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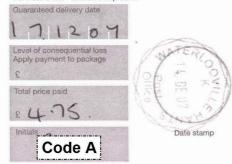
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14 December 2007

Dear Tasmin,

Please find enclosed documents for Wilkie, Stevens, Code A and copy of photo's as requested.

Yours faithfully



## ALICE WILKIE

#### Officer's Report

Number: R7DA

TO: STN/DEPT:	REF:
FROM: DETECTIVE CONSTABLE Code A STN/DEPT: OPERATION ROCHESTER	REF: TEL/EXT:
SUBJECT:	DATE: 29/04/2004
I visited Marilyn JACKSON at her home address on 11/02/2 daughters Emily YATES and Lisa PAYNE. The family had Alice WILKIE's medical records as supplied by the police as supplied by the local health authority.	gainst their copy of Alice WILKIE's records
The family will say that Alice was born in the London area of She married Albert WILKIE and had one child, Marilyn and initially as a tailoress and subsequently in grocers and news upon her retirement with her husband and upon his death she her daughter.	d adopted a son, Andrew. She worked agent type shops. She moved to Arundel
With regards to her medical history, the family can say	Code A
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# Code A

The family have read the police copy of Alice WILKIE's medical files and wish to point out the following.

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### ALICE WILKIE

Date and time of	ion to GWMH: 6 <sup>th</sup> August 1998 of Death: 18.30 hours on 21st August 1998
Cause of Death	
Post Mortem:	
Length of Stay:	: 16 days
Mrs Wilkie's past med	lical history:-
Code A	
Mrs Wilkie lived at Ac	ddenbrooke Residential Home a psychogeriatric care
nome where she neede	ed 24 hour care. Mrs Wilkie had a daughter and grand-
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### OPERATION ROCHESTER CLINCAL TEAM'S SCREENING FORM

BJC/52 ALICE WILKIE

# Code A

No grading

Exhibit No	Patient Identification	Assessment Note	Assessment
BJC/52	Wilkie, Alice		B2
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		Codo A	
		Code A	

#### **Expert Review**

Alice Wilkie

No. BJC/52

Date of Birth: Code A

Date of Death: 21 August 1998

Prior to admission to Gosport War Memorial Hospital on 6 August 1998 Mrs Wilkie received twenty-four hour psycho geriatric care at Addenbrooke Residential Home.

Mrs Wilkie was admitted to the Queen Alexandra Hospital on 31 July 1998 with an unresolved Code A She was transferred to Gosport War Memorial Hospital on 6 April 1998 for a four to six week observation.

The experts have noted that in the absence of any Medical Notes in respect of Mrs Wilkie's final admission it is difficult to make a firm assessment.

Dr Naysmith postulated that Mrs Wilkie would have died of her Code A in Gosport War Memorial Hospital whatever management had been carried out. A question was raised as to why a Code A with no malignant disease or fracture, required a dose of Diamorphine 30mgs over twenty-four hours but, in the absence of the above Medical Notes, the experts have felt it difficult to conclude, with any degree of certainty, as to their view of the level of the standard of care provided to this patient. No expert rated this case lower than 2B.



Edna Purnell		
	Date of Birth: Code A Age: 90	
	Date of admission to GWMH: 11th November 1998	
	Date and time of Death: 11.30 hours on 3rd December 1998	
	Cause of Death:	
	Post Mortem:	
	Length of Stay: 23 days	
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	eA past medical history:-	
	Dementia	
	TIA	
	Vaginal wall prolapse	
Codo	A lived at Addenbrooke Residential Home. She had a son. Mrs	
Code	Three admitted to Poyal Haslar Hospital Code A	
Code A	was admitted to Royal Haslar Hospital Code A  She underwent surgery on 26 <sup>th</sup> October 1998 of a Code A	
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# Code A



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Exhibit number Patient Identification Code A **General Comments** Code A Screeners Name: R E Ferner Final Score: **Date Of Screening:** 

