



Witness Name: Dr Manmit Kaur

Statement No.: WITN4181002

Dated: 14th August 2020

INFECTED BLOOD INQUIRY

FIRST WRITTEN STATEMENT OF DR MANMIT KAUR ON BEHALF OF LUTON & DUNSTABLE NHS FOUNDATION TRUST

This version of the statement should supersede the previous statement dated 25th February 2020.

I, Dr Manmit Kaur, will say as follows: -

I am a Consultant Haematologist and the current Clinical Haematology and Thrombosis & Haemostasis lead for the department at the Luton and Dunstable Hospital.

I can confirm that I was responsible for collating the information requested in the Rule 9 request letter dated 15 August 2018.

Section 1. Searches, including search terms used

To the best of my recollection regarding the search conducted two years previously, I obtained a list of all registered patients on the UKHCDO list, as well as a clinical coding search to obtain all patients registered or who have had any tests or review within our Trust.

With each patient, I entered their NHS number, hospital number and names into the electronic results and letters systems. Within the Evolve system (electronic

documentation system consisting of clinic letters and documents) I also reviewed every single file that pre-dated the current system. The previous paper-based system was filed in chronological order, from the first interaction the patient had with the Trust, up to the time that the system had become electronic.

Section 2. The Trust's information repositories (from 1950 to present day) such as local authorities, University archives and The National Archives.

This below list of information repositories has been supplied by the Trust's Information Governance and Pathology Teams:

iPM

Evolve Electronic Patient Record

Pacs/ICE

Symphony

Nerve centre

Winpath Enterprise Lab Information Management System

Legacy systems:

Wardware

Bank Manager Lab Information Management System

Electronic Records are stored since approx. 2003. Prior to this date we have paper based records which are primarily stored in a Trust off site repository (Restore)

Section 3. Repositories and archives searched

In order to ascertain all information and records pertaining to comply with the request dated 15 August 2018, I consulted the United Kingdom Haemophilia Centre Doctors' Organisation (UKHCDO) to obtain a list of registered patients as well as the hospital electronic systems to review all patients who have been given a diagnosis of a bleeding disorder.

To review the records, I consulted Evolve (the electronic record of correspondence), Wardware legacy (the previous system in use that has been uploaded on to Evolve

Electronic Patient Records), the ICE system of electronic results and the limited paper records of all previously registered patients that are kept within a secure area of the Haematology offices.

Section 4. This section should only be used if documents have been destroyed. Please explain briefly and exhibit copies of the relevant document destruction record or policy to the statement.

To my knowledge no documents have been destroyed. Paper records reviewed at the time of the request in 2018 were returned to their original area, and remain securely in storage.

Statement of Truth

I believe that the facts stated in this witness statement are true.

Signed _____

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Dated _____

14/08/2020