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Deputy Alan Dillion  
Dáil Éireann,  
Leinster House,  
Dublin 2.

**PQ 12331/24 - To ask the Minister for Health the steps that are being taken to train emergency teams and paramedics who attend serious road traffic collisions; and if he will make a statement on the matter. — Alan Dillon.**

Dear Deputy Dillion

The Health Service Executive (HSE) National Ambulance Service (NAS) has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Questions, which you submitted to the Minister for response.

The Pre Hospital Emergency Care Council (PHECC) <https://www.phecit.ie/> is the statutory regulator of pre hospital emergency care in Ireland. In this regard, Training and Education Standards, as well as Clinical Practice Guidelines (CPG) which determine practitioner scope of practice, are approved by PHECC.

NAS ensures that the latest version of all new CPGs are included in the education of Student Paramedics and the professional development of existing staff.

I hope this information is helpful.

Yours Sincerely

Robert Morton  
Director  
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