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Dear

We have just heard that the Commission for Health Improvement (CHI) are planning to undertake a review in Sultan, Daedalus and Dryad Wards at Gosport War Memorial Hospital in the near future. They will be covering aspects of:

- Quality of care
- Policy and practice
- Communication
- Clinical Governance/Risk Management

The review will be conducted by experienced health care professionals who have undergone specific training in this role. It will focus on the present and not repeat previous investigations.

Over the next few days, a series of meetings will be held with staff to explain what is likely to happen. This is a learning process for us from which we can build and further develop quality patient care.

A steering group consisting of Clinical Managers and others has been established which will meet regularly. There will also be an "open forum" where all staff can receive feedback and raise concerns and questions.

Please contact your line manager and/or

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for further information.

Yours sincerely



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