Signature

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Officer's Report

Number: R7CZ

TO: STN/DEPT:	REF: (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1) (1)
FROM: Code A STN/DEPT: OP ROCHESTER SUBJECT:	REF: TEL/EXT: DATE: 13/04/2004
visited Michael WILSON at his home address on Satto his mother Code A b. Gode A d.03/12/provided Mr WILSON with a copy of his mothers me Officers Report 13G.  Mr WILSON made these additional comments.	turday 9th January 2004 (09/01/2004) in relation /1998 in accordance with the policy log. I dical records and outlined his concerns as per
Cod	IE A

#### Officer's Report

Number: R13G

TO: STN/DEPT:		REF:
FROM: C STN/DEPT: FCU FLER	ode A	REF: TEL/EXT:
SUBJECT:		DATE: 18/12/2002
eath of Code	A at Gosport War l	Memorial Hospital 3 <sup>rd</sup> December 1998 (03/12/1998).
On Monday 16th Dece Edna PURNEL born and was eager to tell n	Code A Mr WILSON	I visited Mr Mike WILSON aged 66, who is the son o who is not in good health welcomed me into his home
the stress he has been		problems, which he believes, have been exacerbated by cumstances of his mothers death. He is suffering from the aorta artery itself.
However this rate is di	opping the longer the con	ration which has a success rate of only about 60%. Indition is left. His wife or partner was very concerned ten a trigger for an attack.
Mr WILSON tells me taken into The Royal I all her wits about her.	hat on 26 <sup>th</sup> October 1998 Iospital Haslar . Prior to th	3 (26/10/1998) his mother fell and broke her hip and whis fall his mother, although 91, was sprightly and had
War Memorial Hospita	il on the 11 <sup>th</sup> November 1 with the aid of a frame and	le a good recovery and at the time of her transfer to the 1998 (11/11/1998) she was eating and drinking unaided was able to take herself to the toilet but was
Mr WILSON clearly ro she was relatively pain		had refused pain killers in Haslar and had told him the

mother did not require them.

recovery. He describes his mother as physically improving and mentally aware.

At this time even though his mother was old, he was very optimistic that she would make a full

On the 12<sup>th</sup> November 1998 (12/11/1998) his mother was given oral morphine allegedly for pain relief. At the time Mr WILSON complained, and questioned the use of the pain killers, when clearly his

On 17<sup>th</sup> November 1998 (17/11/1998) Mr WILSON again complained that his mother was being sedated and left in the dark permanently. She was clearly dehydrating and to Mr WILSON's knowledge she was not being fed.

Mr WILSON read in his mothers notes that Dr REED had recorded 'giving her fluids would only prolong her life.'

Mr WILSON complained so bitterly that staff called security and he was asked to leave. However after this incident his mother was provided with what looked like a saline drip.

On the 3<sup>rd</sup> December 1998 (03/12/1998) Code A died. Mr WILSON believes that the cause of death recorded was bronchial pneumonia. Mr WILSON believes that his mother was starved of not only fluids and food, but was given excessive pain killers which had the effect of suppressing her immune system and thus hastened her death.

Mr WILSON is not represented and has no wish to try and claim compensation. However he is passionate that justice needs to be seen to be done even though he quite openly admits that it is not clear what has gone wrong with the system.

Mr WILSON was very thankful to be able to get the full story off his chest. He tells me that his biggest frustration is that in the past no one has been willing to listen to his complaint.

#### **Expert Review**

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No. BJC/37

Date of Birth:

Code A

Date of Death: 3 December 1998

Code A lived at Addenbroke Residential Home at the time of her admission to the Royal Haslar Hospital to undergo surgery for a fractured neck of femur.

Following the operation on 26 October 1998 and the insertion of a dynamic hip screw, she was admitted to Gosport War Memorial Hospital for rehabilitation on 11 November 1998.

