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PQ 54613/25 - "To ask the Minister for Health the number of WTE paediatric speech and language therapists based at Tonlegee primary care centre in 2024 and to date in 2025, in tabular form". - **Tom Brabazon TD**

Dear Deputy Brabazon,

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

The following is the 2024 WTE and the current WTE of Paediatric Speech and Language Therapists based in Tonlegee Primary Care Centre:

Tonlegee Primary Care Centre WTE by Grade	2024	01.10.2025
Paediatric Speech & Language Therapist (Senior)	1.5	0
Paediatric Speech & Language Therapist (Staff Grade)	1.8	1

Two staff members have recently departed from their roles at Tonlegee Primary Care Centre, one at senior grade and one at staff grade. Recruitment is currently underway to fill both vacancies. In the interim, the team is working collaboratively to manage workloads and minimise disruption to services.

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

Yours sincerely,

Fiacra McGuirk General Manager Primary Care Dublin North County