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Deputy Aidan Farrelly
Dáil Eireann,
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PQ ref 21501/25 - To ask the Minister for Health the primary care centres within CHO7 that currently have vision testing services.

Dear Deputy Farrelly,

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 a response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The Health Service Executive confirms that vision screening for children is conducted in schools by the Public Health Nursing Team. If necessary, children may be referred to the HSE's Ophthalmology services. Paediatric Ophthalmology services are available at the Kildare Primary Care Centre and the Kilnamanagh Tymon Primary Care Centre located on Airton Road, Tallaght. If required, clients can be referred to the Adult Ophthalmology service at the Kilnamanagh Tymon Primary Care Centre, also located on Airton Road, Tallaght.

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

Yours sincerely,

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