At Gosport War Memorial Hospital Dr Naysmith noted there was a readiness to move quickly from a Code A

## Code A

The experts have considered this case to be a natural death albeit that the treatment was sub optimal and that the dose of opioids was markedly escalated in her final few days.

Dr Lawson notes that in his opinion Code A would have died in any event without opiates being used. The medical records make note of the concerns expressed by Code A son as to the treatment that was being provided to his mother.

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### JEAN STEVENS



### JEAN STEVENS

BJC/46 Jean Stevens

Date of Birth: Code A Age: 73

Date of admission to GWMH: 20th May 1999

Date and time of Death: 22.30 hours on 22nd May 1999

Cause of Death:

Post Mortem: Burial Length of Stay: 2 days

Mrs Stevens past medical history:-

# Code A

Mrs Stevens lived with her husband and had 2 daughters. They managed all
a the mode to the Linchell Will William Table
Stevens was transferred to the Gosport Value and her pressure areas were 1999. She was Code A had an Code A and her pressure areas were
1999. She was ( Code A India and
intact except for a very sore [ Code A

### Code A

20th May 1999

## Code A

21st May 1999

## Code A

22<sup>nd</sup> May 1999

deteriorated very hubbly 20mgs diamorphine syringe

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Patient Identification

Jean Stevens Code A G100484

Exhibit number BJC-46

## Code A

**General Comments** 

## Code A

Final Score:

Screeners Name: R E Ferner

Date Of Screening:

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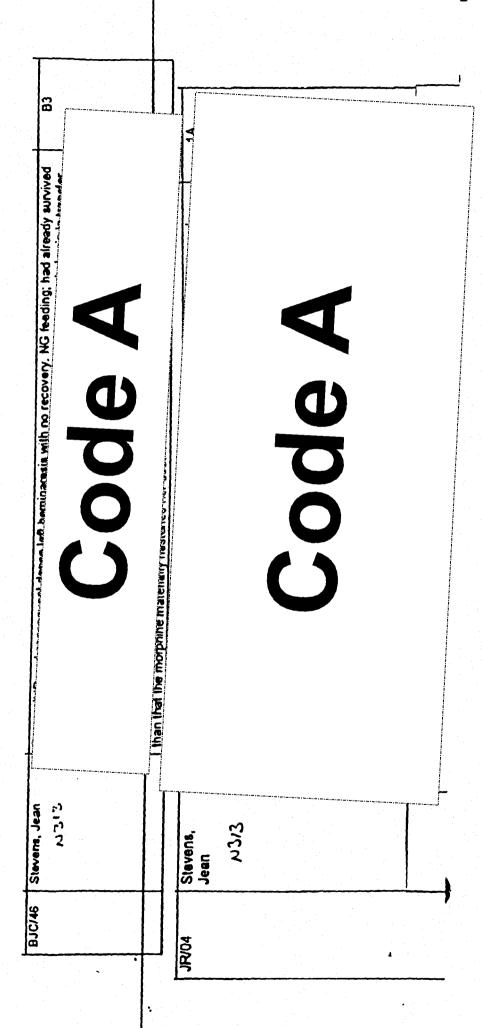
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Final Score:

Screeners Name: R E Ferner
Date Of Screening: 27<sup>th</sup> December 2003

Signature



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STN/DEPT: OPERATION ROCHESTER

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With reference to the meeting held by the clinical team on 29<sup>th</sup> February 2004 (29/02/2004) the following categories were given to the outstanding patients.

