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**Sent:** Wednesday, July 04, 2007 1:00 PM  
**To:** Reza Alaghebandan  
**Subject:** FW: Access to Information ER/PR

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**From:** Pat Pilgrim [mailto:pat.pilgrim@easternhealth.ca]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 26, 2007 11:48 AM  
**To:** Don MacDonald  
**Cc:** Pam Elliott; Heather Predham; Beverley Griffiths; George Tilley  
**Subject:** RE: Access to Information ER/PR

Hello Don, We've been waiting to hear from you. We can have the documents copied and sent to the Centre. Heather is away until tomorrow. Give us a few days to get the copies done. I will leave this to Heather and she can notify you further when things are ready. Pat

-----Original Message-----  
**From:** Don MacDonald [mailto:donm@nlchi.nl.ca]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 26, 2007 11:04 AM  
**To:** Heather Predham; Beverley Griffiths  
**Cc:** Pat Pilgrim; Moira Hennessey; Reza Alaghebandan; Mike Barron  
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Hello All:  
 As per George's email (below) the Centre has been granted approval to access to relevant information necessary for developing the database for patients who were involved in ER/PR testing within the Health Care Corporation of St. John's/Eastern Health. My Senior Research Associate, Dr. Reza Alaghebandan will work with me on this initiative.  
 As a first step, I have been asked to prepare a scoping document for the Deputy Minister outlining the steps and timelines for completing the project. To do this, the Centre will need access to the hard copy documents that Heather has gathered and were discussed at our earlier meeting. Several options are possible and I am looking to Heather and Pat for guidance:  
 1) I have allocated a secure office in my Department for this work to be carried out - we could have the "boxes" brought to the Centre.  
 2) We could have Reza copy all the documents and have these copies delivered to the Centre  
 3) Reza could do some preliminary work down at Southcott Hall if a secure area was available. This is not my first option as other resources will be required and this is best done out of the Centre. Also to be considered is our preliminary estimate puts this project in the 6-10 week time frame.

These are but three possibilities, and there may be more. Heather/Pat, could you let me know the best way to accessing these documents? A quick TAT would be appreciated.

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To: Don MacDonald  
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Don, further to the correspondence below, this would confirm my approval for you to access information related to the database for patients who were involved in ER/PR testing within the Health Care Corporation of St. John's/Eastern Health.

George

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