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Dear Peter

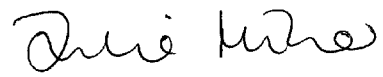
Meeting between HA, NHS South East Regional Office,
Hampshire Police and Commission for Health Improvement -
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Following a discussion with John James, I thought it would be useful to confirm the purpose of our meeting next week. As you know, at your suggestion, both the police and CHI are happy to be included in a fact finding meeting to enable us to share relevant information and to understand the next steps.

I understood following our conversation last week that the main purpose of our meeting is for the HA and Regional Office to hear the police concerns and to understand any referrals made to the regulatory bodies. John James has agreed to brief the meeting on the areas of police concern, the reasons behind the disclosure of expert witness reports to the NHS and the status of referrals to the GMC and UKCC. I will be able to provide an update on the progress of the CHI investigation, but will not be able to disclose any findings at this stage. Also, as the CHI investigation is still ongoing, and we still have evidence to gather, it would not be appropriate to discuss in any detail the events leading up to the CHI investigation.

I hope this helps to clarify both the police and CHI expectations for the meeting and look forward to meeting you next week.

Regards,



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Investigations Manager

c.c. Detective Superintendent John James
Dr Mike Gill, NHS South East Regional Office
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