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Deu David

Thank you for your letter of 9th October following discussions at the Health and Social Care Committee held on 3rd October during which you heard information about service reconfiguration from with key stakeholders. During this session the need to reconfigure training was raised and in particular the recent report published on 29th October by Professor David Greenaway entitled Securing the future of excellent patient care. You have requested information about the approach we will be taking to respond to this report.

The report sets out a number of high level recommendations which will now need to be considered carefully. Considerable work will now be needed to understand the full implications of implementation and a Four Nations implementation group is being established to take this work forward. Welsh Government will be represented on this group.

The details of this group and the timetable it will be working to is still to be agreed, but initial indications are that an 18-month period is envisaged for implementation proposals to be developed.

I hope this information is helpful.

*Best wishes
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