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Dear Dr. Patrick

We would like to congratulate you and everyone in your trust on your performance in the NHS ratings for 2008/09.

This assessment has shown that your trust has sustained high levels of performance throughout 2008/09 across a broad range of standards and indicators covering issues that patients and the public have said are important to them. The rating is derived from thousands of items of data, targeted inspections and intelligence gathered locally.

We want to acknowledge the achievements of you and your staff and thank all of you for all that has been done on behalf of patients.

The NHS is one of our most valuable public services and we want to celebrate the achievements of those who have done well through improving or maintaining high levels of performance. We would therefore be grateful if you could convey our congratulations and appreciation to your staff.

We hope that you will take this opportunity to celebrate your success with the communities you serve and continue to deliver services of which both staff and the people using them can be proud.

Yours sincerely



David Nicholson
NHS Chief Executive



Barbara Young
Chairman
Care Quality Commission