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Dear Ms Swain

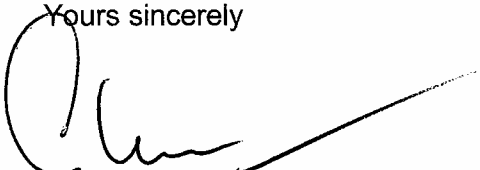
Re: Chronic Pain

Thank you for your letter raising concerns about the Chronic Pain Services.

As you know we run one of the largest and well respected pain services at Pembury. I am happy to confirm that this will continue into the new hospital. We are also exploring ways we can create a spoke of this service at Maidstone Hospital.

I hope this helps inform your members.

Yours sincerely



Glenn Douglas
Chief Executive

cc: Steve Phoenix, Chief Executive, NHS West Kent