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Dear Paul,

Re:- [REDACTED] (d.o.b. 19.04.21.)
[REDACTED]

Diagnosis:

1. Mild haemophilia (Factor VIII C 16%)
2. Liver cirrhosis secondary to Hepatitis-C

Thank you for your letter dated the 14th November concerning the Adverse Event Report sent to you about this patient. Unfortunately, he has not been attending our Haemophilia Centre on a regular basis, and we tend to see him mainly when he has clinical problems. On going through his medical notes, he had treatment with Factor VIII concentrates in the early 80's, and his biochemical profile showed a raised Gamma GT and aspartate transaminase dated back to 1985. He was tested for Hepatitis-B at the time, and has always remained negative. However, when he was called for Hepatitis-C testing, he failed to attend on several occasions. Recently he was admitted with symptoms related to cirrhosis which is almost certainly secondary to Hepatitis-C.

The short answer to your question is that he is not a case of new transmission of Hepatitis-C.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Paul

Re:		DOB:	19.04.1921
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Thank you for your letter dated the 23rd July 2001.

Mr [REDACTED] was a patient with mild haemophilia. According to the hospital notes, Dr M. Khurshid, Consultant Haematologist, wrote a letter in 1980 stating that [REDACTED] needed extraction of six teeth under cover of Factor VIII concentrate.

Mr [REDACTED] was investigated in 1985 for possible myocardial infarction. I note the investigations carried out on him then showed evidence of raised liver enzymes. He had similar tests carried out back in 1986, and again the finding of raised liver enzymes were noted.

Mr [REDACTED] was admitted in November 1986 with haematemesis and was treated with Factor VIII concentrate and he had investigations including endoscopy to assess the cause of his bleeding. The investigations at that time again showed raised liver enzymes and he responded well to the Factor VIII concentrate.

Mr. [REDACTED] was investigated in 1997 for ascites and a diagnosis of liver cirrhosis was reached following several investigations.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

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