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Dear Duane

**Re 3Ts Full Business Case**

I am writing in support of the 3Ts project. As you know I was appointed as the Deputy Clinical Lead for the project in 2008 when the project team was initiated with just four of us. Since then I have been intimately involved with the whole project and fully understand the importance of this opportunity and the benefit it will have upon the organisation. I also appreciate the extensive patient and clinical involvement and input at all stages of the planning. Most importantly, the focus of attention has been about enhancing the quality of patient care, their safety and their overall experience. There are many factors involved, ranging from appropriate clinical environments (which also recognise a range of issues including privacy and dignity), to suitable adjacencies of services to enhance the delivery of clinical care. Attention has also been focussed upon future proofing the solution so that it can adapt and change as service and clinical needs change to enhance the longevity of the build.

I have also been the clinical lead for the Decant Project – which incorporates the enabling moves that will allow Phase 1 of the 3Ts build to progress. Again patient safety and experience were central to our planning – and patients will experience enhanced environments in the interim period. Obviously we have tried to minimise disruption to all parties as much as possible and ensure continuity of care and as much ‘business as usual’ as possible.

Overall, I thoroughly endorse the overall aspiration as well as the solution that has been collaboratively designed. It will enhance the delivery of high quality care in the optimum clinical environment whilst also addressing patients’ individual needs. As a facility including tertiary services, it will benefit patients not only locally but also across and beyond the borders of Sussex. I know that my colleagues, many of whom have been involved in the planning of various aspects of the build, can not wait for the build to progress and all recognise the step change in benefits the new build will bring to everyone.

Kind regards



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