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Our Ref: UW/LM/Ripley/832/06/G102024 (Please quote Our Ref on all correspondence)

Dear Paule

Thank you for taking the time to come into Queen Alexandra Hospital on 6 February, it was a pleasure to meet you and I hope it did resolve some of the issues you had raised.

As promised, I enclose a transcript of the notes taken at the meeting, which has been reviewed by all staff in attendance. I would be grateful if you could read through them and make any amendments or comments you wish. Once you have done so, please return the amended version to me: enclosed is a pre-paid envelope for your convenience. I will then ensure that you receive a final copy of the amended notes to retain. If of course you have no comments to make, please just drop me a line, using the enclosed envelope, to confirm this.

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Kindest regards

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Enc: Transcript of meeting notes Pre-paid envelope

Cc: Mrs H Wilson, Code A