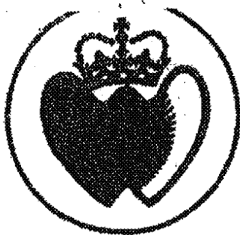


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Ext: GRO-C

26 March 1997

Mrs P B Lane

GRO-C

Dear Mr Lane

You may have heard or read in the news about Hepatitis C. This is inflammation of the liver due to a virus. The virus can be passed on by blood transfusion. Since the end of 1991, all blood donors have been tested for this virus.

NB Some donors, who had given blood before testing started, have now been found to have this virus in their blood. Our records show that you may have received blood in 1986 from a donor who has now tested positive for this virus. This does not mean that any blood you received was infected. It would however be sensible for us to discuss this with you. If you wish we can test your blood for infection with the virus.

If you have caught the virus it may not be a problem but we would suggest further tests. The virus is very difficult to pass on to other people, except through blood. So even if you have caught the virus, it is unlikely that you will have passed it on to anyone else.

I would welcome the chance to talk to you, so that I can answer any questions that you may have. I have already written to your own doctor who knows that I am hoping to see you.

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