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Deputy Violet-Anne Wynne
Dáil Éireann
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Re: PQ 17226/24 - "To ask the Minister for Health if ShannonDoc will arrange for a GP to call to a patient's home if they cannot find transport into the service; and if he will make a statement on the matter."

Dear Deputy Wynne,

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.

ShannonDoc have confirmed that they do home visits for patients with an urgent medical need. Where the clinical presentation dictates, the ShannonDoc Triage Nurse will arrange for the GP to do a home visit.

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

Yours sincerely,

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