

Dear «FirstName»

You may be aware that Hampshire Constabulary are investigating allegations that over a number of years elderly patients at Gosport War Memorial Hospital have been administered inappropriate pain relief which have resulted in the premature deaths of a number of those patients.

I have been advised by Hampshire Constabulary that officers wish to speak to members of staff who worked at Gosport War Memorial Hospital since 1988, including yourself, to ask some general questions about patient care and the use of diamorphine. The police have asked me to assure you that you are not a suspect in this investigation and that they will not be conducting interviews on tape or under caution. I understand that they would prefer if possible to meet with you at your home and that they will be contacting you in the near future to arrange the meeting.

The appropriate professional bodies are aware of this investigation and are keen to provide support and advice to their members and I would therefore urge you to contact either Code A representative home number Code A or Code A UNISON representative on mobile number Code A

I realise that this is a stressful time for you and would remind you of the Core Care service which can be contacted on 0800 181392.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Jane Parvin  
Personnel Director