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Deputy Joe Carey Francis St. Ennis Co. Clare

Re: PQ 11128/23 - "To ask the Minister for Health the services if he will provide an update in relation to the provision of the Primary Healthcare Centre at Station Road, Ennis, Co. Clare; the services that are currently being delivered from the centre; the remaining services that will be provided from this centre; when it is expected that all planned services will be available from this centre; and if he will make a statement on the matter."

Dear Deputy Carey,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in regard to your parliamentary question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The Primary Care Centre at Station Road, Ennis, Co. Clare opened on 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2022.

The following HSE Primary Care services are currently operating from the Primary Care Centre:

Public Health Nursing (Leg Ulcer Clinics, Wound Management & Child Health); Speech & Language Therapy; Occupational Therapy (Children & Adults); Physiotherapy (Children & Adults); Psychology (Children); Podiatry; Breast Feeding Support; Chronic Disease Management Hub.

The HSE Primary Care services listed hereunder are due to move into the Primary Care Centre in the coming weeks:

Dental; Ophthalmology and Audiology.

TUSLA are also located in the Primary Care Centre.

I trust this information addresses the issues raised in your representation.

Yours sincerely,

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