

Skye Sue - Legal Services Manager

From: Humphrey Lesley - Divisional General Manager
Sent: 16 July 2008 11:10
To: Lordalthea (E-mail); 'teresa.flurry@pht.nhs.uk' Code A
Cc: Skye Sue - Legal Services Manager; Dowd Ann - Dr
Subject: FW: GWMH - inquest

Dear both

Please emails below - this gives confirmation that PHT will provide legal support to Althea regarding the inquest

Best wishes

Lesley

Lesley Humphrey
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From: Skye Sue - Legal Services Manager
Sent: 16 July 2008 09:28
To: Humphrey Lesley - Divisional General Manager; Radway Patricia - Head of Governance
Subject: RE: GWMH - inquest

It is our usual practice to give support to staff who have left when they attend Inquests on our behalf. I think its only fair.

Sue Skye
 Legal Services Manager
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From: Humphrey Lesley - Divisional General Manager
Sent: 15 July 2008 17:00
To: Skye Sue - Legal Services Manager; Radway Patricia - Head of Governance
Subject: GWMH - inquest

Dear Both

You may remember that one of our consultants Dr Althea Lord has emigrated to New Zealand. I've been in contact with her to alert her to the inquest - she had already heard through her consultant network.

Althea has asked if the Trust is arranging legal assistance for attending the inquest and if so would this extend to her. I was able to confirm that legal assistance was being arranged (as per our discussion with H PCT etc last week) - but would need to check if this extends to her as she is no longer an employee.

What do you think? I'd like to think we could include her, but you may have good reasons to say no.

I have advised that she should get the MDU on board too.

Best wishes

Lesley