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Deputy William Aird
Dáil Éireann
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Re PQ 42663/25

To ask the Minister for Health the number of whole time equivalent consultant psychiatrist and senior psychologist posts that were filled in Laois CAMHS in 2023, 2024, and to date in 2025, in tabular form; and if she will make a statement on the matter.

-William Aird

Dear Deputy Aird,

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. The following is the response from Midlands Mental Health Services, in tabular form as requested.

No of Consultant Psychiatrists & Senior Psychologist Posts in Laois Child & Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) 2023- 2025

Year	Consultant Psychiatrist WTE	Senior Psychologist WTE
2023	1.0	1.0
2024	1.0	1.0 <i>Post filled until August 2024</i>
2025	1.0	0.0 <i>Post remains unfilled currently but is being progressed through recruitment processes</i>

I trust the above is in order but please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any further queries in this regard.

Yours sincerely,

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