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Dear Charlie

Re: Incorrect labelling of variant CJD "at risk" patients

I am writing to let you know that following re-examination of all the patient records, we have concluded that we incorrectly assigned four patients as being in the "at risk" group for variant CJD. All four patients have factor XI deficiency and they only received products made from American plasma. We have now written to all four patients informing them of their incorrect labelling previously.

Kind regards

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