



Ag Rialáil Gairmithe Sláinte
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ELECTION OF MEMBERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE SPEECH AND LANGUAGE THERAPISTS REGISTRATION BOARD (S.I. No 444 OF 2023)

RETURNING OFFICER'S DECLARATION Notice of candidates validly nominated in Category 1

Notice of election of members for appointment to the Speech and Language Therapists Registration Board and request for nominations of candidates for one electoral category was published in the Irish Times newspaper and on the website of CORU www.coru.ie. The closing date for receipt of nominations was **Monday 23 March 2026 at noon**.

The position as of Tuesday 07 April 2026 is as follows;

Category 1: Three vacancies for a registrant who is engaged in the practice of the profession.

Nominee	
Name: Antonia Hussey	Registration No: SL014484

Nominee	
Name: Chiara Healy	Registration No: SL010214

As the Returning Officer, I formally declare that as the number of candidates (two) is lower than the number of vacancies (three), the candidates are elected in electoral Category 1. The names of these candidates will be submitted to the Minister for Appointment to the Speech and Language Therapists Registration Board as a member engaged in the practice of the profession.

One vacancy remains to be filled.

As the Returning Officer, I formally declare that, in accordance with the Health and Social Care Professionals Act 2005 (as amended) and the bye-law governing the election procedures (S.I. No. 444 of 2023), one member is to be appointed by the Minister under Section 28(6) to compensate for the deficiency in the number of elected registrants.



We the undersigned, being the Returning Officer, an official scrutineer and a substitute scrutineer, certify that the above is an accurate record of the outcome of the nominations process.

1. <u>Eoin SMYTH</u>	<u>Don Lynch</u>	<u>7/4/2026</u>
2. <u>CIARA LYNCH</u>	<u>Ciara Lynch</u>	<u>7/4/2026</u>
Print name	Signed	Date

<u>Carole O'Neill</u>	<u>7/4/2026</u>
Returning Officer	Date