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Dear Tony

Targeted assurance review of the governance arrangements at national HSE, Saolta University Health Care Group and hospital level to assure and ensure the quality of gynecology services at Letterkenny University Hospital

Please find attached for your attention a draft of the Health Information and Quality Authority's (HIQA) review report of the targeted assurance review carried out by HIQA under section 8 (1)(b) and 8 (1)(c) of the Health Act 2007, as amended between April and September 2021.

Please read the contents of this report in detail. If you have feedback on this review report you can return it to HIQA using the feedback form provided.

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You are also invited to give feedback on the content of the draft report. The feedback can take the form of queries or submissions and is to be limited to where you believe that the report does not accurately reflect the judgments and or findings, information and evidence reviewed during the course of HIQA's review.

You should use the various sections in the feedback form for this purpose.

Please note feedback will not be accepted on:

- writing style,
- suggested changes to wording in the review report,
- conduct of the review,
- matters that do not relate to the review report.

The completed feedback form will be reviewed by HIQA's review team. The report may be amended, as necessary and will be issued prior to publication.

If no feedback response is received within **five working days**, it is assumed that you are satisfied that the review report is accurate. The report is then prepared for publication.

Please return the completed feedback form by email only replying to <u>qualityandsafety@hiqa.ie</u> marked for the attention of Denise Lawler **by 15 September 2021.**

The contents of the enclosed draft report should not be deleted, published or disseminated by you, or by anyone on your behalf. You may however, need to discuss the content with relevant people to inform any feedback response.

Should you have any queries in relation to the above, please do not hesitate to contact me at <u>qualityandsafety@hiqa.ie</u>.

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