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Deputy Matt Carthy T.D.,
Dáil Éireann,
Leinster House,
Kildare Street,
Dublin 2

Re: PQ ref 48065/25

“To ask the Minister for Children; Disability and Equality the total number of children currently engaged with Cavan CDNT; the number therein that have Individual family support plans and/ or key contacts in place, in tabular form; and if she will make a statement on the matter.” – Matt Carthy

Dear Deputy Carthy,

I refer to your parliamentary question above which has been referred to me for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position.

Based on the nationally agreed CDNT metrics collated for all CDNTs in the six Health Regions across the country, the following table sets out the information for Cavan CDNT based on the August 2025 metric submission:

Metrics	Total Number
Number of children on open caseload at month end	361
Number of children with a current IFSP* @ month end	172
Total Number of children and/or their parents who were offered an initial contact, an individual or group intervention appointment this month	388
Number of children &/or their parents who have not attended a CDNT initial contact, individual or group intervention appointment this month.	87

**IFSP = Individual Family Support Plan*

Key contacts are assigned in line with the Whole Time Equivalent staffing available within the service and the number of children and young people, who on a priority basis, require same.

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,

Edel Quinn

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