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To: - JULIETTE DIAMOND
REF MEETING WITH YOURSELF
& SANDRA GRANT.

Juliette Suggested to myself
MRS Julie Ince that she required
a written Statement Reference
the Serious Allegations I made
to Pam Saunders on Mulberry
Collingwood unit on Tues 1st
October 2002 at approx 2pm
in Pam Saunders office.

Statement of Account.

I Julie Ince reported
to Pam Saunders the
Clinical Manager on
Collingwood Unit at the
above stated time the
following events

I gave to Pam Saunders
half a strip of Koragepam
which Staff Nurse Julia
Thornhill had given to me
to give to Patients whilst
we were working together
on Night Shifts on the said
ward above. I was to
Administer these to Patients
who were restless, agitated,
or wandering whilst Staff
Nurse Thornhill was on
her break, sometimes for
three hours if she had had
no sleep the day before,
this happened on many
occasions during the
past three year period.
This occurrence was
regular on shifts I worked
with Staff Nurse Thornhill;

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Also when Medication was given at 2200HRS, I would help Staff Nurse Julie Thornhill by taking Medication to Patients she had dispensed for. There was always extra Meds given to those presumed to be aggressive or Aggitated without Reasonable Cause.

The Names of these Patients who received extra Medication is as follows -

Grace Larcombe
Dickie Davis
DAVID Woods
Pamela Rowe
Ken Morrison
Glady's Mitchell

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Mary Connell.
Doris Pratt.
Say Lon.
Bob Kn^olton
Peter Gooden
Norman Coles

Also Staff Nurse Thornhill would document on sleep charts, that clients were awake when they were asleep and told HCSW to do the same.

I Realise the importance of these serious Allegations and have spoken out now because I feel that Staff Nurse Thornhill should be accountable for these actions, and prior to this statement I was happy.

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in my work, I felt that I participated as part of a team, and wanted to stay on Nights, other HCSW are also aware of Misuse of Medication, HCSW horraine Whetren, and HCSW Maureen Younger who left the Unit just ~~of~~ over 2 YRS. Ago.

Yours S. C. Inc.

<u>Patients Name</u>	<u>Where Now</u>	<u>Comments</u>
Grace Larcombe	Collingwood	DR MEARS
Dickie Davis	Collingwood	DR BANKS
David Woods	Collingwood	DR MEARS
Pamela Rowe	Collingwood	DR DAUD
Len Morrison	Redclyffe	DR BANKS
Gladys Mitchell	Redclyffe	DR BANKS
Mary Cannell	27/6/02 Dryad Ward	DR MEARS
Doris Pratt	Collingwood	Consultant - Dr Daoud
Say Lon	Home → back to Dryad → home today (8/10/02)	DR BANKS
Bob Knowlton	Redclyffe (trans 2.5.02 to Redclyffe) - died on 22.7.02	DR MEARS
Peter Gooden	Collingwood	DR MEARS
Norman Coles	12/9/02 Ranvilles	DR MEARS

East Hampshire **NHS**
Primary Care Trust

Our Ref: AM/ktb
Date: 3rd October 2002

Elderly Mental Health Services
St James' Hospital
Locksway Road
Portsmouth
Hants. PO4 8LD

Strictly Private and Confidential
Mrs. J. Thornhill

Code A

Direct Dial: **Code A**
Fax Number:

Dear Mrs. Thornhill

Following our meeting on Wednesday 2nd October 2002, I am writing to confirm your suspension from duties on Collingwood Ward at Gosport War Memorial hospital. This is to enable an investigation to take place around the allegations of care and treatment of patients.

The suspension is without prejudice and has been initiated to allow a full and thorough objective investigation to take place. This does not constitute disciplinary action and you will receive full pay throughout this period.

The period of suspension will continue no longer than is absolutely necessary and will be kept under constant review as developments take place. You are advised that whilst suspended you must not enter Trust premises or contact any Trust employee or clients without receiving prior permission from myself. You will of course be entitled to reasonable access to your staff representative. You are also reminded that you should be available to report for duty if so required.

I fully appreciate how stressful this could be for you and would advise you, if you feel it necessary, to use such services as:

- Your staff representative
- Occupational Health Service
- The Trust confidential advice service CoreCare information enclosed.

