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PQ 34563/17

* To ask the Minister for Health the total spend on homeless services by his department and agencies under the aegis of his department for each year since 2013; and the estimated spend for 2017 and 2018.

Dear Deputy Coppinger,

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

Below is outlined the amount of funding provided by the HSE under social Inclusion attributed to Homelessness in 2013 – 2016 and allocated in 2017 and 2018.

2013 Spend	2014 Spend	2015 Spend	2016 Spend	2017 Allocation	2018 Allocation
€33,004,720	€29,868,910 (€3.3m transferred to Tusla for domestic refuges)	€30,906,637	€31,539,472	€32,630,830	€35,000,000

Note: the above does not include a range of HSE funded general health services which homeless persons avail of including: acute hospital inpatient/outpatient services; Primary Care services, HSE addiction and mental health services etc.

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

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph Doyle". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and a stylized "D".

Joseph Doyle
National Planning Specialist