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Dear Colleagues

## Re: Park and Ride Service, Glan Clwyd Hospital

Please forgive the use of a generic letter to you all. However as I am aware that many of you have received representations from both individual constituents and local organisations regarding the park and ride service for Glan Clwyd Hospital I thought it would be helpful to provide you all with an update on the latest developments regarding the service. I hope that this will be of assistance in enabling you to respond to the enquiries that you are receiving at present.

I must start be again emphasising that the park and ride service at Glan Clwyd was only ever intended to be a short term arrangement to offset the parking spaces that were lost on the hospital site while the redevelopment work took place. These works have now been completed, and as part of this, we have provided an additional 326 car parking spaces on the hospital site, compared to the number that we had at the start of the project. This represents an increase in capacity of over 20%.

However, we also recognise that the demand for parking has continued to increase over this period and that park and ride service is highly valued by staff and patients.

Because of this the Executive Team has reviewed the case for a further extension of the service and have agreed that the Park and Ride arrangements will be extended until 31st March 2020 while we strengthen our work to clearly evidence the consequences of the closure of the service on those who use it. This includes looking to improve the provision of patient and visitor car parking on the Ysbyty Glan Clwyd site.

I am pleased to be able to confirm that we have been able to reach agreement with both the owners of the parking site and Arriva buses to enable this continuation of the service through to next spring.



I hope that this decision will be welcome news to yourselves and your constituents. Please do not hesitate to contact me again if you require anything further.

Yours sincerely

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