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Subject: ER/PR update

Hi everyone,

I just wanted to give you an update on where we are as of this morning:

I've divided the ER/PR negative patients into three groups

1) Converted/questionable

These are the patients that are being reviewed by the panel
There have been letters written on 18 patients, the letters have been sent over to Kara for signing.
There are 45 patients left to be reviewed. 25 have been selected for this Thursdays meeting

2) Confirmed negative

There are 41 in this group
33 have been contacted
6 there has been still no answer after many tries
1 is in another region
1 requires clarification because she is on my list but not on Terry's

3) Results not recieved

There are 320 in this group

The Cancer Clinic finished the review of their charts and sent over the information on the final 157 patients yesterday afternoon. They will be contacted today.
Of these 157, 36 are in another region and 6 require clarification with Terry.

Of the other 163, yesterday: *(this includes the people I called last night but not those the other called)*

6 had already called
62 were contacted
32 there was no answer
46 are in other regions
4 have moved and we will have to find out contact information on them
The rest I need to clarify with Terry

So, in total we have spoken to 101 people, 37 we are having difficulty reaching, 4 have since moved and 47 are in other regions.

I mention the other regions because Larry Alteen sent me his data yesterday to confirm our results with his. in our discussion yesterday, we both felt that we should call the people from his region on our list (for consistency) but after reviewing his names last night, we only have a small portion of his patients. I will talk to him today; I think now it may be better if they do all the contacting for their region...How do you feel?+-

Even with the Cancer Clinic pulling charts, us checking on Meditech and reviewing the telegram obituaries and Memorials Online, we still called several people whose wife/sister/mother had died.

Overall Response has been mixed but not strong emotions. Several had said they wished we hadn't called, they had been trying to ignore it until they were notified, some just said "Oh I was wondering, thanks for calling" and some were a little perturbed we had nothing to tell them.

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