

Denise Dunn

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From: Denise Dunn  
Sent: Monday, October 24, 2005 2:41 PM  
To: 'Ross Reid'  
Subject: RE: Breast Cancer Screening

Dear Mr. Reid,

I just want to let you know that on Friday, October 21, Patricia Pilgrim, Chief Operating Officer responsible for the Cancer Care Program, and myself met with [REDACTED] to review her concerns.

I feel we had a good discussion and appreciation of her concerns, and I ensured her that her concerns would be shared with other individuals involved.

Yours sincerely,

Bob Williams

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

From: Ross Reid [mailto:RossReid@gov.nl.ca]  
Sent: Tuesday, October 18, 2005 3:32 PM  
To: Dr. Robert Williams  
Cc: John Abbott; Moira Hennessey  
Subject: Breast Cancer Screening

Dear Dr. Williams,

Recently I met with [REDACTED] who has been a breast cancer patient in the health care system in St. John's. The recent announcements concerning errors in the testing procedures have caused her a great deal of stress even though her initial negative test for receptors was confirmed even before she enquired of her oncologist earlier this month.

I wrote John Abbott who has suggested that [REDACTED] sit down with you and discuss these issues with you as the most knowledgeable person involved in this difficult situation. I spoke to her today and she has agreed to call you; I hope you can meet with her.

Thanks very much in advance,

R.

Ross Reid  
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