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FROM: DETECTIVE CONSTABLE Code A STN/DEPT: OPERATION ROCHESTER	REF: TEL/EXT:
SUBJECT:	DATE: 02/03/2004
With reference to the meeting held by the clinical team on 29 ollowing categories were given to the outstanding patients.	9 <sup>th</sup> February 2004 (29/02/2004) the
BJC/7 + JR/3/KMR/1 CARBY With the review of the requestegory was given.	uested Haslar notes no change in the original
BJC/22 + JR/1 HADLEY With the review of the requested category.	Haslar notes, no change in the original
BJC/46 + JR/2 ROGERS With the review of the requested category.	Haslar notes, no change in the original
BJC/76 with the review of the correct set of notes relating to give any opinion as the records only related to a period betwee records staff at GWMH and they are reviewing their search.	een 1976 - 1981. I have spoken to the
BJC/39 + JR/5 RAMSEY After reviewing the correct notes 'A category.	s for Joan RAMSEY, she was placed in the

BJC/46 + JR/4 STEVENS After reviewing the Haslar notes the team placed Mrs STEVENS as a 2B. They noted she had been receiving an Code A whilst at Haslar. Jean STEVENS was originally categorised as a 3.

BJC/58 + JR/6 CORKE The team didn't feel that this patient fell within the remit of Operation Rochester. However they did feel that the GP management was poor/negligent. They marked this case as a 2A, when I requested a score based on the information available to them.

In relation to the additional cases supplied by the police the following applies.

BJC/59 COXMary: 1B

BJC/77 CLEMENTS: 2B. I enquired if the quality of these notes made them legible, I was informed they were. The hard copy supplied by WORM is of poor quality.

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BJC/78 DONOGHUE: 1A. In the absence of the drugs charts but going on entries in the nursing notes the team were able to mark this patient.

BJC/79 + JR/7 SMITH Horace With reference to the requested Haslar notes, Mr SMITH was placed within the 1A category. He was initially placed as a 2 due to lack of information at the time.

BJC/80 BRENNAN: 1A noted that her daughter treated her. Her date of death is incorrect on the file.

BJC/81 BENSON: 2a

BJC/82 CRESDEE Olive: In the absence of any medical notes, nursing notes or drugs charts the team were unable to allocate any category.

BJC/83 HURNELL The team felt that there were problems with this lady's treatment but felt they were outside the remit of Rochester. They noted that the family had received an apology from the PHCT. This patient was sent to a psychiatric hospital as there were no beds at the hospice despite the family requesting she be returned to an acute ward. See O/R relating to HURNELL ref 'comments on finding'.

In relation to the records relating to Professor BAKER's report the following was concluded.

BJC/60 STANFORD Dorothy: 2B

BJC/61 WILLIS Norman: 2A

BJC/62 Code A : 2A

BJC/63 HORN Frank: 2B

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BJC/65 Code A

BJC/66 HORNE Phyliss: 2B

BJC/67 LAKE Ruby: No score due to absence of drugs charts, nursing notes and Haslar notes.

BJC/68 LEEK Mable: 2B comments made about doses of opiates being made late at night, why?

BJC/69 SKEENS Euphemia: 2A

BJC/70 MARSHALL Rhoda: 2B

Code A : 3B Dr NAYSMITH marked this case a '3C'. It gave the team a huge BJC/71

amount of concern.

BJC/72 SERVICE Helena: 3B

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BJC/73 BROWN Pamela: 2B concerns due to huge increase in dose of medication.

BJC/74 DUMBLETON Harry: Unable to access accurately due to lack of drugs chart. This case caused "high concern", suggested checking drug register for sequence of events relating to 07/06/1993 - 11/06/1993 where in nursing notes refers to sedated but concerns as to 'what with'.

BJC/76 Code A (see previous note)

BJC/77 CLEMENTS Doris: 2B medical team notes legible but WORM copy poor.

I have made enquiries with ref to Gladis RICHARD with Janice RIX at Royal Naval Institute of Medicine Code A She will raise the records relating to RICHARDS and if the required authorities are in place, release the originals. If not then she will allow access to document at the institute. I await her call upon finding them. I have updated GWMH in relation to Code A hey are taking further searches for any other files relating to Code A

The medical team pointed out that some records relating to BJC/70 + BJC/72 had been mixed up between both sets on the DVD/CD.

