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PQ 22162/25 *“To ask the Minister for Children; Equality; Disability; Integration and Youth the breakdown of all vacancies of personnel for all CDNT in CH09, in tabular form; and if she will make a statement on the matter.” - Grace Boland, TD*

Dear Deputy Boland,

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

The staff census that includes the full breakdown of each position by speciality is currently completed within the Children's Disability Network Teams (CDNTs) on a bi-annual basis. The latest staff census is anticipated for completion by the end of May 2025.

The attached document provides a breakdown of all assigned personnel, by speciality, for the 12 CDNTs in Integrated Health Area Dublin North County (IHA DNC) and Integrated Health Area Dublin North City & West (IHA DNCW), formerly CHO 9. The information in the appendix attached was collated from the CDNT staff census completed in October 2024.

Concurrently CDNT's submit as part of the interim monthly metrics, the overall Whole Time Equivalent (WTE) of the team which includes all administration and health and social care professionals. This figure is not further broken down by speciality. In this regard, I included the latest information from the end of March 2025.

	Staff WTE Allocation	Staff WTE in Position	Staff WTE on Maternity Leave
North Inner City CDNT	16.98	13.78	0.00
Finglas CDNT	27.96	25.36	1.00
Clontarf CDNT	24.83	18.10	0.00
Swords CDNT	26.67	16.61	2.00
Balbriggan CDNT	31.01	19.72	1.00
Blanchardstown CDNT	23.19	21.59	0.00
Blakestown CDNT	26.35	21.05	5.00
Cabra CDNT	30.60	25.60	1.00
Coastal CDNT	20.25	17.90	0.00
Coolock CDNT	17.25	12.75	1.00
Ballymun CDNT	21.41	14.51	0.00
Kilbarrack CDNT	27.20	21.40	2.00

I trust this information clarifies this matter.

Yours sincerely,

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Dublin North City & West

North Inner City		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clerical Officer	2	0
Clinical Nurse Manager 2	0	0.6
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	1	0
Occupational Therapist, Senior	0.6	0.4
Physiotherapist	1	0
Physiotherapist, Clinical Specialist	0.33	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1	0
Psychologist, Educational	1	0
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	2	0
Social Care Worker	0	0.65
Social Work Practitioner, Senior	1	0
Social Worker, Team Leader	0	1
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	2	0

Finglas		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clerical Officer	1	0
Clinical Nurse Manager 2	1	0
Grade IV		1
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	1	0
Occupational Therapist, Senior	2	1.9
Physiotherapist, Clinical Specialist	0.66	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1.5	0
Psychologist, Educational	2	0
Psychologist, Senior Clinical		1
Psychologist, Senior Educational	1	0
Psychology Assistant	1	0
Social Care Worker	1	0
Social Work Practitioner, Senior	2.9	0
Social Worker	1	0
Social Worker, Team Leader	0.5	0
Speech & Language Therapist	2	0
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	2	1

Clontarf		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Dietitian, Senior		0.5
Grade IV	0.8	0.2
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	1	0
Occupational Therapist, Senior	3	1
Physiotherapist	1	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1.6	2.4
Physiotherapy Assistant	1.1	0
Play Therapist, Senior		0.33
Psychologist, Clinical	1	0
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	1	0
Social Worker, Medical	1	0
Social Worker, Senior Medical	1.1	0
Speech & Language Therapist	1	1
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	2	1.3
Speech & Language Therapy Assistant	0.5	0

Swords		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clerical Officer	1	0
Clinical Nurse Manager 1	1	0
Family Support Worker	1	0
Grade IV	1	0
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	2.5	3
Physiotherapist		1
Physiotherapist, Senior	2	0
Play Therapist		0.33
Psychologist	0.5	3.5
SLT	4	1.83
Social Worker	1.81	0.5

Balbriggan		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
Administrative Officer, Senior	1	0
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clerical Officer	1	0
Clinical Nurse Specialist (Children's)	1	0
Dietitian, Senior		0.5
Family Support Worker		1
Occupational Therapist	2	0
Occupational Therapist, Senior		4
Physiotherapist	1	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	0.8	3.89
Play Specialist, Senior		0.33
Psychologist, Clinical	1	1
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	0.8	1.2
Social Worker	3.39	0
Speech & Language Therapist		2
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	1.6	1.5
Therapy Assistant		1

