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PQ 26796/25 – *“To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE clinical psychologist attached to the Coolock/Kilbarrack CAMHS team; if funding will be approved to increase this number before end of 2025; and if she will make a statement on the matter” -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.

The Psychology resourcing for Coolock / Kilbarrack CAMHS has been two Senior Clinical Psychologists with an additional Senior Clinical Psychologist approved for Coolock / Kilbarrack CAMHS under Service Developments 2025.

This additional Psychology resource will support the team in meeting increased service user demand in as timely a manner as possible. This brings the approved cohort of Senior Clinical Psychologists assigned to the team as three.

One of the three posts is currently filled and the two vacant Psychology posts are progressing through recruitment stage currently.

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

Yours sincerely,

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