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PQ ref 32340/25 - "To ask the Minister for Health the locations within CHO9 area where HSE substance misuse teams are based; the number of WTE staff, by job title working in each of these teams, by location, in tabular form" Barry Heneghan TD

Dear Deputy Heneghan,

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

HSE Integrated Health Areas of Dublin North County and Dublin North City & West Social Inclusion and Addiction Services have advised the following:

| HSE Addiction<br>Clinics<br>WTE | GP  | Nurse | General<br>Assistant | Rehab<br>Integration<br>Service | Outreach | Pharmacy | Consultant<br>Psychiatry | Addiction<br>Counsellors | Admin |
|---------------------------------|-----|-------|----------------------|---------------------------------|----------|----------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------|
| Dispensing<br>Clinics           |     |       |                      |                                 |          |          |                          |                          |       |
| City Clinic,<br>Amien St D1     | 1.7 | 1.7   | 8                    |                                 |          | 4        |                          | 1                        | 0.8   |
| Domville,<br>Ballymun           | 1.1 | 1.3   | 4                    | 0.5                             | 0.5      | 3        |                          | 2                        | 0.8   |
| Wellmount,<br>Finglas           | 0.2 | 0.5   | 1.5                  | 1                               | 0.6      | 2        |                          | 0.6                      | 0.1   |
| Mews,<br>North Circular<br>Rd   | 0.8 | 1     | 3                    |                                 | 0.5      | 2        |                          |                          | 0.4   |
| Tolco, Cabra                    | 0.6 | 0.6   | 2                    |                                 |          | 1        |                          | 0.2                      | 0.4   |
| Darndale,<br>Coolock            | 0.3 | 0.6   | 2                    | 0.5                             | 0.7      | 1.2      |                          | 0.5                      | 0.3   |
| Mountview,<br>Blanchardstown    | 0.4 | 0.4   | 1.5                  | 0.5                             | 0.5      | 0.5      |                          |                          | 0.2   |
| Subtotal                        | 5.1 | 6.1   | 22                   | 2.5                             | 2.8      | 13.7     | 0                        | 4.3                      | 3     |

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| Scripting Clinics            |     |       |                      |                                 |          |          |                          |                          |       |
| Corduff,<br>Blanchardstown   | 0.1 | 0.1   | 0.2                  | 1                               | 0.2      |          | 0.6                      | 0.4                      | 0.8   |
| Thompson,<br>Grangegorman    | 0.8 | 0.8   | 1.7                  |                                 |          |          | 0.1                      | 0.8                      | 0.2   |
| Howth                        | 0.1 | 0.1   | 0.3                  |                                 |          |          |                          |                          |       |
| Swords                       | 0.2 | 0.2   | 0.4                  |                                 |          |          |                          |                          |       |
| Balbriggan                   | 0.1 | 0.1   | 0.3                  |                                 |          |          |                          | 0.1                      | 0.2   |
| Bonnybrook,<br>Coolock       | 0.4 | 0.4   | 0.8                  | 0.5                             |          |          | 0.1                      | 0.5                      | 0.1   |
| Kilbarrack                   | 0.2 | 0.2   | 0.4                  |                                 | 0.2      |          |                          | 0.9                      |       |
| Subtotal                     | 1.9 | 1.9   | 4.1                  | 1.5                             | 0.4      | 0        | 0.8                      | 2.7                      | 1.3   |
| Total WTE                    | 7   | 8     | 26.1                 | 4                               | 3.2      | 13.7     | 0.8                      | 7                        | 4.3   |

| Needle Exchange        |  |  | Outreach |
|------------------------|--|--|----------|
| North Strand, Fairview |  |  | 0.2      |
| Ballymun               |  |  | 0.2      |
| Coolmine               |  |  | 0.4      |
| Total WTE              |  |  | 0.8      |

| Services         | Nurse | Consultant | Counsellors | Admin | Family<br>Support | Social<br>Work | Service<br>Manager | Project<br>Worker | Social<br>Care<br>Worker | Education<br>Officer |
|------------------|-------|------------|-------------|-------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| SASSY            | 2     | 1          | 3.6         | 1     | 2                 | 1              |                    |                   |                          |                      |
| Keltoi           |       |            | 4           | 1     |                   |                |                    |                   |                          |                      |
| SOILSE           |       |            |             | 3.3   |                   |                | 1                  | 6.5               | 4                        |                      |
| Talbot<br>Centre |       |            |             |       |                   |                |                    | 2.6               |                          | 1.65                 |
| Total<br>WTE     | 2     | 1          | 7.6         | 5.3   | 2                 | 1              | 1                  | 9.1               | 4                        | 1.65                 |

I trust this information is of assistance to you but should you have any further queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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