



4th March 2025

Mr. David Cullinane TD
Dail Eireann
Leinster House
Dublin 2

PQ 6974/25

To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth if she will ensure funding for dietetic services for adult disability services in Waterford; and if she will make a statement on the matter.

Dear Deputy Cullinane,

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

I have reviewed the matter and the following is the current position.

As per my response to you dated 28th January 2025 (**PQ ref: 46661/24**) the current position remains the same as outlined below.

The Disability Services Manager has advised that there is currently no Dietetic Service available for Adults with an Intellectual Disability in County Waterford.

The HSE acknowledge the need for dietetic support within the area of Adult Disability Services. We will continue to advocate for Dietetic Services, funding to address this need and explore all options available to us.

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

Yours sincerely,

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