

Mr Mark Ward, TD, Dáil Éireann, Leinster House, Kildare Street Dublin 2

29th May 2025

PQ 24064/25* To ask the Minister for Health her plans to increase the number of primary health care centres in the Dublin mid-west area; to provide a timeline of their roll out; and if she will make a statement on the matter. -Mark Ward

Dear Deputy Ward,

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.

For the purpose of this response the HSE understands the Dublin Mid-West area includes geographies pertaining to the areas of Clondalkin, Lucan, Palmerstown, Rathcoole, Newcastle, Citywest and Saggart.

Primary Care Centres currently being progressed in the Dublin Mid-West area are set out below:

- Construction has commenced on Adamstown Primary Care Centre with an anticipated completion date of Q1 2026. Subject to satisfactory completion the HSE will own this building upon completion of works.
- Subject to statutory consents and approvals, the proposed development of Citywest Primary Care Centre via the HSE Operational Lease model. This proposed development is presently subject to a third party appeal via An Bord Pleanala.

In addition to the above, two new Primary Care Centres were delivered at Boot Road and Steeple House in Clondalkin via the HSE Operational Lease Model in recent years.

The HSE is also considering future requirements in the Dublin Mid-West area, the decisions on which will be aligned and ratified aligned to the Department of Health's Strategic Healthcare Investment Framework which will be used to verify that all proposed future projects are being progressed aligned with policy objectives in order to provide optimum infrastructural solutions.

Yours sincerely

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