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### STATEMENT PRINT

Forenames: ERNEST JOHN				
Age: 77	Date of Birth:	Code A		
Address:	Code	A		CaseA
Occupation: RETIRED AMBULAN	NCE DRIVER			
Telephone No.:				
Statement Date: Code A				
Appearance Code:	Height: 1.73		Build:	
Hair Details: Position	<u>Style</u>	Colour		
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I live at the address known to the Police. I am the widower of Jean Irene STEVENS, who died on  $22^{nd}$  May 1999 (22/05/1999) at the Gosport War Memorial Hospital, Bury Rd, Gosport Ihave been asked to provide some background information about my wife.

My wife was born on **Code A** in Gosport, Hampshire. Her parents were Harry and Eleanor Victoria COLLINGS. She was one of five children, all girls. Two of her sisters died in their teens due something like diphtheria or T.B. and her other sisters, Lillian and Iris died around the age of 70 years and 80 years.

Harry COLLINS died around the age of 79 years of bronchial pneumonia and Eleanor died around the age of 69 years from lung cancer.

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My wife worked throughout her life as a shop assistant or canteen assistant.

We had two children, Carol in 1946 and June in 1949. Both pregnancies were straightforward with no complications.

My wife was relatively healthy but in 1994 she began to experience stomach trouble, she was experiencing a lot of pain and discomfort.

She was admitted to Haslar Hospital in Gosport for an exploratory operation, during which they removed her appendix. The problem persisted and in 1996 she was again admitted to Haslar where she was diagnosed as suffering from diverticulitis. She underwent surgery and had a small part of her bowel removed.

# Code A

# Code A

On Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April 1999 (25/04/1999) we spent the day at home. Jean had cooked a roast dinner and tidied everything away as usual. We had our usual night cap before Jean went to get ready for bed.

I heard a thud and went to see what had happened, I found Jean lying semi conscious in the bathroom. I called an ambulance and Jean was taken to Haslar Hospital in the early hours of Monday 26<sup>th</sup> April.

By visiting hours that evening Jean was propped up in bed fully conscious. She had lost the use of her left arm and leg but was fully alert and able to speak.

She had lost the ability to swallow and was being fed through a tube. She had to leam to swallow again in order to be moved to a rehabilitation ward before she could come home.

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At one point it was thought that Jean had suffered a small heart attack and she was admitted into the CCU (coronary care unit) at Haslar overnight as a precaution. There were no other attacks and Jean

only spent one night in the unit.

I spent everyday with Jean and I could see her getting better. The stroke had only effected her left

side.

Jean made very good progress and was reviewed by a Dr. LORD, from the Gosport War Memorial

Hospital. Dr LORD said that Jean had a sufficient enough swallow for her to accept her on to the

rehabilitation ward at the Gosport War Memorial hospital. It was arranged that Jean would be

transferred to the Gosport War Memorial hospital on Thursday 20th May 1999 (20/05/1999).

During the evening of Wednesday 19th May 1999 (19/05/1999), Jean was visited by June and her

husband Ted. I had spent the day with Jean as usual and June had come in after she had finished

work.

We were all in good spirits as Jean was moving towards coming home. We were planning a big

family party for when she came out of the War Memorial hospital.

I left Jean happy and in good spirits. I was told that Jean would be transferred to Deadalus ward

around lunch time the following day and that I should visit her at the Gosport War Memorial Hospital

after 1pm (1300 hrs).

At 1.30pm (1330hrs) on Thursday 20th May 1999 (20/05/1999) I arrived at the ward. had to wait to

see Jean as the nurse said that they were settling her in.

I was shown into a cubicle opposite the nurses desk, Saw that Jean was lying in bed with her eyes

closed. I would describe her as being in a coma. She did not move, she did not speak she did not

respond in anyway to my being there. I was stunned by her condition.

I stayed with Jean all night, I sat next to her bed and held her hand.

I did not know what was going on or why Jean had deteriorated so quickly. No one came and told me

what was happening. I was totally shocked and distraught.

