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Health trust bosses have today reacted to news that a top Government inspector is to investigate a series of deaths at a Hampshire hospital. Chief Medical officer Sir Liam Donaldson has ordered an urgent inquiry into the deaths of thirteen pensioners at the Gosport War Memorial Hospital.

As Nigel Burwood reports, the relatives of those who died have welcomed the news.

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