for the national CAMHS Oversight Group and subject to their approval, procurement will take place in Q2 2023 with roll out commencing as soon as procurement is completed.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tony Mc Cusker', written in a cursive style.

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**Tony Mc Cusker**  
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