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I could hear the noise of a machine coming from Jeans bed and I could smell a sickly smell. I used to work as an ambulance man and I recognised the smell as being morphine.

On Friday 21st May 1999 (21/05/1999), at some point during the afternoon, I was approached by a man called Phillip. He was a charge nurse or 'sister' on the ward. He said to me something along the lines of 'your wife is in a lot of pain, can we have your permission to double her morphine?'

I felt very confused and upset, I did not understand what was happening but I was very concerned for my wife's well being. I thought that if the staff thought my wife was in pain then they knew best. I gave my 'permission' to Phillip for my wife's morphine to be increased.

He told me that he would phone Dr. BARTON for her permission to increase the dose.

Around 8.30pm (2030hrs) on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1999 (22/05/1999) Jean died.

From the time I saw her at the Gosport War Memorial Hospital, I only saw her open her eyes once.

I never heard her make any sound at all, nor did I see her give any physical indication that she was in pain or discomfort.

I know that my wife had a syringe driver, I saw the tube going into her stomach and I could hear the sound of its motor.

After Jean died the driver was still going and I asked the staff to switch it off after abouthalf an hour as I could not stand the sound of it.

Jeans death certificate gives her cause of death as Cerebrovasculer accident, which I understand to be a stroke.

Her death certificate was signed by Dr. BARTON.

My wife is buried at Ann Hill Cemetery, Gosport.

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Whilst Jean was at the Gosport War Memorial Hospital, I never saw or spoke to any doctors and the only person who spoke to me about my wife's condition was the male nurse Phillip on that one occasion.

Signed:

**EJSTEVENS** 

Signature witnessed by:

Statement number: \$211A

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# STATEMENT PRINT

Surname: STEVENS		
Forenames: ERNEST JOHN		
Age: 77		
Addres Code A	Code A	
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Statement Date:		
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Further to my statement dated 16th April 2004 (16/04/2004) I wish to add the following:

Jean had her operation to have her appendix removed sometime in the late 1970's and not 1994 as stated in my previous statement.

Signed:

**EJSTEVENS** 

Signature witnessed by:

Statement number: \$209

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## STATEMENT PRINT

Forenames: JUNE MARY		
Age: 54	Code A	
Addres	Code A	
Occupation: CLEANER		
Statement Date: Code A		
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I live at the address known to the Police. I have been married to Edward BAILEY for the past 37 years.

I am the daughter of Ernest and Jean STEVENS. My Dad is still alive and my Mum died at the Gosport War Memorial Hospital on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1999 (22/05/199).

I have been asked if I can remember the events leading up to my Mum's death.

On Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> April 1999 (25/04/1999) my Mum had a stroke, she was taken to Haslar Hospital in Gosport. By the following evening she was propped up in bed and chatting away happily. She had

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lost the use of her left arm and leg but she was able to talk as before and she still had all her faculties.

My Mum continued to get better and arrangements were made for Mum to be transferred to the

Gosport War Memorial Hospital to the stroke ward.

She was due to be moved on Thursday 20th May 1999 (20/05/1999) and I visited her on the

Wednesday evening. Dad and Ted were there and Mum was in good spirits. We were all laughing

and joking and planning a big family party for when Mum came home. Mum and I were talking

about perming her hair and she was talking to Ted about her garden. You would never have known

that Mum had suffered a stroke to look at her, she looked so well. Her skin had a lovely colour and

she was so happy and cheerful.

I left her around 9.30pm (2130hrs) and my last words to her were 'the next time I see you it will be at

the War Memorial'

Around 6pm (1800hrs) on Thursday 20th May1999 (20/05/1999), I went to Daedalus ward at the

Gosport War Memorial Hospital. I walked along the corridor with my Dad and walked past a single

room where an elderly lady was sleeping. I carried on walking but my Dad called me back. He took

me into the room where the old lady was asleep. I was totally stunned, this woman was my Mum.

