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**To ask the Minister for Health the total number of drug detox beds within the State public health system; and if she will make a statement on the matter.**

Dear Deputy Stanley,

The Health Service Executive have been requested to reply directly to your above Parliamentary Question which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

The provision of a detoxification programme to an individual occurs after a comprehensive medical assessment. In some cases, it may be appropriate to provide the detoxification in a community setting, either via a GP or a HSE addiction clinic.

Table 1 below lists the number of beds available as of November 2025 in residential addiction services, including detoxification services provided directly by the HSE or Agencies that receive funding from the HSE, by County.

**Table 1:**

| <u>Tier 4</u>           | <u>Location</u> | <u>Treatment Type</u>                                 | <u>No of Beds Nov 2025</u> |
|-------------------------|-----------------|---|----------------------------|
| Aiseiri Cahir           | Tipperary       | Community Based Residential Detoxification            | 4                          |
| Aislinn                 | Kilkenny        | Adolescent Residential Detoxification                 | 4                          |
| Beaumont Hospital       | Dublin          | In-Patient Medical Detox                              | 8                          |
| Coolmine Ashleigh House | Dublin          | Community Based Residential Detoxification            | 4                          |
| Coolmine Lodge          | Dublin          | Community Based Residential Detoxification            | 4                          |
| Cuan Dara               | Dublin          | In-Patient Medical Detoxification                     | 12                         |
| Cuan Mhuire             | Cork            | Community Based Residential Detoxification            | 8                          |
|                         | Kildare         | Community Based Residential Detoxification            | 5                          |
|                         |                 | Community Based Residential Alcohol Detoxification    | 27                         |
|                         | Limerick        | Community Based Residential Detoxification            | 33                         |
| Dublin Simon            | Dublin          | Detox   | 11                         |
| MQI St. Francis Farm    | Carlow          | Community Based Residential Detoxification            | 8                          |
| Peter McVerry           | Dublin          | Community Based Residential Detoxification            | 9                          |
| Rutland                 | Dublin          | Residential Detoxification (Alcohol and Cocaine only) | 5                          |
| Sarmore                 | Louth           | Residential Rehab and Detoxification                  | 32                         |

I trust this information is of assistance to you, but should you have any further queries please contact me.

Yours sincerely,



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