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Sent: 17 July 2008 10:55
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Cc: Lord Ruth
Subject: FW: Gosport War Memorial Hospital Coronors- Meeting to discuss way forward
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Attachments: Mtg Action notes 070708v2.doc

Dear All

I have briefed you all separately on the above meeting I attended. Here are the notes should you wish to see them.

I have established that three of our clinicians (Dr VB, Dr RL and Dr JT) were involved in quite a peripheral way. All were asked to see and assess one, possibly two patients who were on the Elderly Medicine Care Wards at GWMH. All have given statements to the Police and all are aware that the GMC hearing has been suspended pending the holding of the inquests into the ten patients.

One of the actions from the meeting convened by Hampshire PCT was for each organisation to satisfy itself that the actions it would have implemented as a result of the CHI investigation were all addressed and complete. I spoke to Helen about this and she recalls that our Clinical Governance Committee did take a report on the Gosport deaths back in 2002/2003. I have therefore contacted Ruth Lord to check what was taken to CGC at that time. She has agreed to look for this but has indicated that not all the records from that meeting (which predated her appointment) were retained (her previous searches for early meeting papers have not always been successful).

I plan to attend the next meeting on 7 August and will report back to you and the 3 doctors as appropriate on any new developments which come out of that meeting and/or the pre-inquest review to be held by the Coroner (no date for this yet).

Finally, there is mention in the minutes of the 4 organisations (HPCT, PHT, PCPCT and HPT) sharing in the costs of legal advice and also project management support. Clearly, this Trust's involvement is quite minimal and depending upon the formula which has yet to be agreed, we may wish to respond accordingly. My concern is we could be asked to contribute a significant sum which do not correlate any direct benefit.

Unless directed otherwise, I will await to see the proposals for sharing the costs and will then ensure Andy is briefed in order for the trust to take a decision on any funding requested at the appropriate time.

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Dear All

Please find attached action notes of the meeting held on 7 July to discuss Gosport War Memorial Hospital.

You will see that the next meeting has been arranged for 1pm to 2.30pm on Thursday 7 August in the Board Room at Omega House. Confirmation of attendance would be greatly appreciated. Thank you.

I have again attached details of the major road works in the area just in case you need them.

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