

From: "Mike Barron" <mikeb@nlchi.nl.ca>
To: <rthompson@gov.nl.ca>
Date: 6/26/2007 11:16:47 AM
Subject: FW: Access to Information ER/PR

An update FYI

Mike Barron
 CEO
 Newfoundland and Labrador Centre for Health Information
 28 Pippy Place
 St. John's, NL
 A1B 3X4

(709) 752-6009

Please note that the Centre for Health Information has moved to 28 Pippy Place. Our general phone line is 752-6000.

-----Original Message-----

From: Don MacDonald
 Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2007 11:04 AM
 To: Heather Predham; Beverley Griffiths
 Cc: Pat Pilgrim; Moira Hennessey; Reza Alaghehbandan; Mike Barron
 Subject: Access to Information ER/PR

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 Alaghehbandan 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.

Don MacDonald
 Director, Research and Evaluation
 Newfoundland and Labrador
 Centre for Health Information
 Phone: (709) 752-6008
 Fax: (709) 752-6011
 Donm@nlchi.nl.ca

-----Original Message-----

From: George Tilley [mailto:George.Tilley@easternhealth.ca]
 Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2007 10:26 AM
 To: Don MacDonald
 Cc: Heather Predham; Joyce Penney; Pat Pilgrim; Moira Hennessey;
 Beverley Griffiths
 Subject: RE: Access to Information ER/PR

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

George

George Tilley
 President/Chief Executive Officer
 Eastern Health
 c/o Administrative Office
 Waterford Bridge Rd.
 St. John's, NL, Canada
 A1E 4J8
 Tel: 709-777-1330
 Fax: 709-777-1302

)