She was totally unrecognisable as the woman I had said goodbye to the night before.

Her eyes were closed and she appeared to be in a coma. I took hold of her hand but she didn't react. I

could hear the sound of a machine working. It sounded so loud as the room was very quiet. I looked

underneath my Mums bedclothes and I saw a machine lying on her stomach. Throughout my visit I

didn't hear or see anything which would indicate that my Mum was in any pain. She never made a

sound or movement at all.

Around 6pm (1800hrs) on Friday 21st May 1999 (21/05/1999), I visited my Mum with Ted My Dad

was there as always.

I talked to my Mum and held her hand. She didn't respond in anyway. We left around 10 pm

(2200hrs).

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During the morning of Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 1999 (22/05/1999), I received a telephone call for a man

who identified himself to me as 'Phillip from the War Memorial' he asked me if I could come over

straight away as my Mum was deteriorating.

Between 1-130pm (1300-1330hrs) I arrived at the hospital with my son Steven. The male nurse

Phillip, took us in to a room. He told us that my Mum was deteriorating. Steven asked him if the

move from Haslar Hospital had put Mum into a coma and Phillip replied that it didn't help her.

I was very upset and crying, I went into see my Mum. Dad was sat holding her hand. I stayed with

my Mum until about 10 pm (2200 hrs) during the entire visit she never moved or displayed any

emotion.

I was taken home by my daughter Susan, and had only been indoors for a few minutes when the

hospital rang to say that my Mum had died.

I went straight back to the hospital and saw my Mum, I remember that I could still hear the sound of

the motor of the pump.

I have been asked if I was spoken to by any member of the hospital staff in relation to the treatment

of my Mum I was never informed of anything apart from when Phillip spoke to me on the telephone

and later in his office about my Mum getting worse.

Signed:

**JBAILEY** 

Signature witnessed by:

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I live at the address known to the Police and I am married to June BAILEY, nee STEVENS.

I married June in 1969 and knew her mother Jean STEVENS for some 39 years prior toher death in 1999.

I have been asked if I can recall any of the events that took place whilst Jean was in hospital just before she died on 22nd May 1999 (22/05/1999).

I remember that Jean had a stroke on Sunday 25th April 1999 (25/04/1999), it happened late at night and Emie, her husband rang me the next morning to tell us what had happened.

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Jean was taken to Haslar Hospital in Gosport and June and I visited her that Monday evening

(26/04/99) (26/04/1999).

The first thing that Jean wanted to know was had I had my dinner. She was fully lucid and in good

spirits. She had lost the use in her left arm and leg but apart from that you wouldn't know that there

was anything wrong with her.

I remember that she gave me an unused specimen bottle that she had put by for me, she thought that I

could use it to keep my screws in it, in my shed.

I saw Jean on Wednesday 19th May. I took June into visit after she had finished work, so this would

have been around 6pm (1800hrs).

June had rushed in from work and hadn't had a chance to have a drink so I took her off for a coffee

shortly after we got to the hospital. Jean made a comment that we weren't staying long. That evening

we chatted about having a big party when she came home. It was not the sort of conversation you

have to cheer some one up, we were all looking forward to Jean coming home.

I remember that it was a warm evening and Jean asked me to get her a damp tissue to mop her face

with. She sent me back to the sink 8 times before it was cold enough for her. The whole visit was

spent laughing and joking.

On Thursday 20th May 1999 (20/05/1999), Jean was due to be moved to the Gosport War Memorial

Hospital for rehabilitation in the stroke ward.

On Friday 21st May 1999 (21/05/1999) I took June to visit Jean at the War Memorial Hospital. I was

shocked at the condition of her. She was lying motionless in bed. I was so upset I cried. I took her

hand and there was no response, at one point she opened her eyes but there was no recognition in

them or any emotion.

I could hear the sound of a whirring motor and I could smell a horrible smell. I asked Ernie what it

was and he told me it was the smell of morphine.



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That was the last time I saw Jean alive.