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Your ref: 6022/CLB - Regulation 28 Report for Adrian Jennings

Dear Ms Mutch,

Thank you for your report dated 19/04/2018, which outlined the actions to be taken as per Regulation 28 regarding this tragic case.

We are responding to Point 3 – A need for a type of mental health support service by the mental health trust Pennine Care but it could not be delivered because the Trust had not been commissioned to deliver the service.

The Tameside and Glossop Strategic Commissioning Board has recognised the need to develop and expand mental health support and is in the process of investing in additional services, details of this can be found in the outline plan attached. We do not, however, recognise a gap in provision for a person with high levels of needs such as Mr Jennings. People with levels of need such as those outlined in your report are covered by the secondary care services we commission from Pennine Care NHS Foundation Trust.

We have also taken note of the other concerns raised in your report in relation to Pennine Care Foundation Trust and will follow these up with the Trust through our quality and performance monitoring.

Please contact us if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely,



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