

**Question for written answer E-001804/2019**  
**to the Commission**  
Rule 130  
**Seán Kelly (PPE)**

Subject: Mental health

In 2014, Ireland topped the EU ranking for the share of its population reporting chronic depression, at 12.1 %, while in 2015, mental and behavioural disorders accounted for at least 1 in 20 deaths in Ireland.

The Joint Action on Mental Health and Well-Being and the Mental Health Compass have been important components of the EU's response to mental health issues.

Can the Commission give an update on ongoing initiatives related to these programmes and outline a timeline for when results will be reported?