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PQ 11624/25* To ask the Minister for Health the status of the project regarding the HSE's acquisition of land at the back of Lusk health centre for a community nursing unit; if there is scope for the installation of a primary care centre as part of the development; and if she will make a statement on the matter. - Robert O'Donoghue

Dear Deputy O'Donoghue,

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 HSE have secured a site in Lusk town centre to the rear of the existing Health Centre. The site was initially planned for the development of a 30-bed purpose built Psychiatry of Later Life Facility. This site is not large enough to accommodate a Primary Care Centre and another facility.

Following a further review, approval was sought for the development of the site as a Primary Care Centre. A capital submission for the provision of this Primary Care Centre has been approved subject to funding.

The Community Nursing Unit currently located in Lusk provides Residential, Respite, Day Care, and Day Hospital Services for the North Dublin area.

Yours sincerely

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