



11th August 2025

Mr. Aindrias Moynihan, T.D.,
Dáil Éireann,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2.

PQ ref 42381/ 25

“To ask the Minister for Children; Disability and Equality the number of persons with disabilities that received home support hours in CH04 up to July 2025; the number of persons with disabilities up to July 2025 that received personal assistance hours in CH04; the total number of hours provided in each category in CH04 up to July 2025; if the target number of hours for each category in CH04 up to the end of 2025 is being met; and if she will make a statement on the matter.”

Dear Deputy Moynihan,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to respond to your parliamentary question submitted to the Minister for Children, Disability and Equality.

HSE South West Disability Services, key performance indicator (KPI) data for Q1 2025 (January – March) for Home Support and Personal Assistants is outlined in Tables 1 and 2 below. Data for Q2 2025 is likely to be available from mid-August, 2025.

Table 1: HSE South West Home Support Q1/ 2025 (January – March)

HSE South West	Target	Actual
No of persons in receipt of home support hours	598	696
No. of Home Support Service Hours delivered to people with a disability (ID/Autism and Physical and Sensory Disability).	51,324	81,223



Table 2: HSE South West Personal Assistant (PA) Q1/ 2025 (January – March)

HSE South West	Target	Actual
No of persons in receipt of PA hours	579	593
Number of PA Service hours delivered to adults with a physical and/or sensory disability.	47,919	43,929*

*PA hour delivery target for 2024 was 128,844, with actual outturn of 184,005, 42.8% above target.

PA hour delivery target for 2025 has been set at 191,671, a 49% increase on the 2024 target.

If I can be of further assistance please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Yours sincerely,

Angela O'Neill
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HSE South West.