

**Cyfarwyddwr Cyffredinol Grŵp Iechyd, Gofal Cymdeithasol a'r
Blynyddoedd Cynnar / Prif Weithredwr GIG Cymru**

**Director General Health, Social Care & Early Years Group / NHS
Wales Chief Executive**



**Llywodraeth Cymru
Welsh Government**

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Swansea Bay University Health Board
Health Board Headquarters
One Talbot Gateway
Baglan Energy Park
Port Talbot SA12
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Our Ref: <redacted>

7 May 2024

Dear <Redacted >

Swansea Bay University Health Board Targeted Intervention Meeting

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Secondly, maternity and neonatal services - it was noted that HIW was currently undertaking an unannounced visit. Reviewing previous HIW action plans, you confirmed that 34 actions have been completed and a further seven are in progress. The plans for reopening of the birth centre, including the re-introduction of community services are being reviewed through a gateway process before being finalised and will go to Management Board and full Board in May 2024. Individuals have now been appointed to the Head of Midwifery and Clinical Director of Midwifery. Neonatal staffing was discussed and some gaps noted, there is however a recruitment plan in place which includes overseas recruitment.

On the Independent Review, the Chair has been appointed and provided a public update at the end of the previous week. The oversight panel has been appointed, including a patient advocate. The terms of reference are out for consultation, with responses required by 10 May 2024 and Llais are supporting the process.

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Yours sincerely

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Attendee list

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