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PQ 39176/25 – *“To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE staff, by job title working in North Dublin Integrated Care Programme for Older Persons Community Specialist Team; the location where this team are based; and the areas that this team covers in tabular form”*
- Paul Donnelly TD

Dear Deputy Donnelly,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question which you submitted for response. I examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

The Integrated Health Area Dublin North County (IHA DNC) Integrated Care Programme for Older Persons Community Specialist (ICPOP) team is comprised of the following multidisciplinary staff:

Grade of Staff	WTE	Location
Consultant Geriatrician	0.50	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Registrar	0.50	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Senior Physiotherapist	1.50	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Senior Occupational Therapist	2.00	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Occupational Therapy Assistant	1.00	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Physiotherapy Assistant	1.00	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Speech and Language Therapist	0.50	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Dietitian	0.50	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Clinical Nurse Specialist	1.30	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Advance Nurse Practitioner	1.00	Omni Centre Santry, Dublin 9
Operational Lead Grade VIII	0.33	Omni Centre Santry, Dublin 9
Assistant Staff Officer Grade IV	1.50	Omni Centre Santry ,Dublin 9
Total WTE	11.63	

This program operates in close alignment with the Community Health Networks (CHNs) serving the network areas of **Balbriggan, Swords, Kilbarrack, Coolock, and Coastal Dublin North**. These CHNs are the foundational structures for delivering integrated care at a local level, each typically serving a population of approximately 50,000 people.

I trust this information is of assistance to you.

Yours sincerely,

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