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Deputy Claire Kerrane Leinster Dáil Eireann Kildare Street Dublin 2

## Ref: PQ ref 3312/23

Dear Deputy Kerrane

I refer to PQ ref 3312/23 uploaded on the PAD System on the 19<sup>th</sup> January 2023 due for response on the 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2023 regarding the total number of step-down beds currently available in Counties Galway and Roscommon. The following outlines the current position.

There are no beds available in County Roscommon, the following template outlines the positon in County Galway:

Merlin Park Unit 6	13
St. Brendan's Community Nursing Unit	12
Total	25

I trust the above clarifies the matter that you have raised in this instance.

Yours sincerely

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