Blanchardstown		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clinical Nurse Manager 1	0.74	0
Dietitian Manager	0.6	0
Grade IV	0.9	0
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	3	0
Occupational Therapist, Senior	2.5	0
Physiotherapist	1	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1	0
Play Specialist, Senior	1	0
Psychologist, Clinical	2	0
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	1.65	0.2
Social Worker	1	0
Social Worker, Team Leader	1	0
Speech & Language Therapist	0	1
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	2.8	1.2

Blakestown		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
Children's Disability Network Manager	0.9	0.1
Clinical Midwife Manager 1	0	1
Clinical Nurse Manager 1	1	0
Dietitian	0.5	0
Grade IV	1.5	0
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	2	0
Occupational Therapist, Clinical Specialist	0	0.5
Occupational Therapist, Senior	2	1
Physiotherapist, Clinical Specialist	0.5	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1	2
Psychologist, Clinical	1	0
Psychologist, Educational	0	1
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	2.1	0.2
Social Worker	1.6	0
Social Worker, Principal	0.8	0
Speech & Language Therapist	3	0
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	2.8	0.2

Cabra Grangegorman		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clinical Nurse Manager 1	1.3	0.2
Clinical Nurse Specialist (Children's)	3	0
Dietitian, Senior	1	0
Grade IV	0.5	0
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	1	0
Occupational Therapist, Senior	2	2
Physiotherapist	1	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1.5	1.5
Psychologist, Clinical	1	0
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	3	0
Psychologist, Senior Educational	1	0
Social Worker	2	0
Social Worker, Team Leader	1	0
Speech & Language Therapist	0	1
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	3.9	0.7

Coastal		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
(Non-HSE) Early intervention Specialist	1	0
(Non-HSE) Health and Social Care Assistant	1	0
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clinical Nurse Specialist (Children's)	0.25	0
Grade III	1	0
Grade IV	1	0
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	1.6	0
Occupational Therapist, Clinical Specialist	0	0.125
Occupational Therapist, Senior	1	1
Physiotherapist	1	0
Physiotherapist, Clinical Specialist	0.125	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1.5	0
Psychologist, Clinical	1	0
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	1.6	0
Social Worker	1.8	0
Social Worker, Team Leader	0.8	0
Speech & Language Therapist	1	0
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	1.6	0.2

Coolock		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
(Non-HSE) Early intervention Specialist	1.8	0
(Non-HSE) Health and Social Care Assistant	1	0
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clerical Officer	1	0
Clinical Nurse Specialist (Children's)	0.25	0
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist, Clinical Specialist		0.125
Occupational Therapist, Senior		1.5
Physiotherapist	0	1
Physiotherapist, Clinical Specialist	0.125	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1	0
Psychologist, Clinical	1	0
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	1	0
Psychologist, Senior Educational		1
Social Worker	1	0
Social Worker, Team Leader	1	0
Speech & Language Therapist	1	1
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	1	0

Ballymun		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
(Non-HSE) Early intervention Specialist	0.6	0
(Non-HSE) Health and Social Care Assistant	1	0
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clinical Nurse Specialist (Children's)	0.25	0
Grade IV	1	0
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	0.4	0.6
Occupational Therapist, Clinical Specialist	0	0.125
Occupational Therapist, Senior	2.5	0
Physiotherapist, Clinical Specialist	0.125	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	1.71	0
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	2.5	0
Social Work Practitioner, Senior	2	0
Social Worker	1	0
Speech & Language Therapist	1	0
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	2	0

Kilbarrack		
	Filled WTE	Vacant WTE
(Non-HSE) Early intervention Specialist	1.8	0
Children's Disability Network Manager	1	0
Clinical Nurse Specialist (Children's)	1.25	0
Grade IV	0	1
Grade V	1	0
Occupational Therapist	2	1
Occupational Therapist, Clinical Specialist	0	0.125
Occupational Therapist, Senior	1.6	0
Physiotherapist	0	2
Physiotherapist, Clinical Specialist	0.125	0
Physiotherapist, Senior	0.6	0.5
Psychologist, Clinical	0	1
Psychologist, Senior Clinical	1.4	2.6
Psychologist, Senior Educational	0.8	0
Social Work Practitioner, Senior	1	0
Social Worker	1.6	0.4
Social Worker, Team Leader	0.8	0.2
Speech & Language Therapist	1	0
Speech & Language Therapist, Senior	1.8	0.8