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Dear David

HCV look-back. Returned LFB1 forms

I have reviewed the forms you returned to us at the beginning of August.

There were 23 forms.

1. In 9 cases, you were able to confirm that the recipient had died.
2. 4 recipients were discharged from hospital. We have ascertained that 2 have since died. We are waiting to hear from the general practitioners of the other 2.
3. One recipient remained under hospital care. It has been decided that notification and counselling is not appropriate, in view of the age and frailty of the recipient.
4. 1 unit was disposed of within the hospital.
5. 7 recipients could not be traced, as their notes could not be located.

The remaining donation is the one which was involved in the PTH enquiry and was transfused to GRO-A

I have reviewed the forms for the 7 recipients who could not be traced. Apart from one, who was born in 1905, there are no dates of birth available. It is quite possible that several of the remainder are also elderly, but I am returning the forms to you so that you can have a further attempt to clarify the details.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely

GRO-C

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