

Mr Alan Kelly, TD, Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street Dublin 2

13th August 2025

PQ 42426/25*To ask the Minister for Health the primary care centres within CHO3 that are currently under construction; when each of those projects will be completed; the services that will be provided at each PCC when they open, in tabular form. -Alan Kelly

Dear Deputy Kelly,

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

There is currently one Primary Care Centre under construction in "CHO3" namely Nenagh Primary Care. The construction phase is almost complete and the process of equipping and commissioning the building for operation is being advanced. A range of services are intended to be provided from the building which is expected to be fully operational by early 2026.

The services to be provided included the following;

- Public Health Nursing: PHN Wound Management Clinics/Child Welfare Clinics/Child Health Clinics/School Screening Service;
- Community Medical Doctor Clinics;
- Community Intervention Team (CIT);
- Ophthalmology Services
- Audiology Service
- Dental Services;
- Speech and Language Therapy Service;
- Occupational Therapy Service (Adult & Paediatric);
- Physiotherapy Service (Adult & Paediatric);
- Podiatry Service;
- Psychology Service;
- Dietetics Service:
- Social Work Service;
- Chronic Disease Services encompassing Podiatry Services, Nurse led Clinics, Cardiac Rehab Programmes, Pulmonary Rehab Programmes, Diabetes Education Programmes.

The Primary Care Centre will have a number of bookable treatment rooms available to community and hospital services for the provision of clinics in Nenagh. The following services will relocate their clinics to the Primary Care Centre when it becomes operational:

Diabetic Retinopathy Screening

- Counselling in Primary Care Consultant led Paediatric Clinics Womens' Health Clinic

- Parkinsons' Support Group Sessions
- Breastfeeding Clinic

Yours sincerely

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