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Re: Parliamentary Question – 9583/23

To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE vacancies by job title at St. Joseph's Campus, Longford; and when each vacancy will be filled, in tabular form. -Sorca Clarke

Dear Deputy Clarke,

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 outline a breakdown as follows per relevant care group.

Primary Care:

| Service | Job Title/ Grade | WTE Vacant | When will vacancy be filled |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|------------|---|
| Payroll | Assistant Staff Officer - IV | 1 | Recruitment process is underway. Awaiting offer to panel. |
| ECC Network | Clerical Officer - III | 1 | Recruitment process is underway. Awaiting offer to panel. |
| GP Treatment Unit | Business Manager - VII | 1 | Recruitment process is underway. Awaiting offer to panel. |

Mental Health:

| Posts | WTE vacancies | Estimate of when vacancies will be filled |
|------------------------------|---------------|---|
| Administration | 0 | N/A |
| Doctors (Consultant/NCHD) | 0 | N/A |
| Nursing | 0 | N/A |
| OT | 0 | N/A |
| SLT | 0 | N/A |



Older Persons:

| POSTS | WTE Vacancies | Estimate time of when posts will be filled |
|----------------------|---------------|--|
| CNM II | 1 | 4-6 months , CNM II interview planned end of March |
| CNMI | 2 | 4-6 months, CNM I interview due (no date agreed yet) |
| Staff/Enhanced Nurse | 6 | 2 months, all at the clearing stage at present |
| HCA's | 5 | 4-6 months, awaiting for the interview to commence |

Disabilities:

Please find outlined below the number of WTE vacancies by job title in the Children's Disability Network Team, Longford; and when each vacancy will be filled, in tabular form.

| Discipline | WTE | Offered to Panel | Outcome |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-----------------------|--|
| Senior Psychology | 1 WTE | Yes national and CH08 | No expression of Interest (EOI). |
| Senior Psychologist | 1WTE | Yes National | Closes 14/03/2023. |
| Staff grade psychology | 1WTE | Yes national | No expression of Interest (EOI). |
| Senior Speech and Language Therapist | 1WTE | No active panel | Interviews underway. |
| Senior Speech and Language Therapist | .7WTE | No active panel | Interviews underway. |
| Senior Physiotherapist | 1WTE | Offered to panel | Closed 13/03/2023 EOI received in post Progressing to next stage of recruitment. |



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| Senior Occupational Therapist | .8WTE | yes | Accepted start date agreed 18/04/2023. |
| CDNM II | .5 WTE | With job orders | Progressing to next stage of recruitment process. |
| Senior Dietician | .5 | With Paybill | Approval required by the Chief officer to fill this post. |
| Senior Medical Social Worker | 1WTE | With Job orders | Progressing to next stage of recruitment process. |
| Grade IV admin | 1WTE | With NRS | Progressing to next stage of recruitment process. |

I trust the above is in order but please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further queries in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

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Chief Officer
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