

for patient safety and justice

Mr I Williamson

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Dear Mr Williamson

Gosport War Memorial Hospital Inquest

As you know, this charity is trying to provide some support and facilitation to families involved in the forthcoming inquest and to other families who lost a family member at the hospital. The pre-inquest hearing takes place on 14th August and provides an opportunity for the solicitor who will be representing some of the families, Code A at Blake Lapthorn Tarlo Lyons, to ask the Deputy Coroner whether he is prepared to consider more of the deaths than the ten he has already announced. I know some of you would like that.

I therefore enclose a short questionnaire to complete and return direct to the solicitors if you wish your family member's death to be considered by the inquest, together with others. I am sorry for the short notice, but if you wish the solicitor to ask for this you will need to complete it and send it to him as soon as possible so that he has it by Wednesday, 13th August.

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There is no fee for requesting that the inquest takes on board other deaths.

We will be writing again after the pre-inquest hearing to update you on developments.

Yours sincerely

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