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Birmingham

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Inspection Manager  
Hospitals; Mental Health  
(Central West) Central Region

**1<sup>st</sup> September 2023**

Your reference: RGP1-10053519614  
Account number: RXT

Dear XXXXRedactedXXXX

**Re: Care Quality Commission  
Health and Social Care Act 2008  
Notice of decision to impose conditions on your registration as a service provider in  
respect of regulated activities.  
Reporting schedule**

Condition 3 - Commencing from 5 February 2021 the registered provider must report to the Commission on a monthly basis setting out progress being made in respect of and including mitigating measures being put in place until all ligature risks are addressed.

Condition 5 - Commencing from 1 March 2021, the Registered Provider must report to the Commission on a monthly basis the results of any monitoring data and audits undertaken that provide assurance that the system implemented is effective.

As per our monthly monitoring meeting held on May 15<sup>th</sup>, where we discussed the Section 31 Notice and other items, it was agreed that we submit a summary position rather than a full update on our progress as we have been doing previously. In our subsequent engagement meeting on June 20<sup>th</sup>, the CQC advised the Trust to continue to submit this summary until a management review meeting is held by the CQC, where a final decision will be made regarding the Section 31 notice. We understand that this meeting has now taken place and we have now been advised to continue with this summary submission until an inspection takes place to review the conditions.

We have of course continued and will continue to take all reasonable steps to ensure the safety of our service users but wanted to make you aware that we have now completed all the specific actions associated with the Section 31 notice and you have been able to see this  
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progress for the last 32 months. The action plans were last submitted at the end of April as per the condition of the notice and these showed that all actions related to XXXXRedactedXXXX and the installation of the en-suite door alarm system in Acute Care are all complete. XXXXRedactedXXXX.

We welcome the opportunity to discuss this and other matters with you at our next engagement meeting in October. However, should you have any immediate queries or require any additional information then please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'J. Ntalumbwa', enclosed within a large, loopy oval shape.

**James Ntalumbwa**  
**Deputy Director of Nursing and Quality**