



Oifig an Stiúrthóir Cúnta Náisiúnta,  
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*To ask the Minister for Children; Disability and Equality to provide an update on the progress being made on rolling out the national information management system for children's disability network teams; and if manual data collection is currently in place for the Dublin and North East Regional Healthcare Area.*

Dear Deputy Byrne,

Thank you for your Parliamentary Question referenced above, which has been forwarded to me for direct reply.

**Childrens Disability Services**

In line with the Progressing Disability Services model, all 93 Children's Disability Network Teams (CDNTs), aligned to 96 Community Healthcare Networks (CHNs) across the country, are in place and are providing services and supports for children aged from birth to 18 years of age.

A National Information Management System for all 93 CDNTs is being rolled out and when implemented, will provide current data for all CDNTs.

Legal matters relating to data protection agreements with the section 38/39 organisations have now been resolved and to date 62 teams have been migrated from their legacy data systems onto to CDNTIMS.

Migration of the remaining 31 teams onto CDNTIMS is underway, 22 of these have migration dates confirmed across Q3 and Q4 2025 and work is underway with the remaining 9 teams to progress towards a Q4 2025 migration date..

Pending full roll-out to all 93 CDNTs, manual data collection from all 93 CDNTs is currently in place nationally as an interim measure.

Each Region, including Dublin and North East Regional Healthcare Area, gathers monthly data (Metrics) such as staff, children referred, waiting and seen.

Yours sincerely,

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## Appendix 1

**Table 1: National CDNT Interim Metrics end of December 2023**

National CDNT Interim Metrics ( December 2023)	CHO 1	CHO 2	CHO 3	CHO 4	CHO 5	CHO 6	CHO 7	CHO 8	CHO 9	Total
No of children waiting 0-3 months for an initial contact @month end	357	149	303	150	87	34	149	377	75	1681
No of children waiting 4-6 months for an initial contact @month end	257	213	295	147	112	85	114	401	82	1706
No of children waiting 7-12 months for an initial contact @month end	327	260	308	176	209	231	341	505	191	2,548
No of children waiting over 12 months for an initial contact @month end	374	378	431	467	1217	1049	2029	1064	2484	9493
Total no. of children on the CDNT waiting list @ month end	1315	1000	1337	940	1625	1399	2633	2347	2832	15428

**Table 2: National CDNT Interim Metrics end of December 2024**

National CDNT Interim Metrics (December 2024)	CHO 1	CHO 2	CHO 3	CHO 4	CHO 5	CHO 6	CHO 7	CHO 8	CHO 9	Total
No of children waiting 0-3 months for an initial contact@month end	109	175	247	157	82	61	151	296	48	1326
No of children waiting 4-6 months for an initial contact@month end	70	102	157	120	83	74	153	178	62	1699
No of children waiting 7-12 months for an initial contact @month end	58	136	298	104	150	138	325	282	128	1619
No of children waiting over 12 months for an initial contact @month end	405	242	605	305	1091	1228	1942	800	2358	6871
Total no. of children on the CDNT waiting list @ month end	642	655	1307	686	1406	1501	2571	1556	2596	11515