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Mr. Michael Moynihan, TD Dáil Éireann, Dublin 2

PQ ref 9215/23

"To ask the Minister for Health when a community neuro-rehabilitation team will be established in CHO4; and if he will make a statement on the matter."

Dear Deputy Moynihan,

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 Children, Equality, Disability, Integration and Youth for response.

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

However, we await further details on this such as numbers of staff, budget etc 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 any further assistance please do not hesitate to me.

Yours sincerely,

Ms. Majella Daly,

Head of Disability Services,

Cork Kerry Community Healthcare

