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Leinster House,  
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**PQ 32187/23\* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the new rehabilitation unit at Roscommon University Hospital; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Claire Kerrane**

Dear Deputy Kerrane,

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.

In February 2019 a Design Team was appointed for the proposed development of a regional rehabilitation unit at Roscommon University Hospital, and the preliminary design process was initiated.

This project was then placed on hold while Capital & Estates focused on the delivery of additional capacity (infrastructure and equipment) nationwide in the effort to contain and prevent COVID-19.

Capital & Estates are liaising with Roscommon University Hospital and Saolta Hospital Group on the recommencement of this project in 2023. It is intended that the design process for this project will be progressed in parallel with an updated spatial plan for the entire campus at Roscommon University Hospital.

Yours sincerely,

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**National Director**  
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