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Dear Dr. Knapman,

**Re: Norma WINDSOR,** Code A  
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Diagnosis: CLL  
 Ischaemic heart disease

My attempts to improve this lady's haemoglobin with a little iron have led to nought in the sense that her haemoglobin is today 9.6 g/dl. However her RDW has risen from 16 to 24 which does indicate, I think, that she is probably bleeding and responding to the iron. Happily the iron has also curtailed the diarrhoea. She is due to see Dr. Duncan towards the end of this month and in the interim I will arrange a blood transfusion because she is feeling really quite exhausted and at the same time we will perform a bone marrow just to reassure ourselves that her anaemia is not due to marrow replacement. When we have done all this I will give her an appointment to come and see me again here in probably about two months' time.

Yours sincerely,

Code A  
Code A

**DR. P. GREEN**

Code A Consultant Haematologist