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Ms. Pádraig O'Sullivan., T.D., Dáil Éireann, Dublin 2

## PQ ref 4297/25

" To ask the Minister for Health to provide details of current difficulties with advancing the primary care centres in Glanmire, Blarney and Mayfield, Cork; and if she will make a statement on the matter"

Dear Deputy O'Sullivan,

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.

Blarney Primary Care Centre is at the first stage of the e-tender process and will be progressing shortly.

HSE Estates and Capital have confirmed that the Primary Care Centre located Mayfield/Ballyvolane is currently awaiting a response from Cork City Council regarding the planning application lodged.

The Glanmire Primary Care Centre planning application was rejected by Cork County Council last week. The developers, Glencar, are currently reviewing options on the way forward.

If I can be of any further assistance please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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