

## **Additional funding for foster carers**

The Health Minister has announced further funding of £754,800 for foster carers bringing the total support provided to them to £1.39million since the start of pandemic.

Foster carers provide care for children looked after by social services teams when they are unable to live with their parent/s. There are currently around 2,600 children and young people in foster or kinship care in Northern Ireland.

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## **Road resurfacing scheme for U1147 Ervy Road, Eglinton**

A £145,000 resurfacing scheme on the U1147 Ervy Road, Eglinton is due to commence on 25 February 2021.

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## **Health Minister announces grant funding to improve dental patient throughput**

Health Minister Robin Swann has announced funding of £1.5 million to help improve patient throughput at dental surgeries in Northern Ireland.

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## **Coronavirus (Covid-19) Infection Survey Northern Ireland – 6 – 12 February 2021**

The Department of Health today published the next in the series of weekly results from its COVID-19 Infection Survey (CIS).

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## [Mallon welcomes key milestone on Belfast Transport Hub project](#)

Infrastructure Minister, Nichola Mallon has welcomed the completion of the first key milestone in the construction of the new Belfast Transport Hub.