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Dear Colleague,

Confidential Enquiry into Child Deaths in the West Midlands

The Perinatal Institute has been engaged in discussions to set up confidential enquiries, following on from the published West Midlands Standards for the Care of the Critically Ill and Injured Child. This initiative relates to our programme for the MANNERS Paediatric High Dependency Register and is supported by the WM Specialised Services Agency. There is also a good possibility that this work can be linked in with the Confidential Enquiries into Maternal and Child Health (CEMACH) and become one of their regional pilots.

We would like to invite you to a stakeholder meeting to introduce the subject, discuss the process and seek your views on ways to take this forward. The meeting will be held at the **Perinatal Institute on Wednesday 11th January 2006, 10 am – 1pm**, with lunch provided. A provisional agenda and map is enclosed. Attendance is free but registration is required, and we ask that you return the attached registration form.

With sincere regards,

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Prof Jason Gardosi
Director, Perinatal Institute

Encs: Programme with Registration Form
Map to Perinatal Institute

Distribution: West Midlands Consultant Paediatricians and Paediatric Anaesthetists,
Lead Nurses, Paediatric Managers