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**PQ 44083/14**

\* To ask the Minister for Health the number of detox beds for drug and alcohol addiction available here; the location of same; under whose remit they come; and if he will make a statement on the matter

Dear Deputy McGrath,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response. I have examined the matter and the following outlines the position of detoxification beds provided/ funded by the HSE.

**Medical Detoxification Units<sup>1</sup>**

Location	Number of Beds
Cuan Dara - Cherry Orchard Hospital	9
St. Michaels Ward, Beaumont Hospital	7.5

**Community Based Residential Detoxification**

Location	Number of Beds
Cuan Mhuire Athy Alcohol Detoxification	19
Cuan Mhuire Athy - Our Lady's Drug Unit	6
Cuan Mhuire Fernannes Co. Cork	8
Cuan Mhuire Bruree Limerick	28
Cuan Mhuire Coolraine, Co. Galway	21
Peter Mc Verry Trust Lantern Naul Co. Dublin	7
Simon Community Detoxification Dublin 8	11
Coolmine Ashleigh House	2/3
Coolmine Lodge	4
MQI St. Francis Farm, Tullow. Co. Carlow	10
<b>Total:</b>	<b>117</b>

<sup>1</sup> Note there are 6.5 Stabilisation beds that can be used interchangeably depending on need for detoxification within the Medical Detoxification Units

## Adolescent Residential Detoxification

Location	Number of Beds
Aislinn Ballyragget Co. Kilkenny	4
<b>Total:</b>	<b>4</b>

I trust this information is of assistance. If you require any further information please contact me.

Yours sincerely,



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