Should you have any queries or concerns in respect of this matter please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

Code A

Juliette Diamond
Senior Clinical Nurse Manager

- ✓ Grace Harcombe - collingwood
- ✓ Dicie Davis - collingwood
- ✓ David Woods - collingwood
- ✓ Pamela Rowe - collingwood
- Len Morrison - redclyffe
- Gladys Mitchell - - redclyffe
- May Connell - 27/6/02 → dryad ward
- Doris Pratt - collingwood
- ✓ Say Lon - home - back to dryad - home today
- Bob Knowlton - Redclyffe did ? date 22/7/02
transferred 2/5/02 to Redclyffe.
- ✓ Peter Gooden - collingwood
- Norman Cokes - 12/9/02 - Panvilles

where now

Grace Harcombe - Coltingwood
 Dicie Davis - Coltingwood
 David Woods - Coltingwood
 Pamela Rowe - Coltingwood
 Len Morrison - Reddyffe
 Gladys Mitchell - - Reddyffe
 May Connell - 27/6/02 → dryad ward
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**AGENDA FOR LOCALITY CLINICAL GOVERNANCE GROUP MEETING
TO BE HELD TUESDAY 27TH AUGUST 2002
COMMITTEE ROOM
ST. JAMES HOSPITAL**

1. Apologies
 - *Ros Butters-Moule*
 - *Dave Marsh*
2. Minutes of previous meeting (*25th June 2002*)
3. Matters Arising
4. Feedback from the Clinical Governance Advisory Group
5. Audit Issues
6. Critical Incidents and Risk Issues
7. Evidence Based Practice & Continuing Professional Development
8. Single Assessment
9. New Developments
10. Other Clinical Governance Issues
11. Feedback from Departments
12. Feedback from Carer's Audit
13. Vulnerable Adults
14. Any Other Business
15. Date of Next Meeting
 - *Tuesday 15th October 2002, 9.15, Committee Room, S.J.H.*

Richard Davis Admitted 3/5/02 2pm from J Peunds @ AM.
Dr Banks - Lorazepam Px

- 5-5/02 - slow + stiff on rising
- 6/5 more confused this am
- 11/5 + 12/5 - very bright this am
- 23/5/02 - unsettled night Maxine Brewer
- 4/6/02 unsettled night - K Kellelt
- 11/6/02 sleepy / unsteady on feet
- 15/6/02 quiet + subdued
- 19/6/02 sleepy + confused
- 24/6/02 as above - given Zopiclone pm
- 11/7/02 sleepy this morning
- 16/7/02 drowsy this am

only occasional night reports

Grace Lorcambre - admitted 28/3/02 from nursing home

Dr Meurs

Px Lorazepam 0.5mgs ^{8/4/02} ~~18/6/02~~ - ~~not given~~ pm given x2
1mg 24/4/02 - given night time (not by JT)

David Wood admitted 23/11/01 - Dr Meurs
not Px lorazepam

Peter Goodin admitted 5/7/02 Dr Meurs
Lorazepam pm

Say Luong - admitted 6/2/02 Dr Bank
Px Lorazepam 0.5mgs given x2 12/2 + 6/3

Doris Pratt - Px lorazepam pm - given earlier ~~not~~ this time

List by consultant

if px lorazepam

+ why

check to see medical fit

Investigations

- 1) L.W - to Hambrook - Sheila, Lesley aware Mary to talk to LW on her return
- 2) C. Keithbridge next on duty on 13/10/02
- 3) S.M (redcliffe) meeting on 31/10/02 with Sandra Grant
- 4) C.C - Mary to complete investigation. C.C remains sick due back 19th ? what happens
- 5) NCSW investigation GAW
- 6) J.H. investigation ? investigating officer

Christine Doyle - Wendy Ritter has application form

Sandra Wilson - needs secondment to complete conversion course - Mary sorting out place on Arc Royal.

Peter Austin - acting TI until 26/10/02 - able to do 752 etc. - sign risk event forms - extra support to bed finding / staffing Hambrook.

Rob Newman is applying for CPW secondment

Steve Jones - ~~has~~ ^{has} resigned from F grade post ~~yet~~ ^{yet} implications for on call bleep

Clare Thorpe - needs redeployment to SJM but currently has broken leg.

Nikki Domaris - seconded to Collingwood nights for 1/2 initially

Nights - Angela Davis back mid-Nov. to reduce to 30½ hrs
from mech

Jeanette Ricciotti has permanent 30½ hr contract
visit wards at night

Nursing review feedback complete except Lawns + GAW

Gerontological programme starts 17/10/02 - Action learning
groups remain same - Kim note

Review of Reconfiguration meeting mulberry ward in Nov. Decs costed
very poor care

NVP presentation 30/10/02 - Mary arranging

B.A.W.

G.A.W.

F.A.W. - Pat B needs 3 day first aid update - no funding

Exbury - need to check medical cover

Hambrook - Segregated pts. - Sylvia to do clinical assessment
if any change will need to discuss with Dr H and
Dr T and also let Mr Ford know

Wimbourne - medical cover

County Cottage - activity co-ordinator still going to
CC on Friday taking some EMM pts

→ Challenging behaviour meeting 4/11/02

→ PALS meeting 4/11/02