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PQ 10052/25* To ask the Minister for Health her plans to roll out new primary care centres in Rathmines, Terenure and Baggot Street; and if she will make a statement on the matter. - James Geoghegan

Dear Deputy Geoghegan,

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 of Health for response.

Rathmines

As previously communicated, the HSE has concluded the process of purchasing a site from Dublin City Council with the intention of building a Primary Care Centre for the Rathmines area. It is a priority for the HSE to lodge an application for planning permission for the new Primary Care Centre as expediently as possible.

Baggot Street

It is the intention of the HSE to split the former Baggot Street hospital site into two sections. One portion of the site off Haddington Road adjacent to the former Baggot Street Hospital building, has been identified as a suitable location for the future development of a Primary Care Centre to serve the South Dublin Inner City area. An application for Planning Permissions for the Primary Care Centre has been lodged with Dublin City Council, the HSE are currently responding to a request for further information in relation to this application.

Terenure

The HSE continues to review its options for the delivery of a Primary Care Centre in the Terenure area and the adjoining Community Healthcare Network. It is anticipated that a site feasibility study of the current Terenure facility will commence this year in order to inform decision on next steps.

Yours sincerely

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