

Bradley, Andrew

From: Coroners Office [redacted] **Code A**
Sent: 12 September 2008 10:26
To: Bradley, Andrew; Horsley, David
Subject: FW: Gosport War Memorial Hospital Coroner's Inquests
Importance: High

David and Mr Bradley.

The first of three emails for information received in the Coroner's Inbox.

Thank you.

Caroline Young
 Coroner's Admin Assistant
 Portsmouth & South East Hampshire Coroner's Office
 [redacted] **Code A**

-----Original Message-----

From: Deeks, Mary [mailto:[redacted]] **Code A**
Sent: 11 September 2008 14:29
To: Coroners Office
Subject: FW: Gosport War Memorial Hospital Coroner's Inquests

I note that Val Maddison is out of the office until next week. It would be very helpful if someone could address the issues in the email below in her absence. Thank you for your help.

Regards

Mary Deeks
 Project Officer - GWMH
 Hampshire Primary Care Trust

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From: Deeks, Mary
Sent: 11 September 2008 14:19
To: 'val.maddison' [redacted] **Code A**
Subject: Gosport War Memorial Hospital Coroner's Inquests

Dear Val

Just to remind you, I am the person appointed to assist Elaine Williams at Hampshire PCT with the work raised by the forthcoming inquests into deaths at Gosport War Memorial Hospital in the 1990s.

I am just writing seeking your advice regarding contacting Mr Bradley in connection with the Inquests. We have now sorted out why we did not receive the invitation to the Pre-Inquest meeting, and he has kindly sent us notes from that meeting.

I see from his notes that he intends to call as a live witness Nurse Sylvia Giffin (he had the name as

Griffin, and other names were mis-spelled also). Sylvia died in 2003 of motor neurone disease, and it would be very upsetting to her family if a request came asking her to attend the inquest. Are you in a position to tell Mr Bradley this, or would it better, in your opinion, for us to send him a formal letter? I am just a bit worried that it might take some time to get a formal letter drafted and signed, which might be enough time for a letter to go to Nurse Giffin's family.

It would also be helpful if you could advise on letting Mr Bradley know about the mis-spelling of other names: would it be helpful?

Since I am writing, I might as well ask if you have any idea when the advance disclosure documents are likely to go out?

I look forward to hearing from you.

Regards

Mary Deeks
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