

# Core brief

## Message from Professor Jann Gardner, Chief Executive

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Following the broadcast of the BBC Disclosure programme, last week, our Chief Executive, Professor Jann Gardner, and Medical Director, Dr Scott Davidson, visited Skye House where they met staff and discussed the concerning issues covered in the documentary.



Speaking after the visit, Professor Gardner said: “It was good to have the opportunity to go to Skye House and spend time with staff, listening to feedback about our patients and their stories. I heard first-hand how much the staff on the unit care about patients and families and how much meaningful improvement work has been undertaken in recent years, as well as the commitment to continue to listen, learn and improve.

Through the internal and external reviews which will be undertaken in coming weeks there will be the opportunity to ensure that our young patients are being treated safely with dignity and respect and to support our staff, patients and families to confidently move forward.”

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