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(Details Supplied in St Joseph's Community Hospital, Stranorlar, Co Donegal)

"To ask the Minister for Health the number of people on the waiting list for long term stay in a community hospital in Donegal (details supplied); and if he will make a statement on the matter."

Dear Deputy Doherty

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.

Having examined the matter, I can confirm that there is a waiting list for Nursing Home Support Scheme (NHSS) beds in St. Joseph's Community Hospital.

Currently, there are 14 people on the waiting list for NHSS beds, 5 of which are in Woodville Dementia Specialist Unit in St. Joseph's.

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

On behalf of
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