

Staff Briefing

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6th May 2021

Duty of Candour and Being Open Consultation

The IHRD Implementation Team is running a series of online information sessions for Trust staff in order to promote the Duty of Candour and Being Open consultation and to provide an opportunity for feedback from staff within Trusts. **The online information session for Belfast Trust staff will take place on Thursday 13th May.**

There will be three separate sessions on the day, at 12.00pm, 5.00pm and 8.00pm and should last 25-30 minutes.

All staff are encouraged to attend one of these sessions, which offer a great opportunity to learn more about the proposed Duty of Candour and to provide your valued opinion on the policy options.

You can register for the sessions by clicking on this link and following a few simple steps: <https://consultations.nidirect.gov.uk/hsc-public-health-agency/a50ec9a1>

The Chair of the Duty of Candour Workstream, Quintin Oliver, has produced this short promotional video for further information: <https://vimeo.com/535953394/2f6721e329>

If you have any questions or suggestions about the promotion of these events, please contact the IHRD Implementation Team at: IHRD.Implementation@health-ni.gov.uk



Sister Monica Curran and Kate McDonald receiving the donation from Stephen Beattie

Thank you!

Stephen had a Subdural Haematoma which is bleeding on the brain. He had surgery in the RVH on 31 March 2020 and has thankfully made a full recovery. To show his appreciation he undertook a sponsored walk on 5 March 2021, which was a 12 mile walk from The Oval the home of his beloved Glentoran in East Belfast to Carrickfergus. Through the BHSCT Just Giving Page and a generous donation from his employer Royal Mail, he raised the amazing sum of £4,000! He said he will be forever grateful to the BHSCT team of Neurosurgeons, doctors and nurses in the Neurosurgery department of the RVH.