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Dear Faizan

Mr Mohammed Ilyas-Khawaja, DOB - 12/08/1993, NHS No - 628 606 3072 42 Nansen Road, BIRMINGHAM, West Midlands, B8 3JU.

It was a pleasure to meet you in the Genetics Clinic at Birmingham Women's Hospital on the 3rd September. I am writing as the results of your genetic test are now available.

The test was looking to see if you had inherited the MLH1 gene change causing Lynch syndrome in your family. I am very pleased to inform you that your result shows that you do NOT carry in the familial change in this gene.

When we met in clinic I explained that men who carry a change in this gene have an increased lifetime risk of developing bowel cancer. They also have a slightly increased risk of less common but related cancers including stomach, kidney and urinary tract cancers.

Based on this result we would not expect you to have an increased risk of any of the cancers we associate with Lynch Syndrome. We would expect your risk of developing cancer to be similar to that of other men in the general population and so we would not recommend any additional forms of screening to be put in place for you. We would recommend that you attend screening as part of any national screening programmes when called to do so.

As you do not carry the familial change in your MLH1 gene then you cannot pass it on to any future children. As we discussed in clinic it is possible that your wife is a carrier of the familial gene change and we would recommend that her father have testing. This will determine if there is a risk to her. If he

would like to arrange an appointment he can contact me on 0121 335 8024 and I will arrange an appointment for him.

I am very pleased to be able to give you this good news result. If you have any further questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above telephone number. I wish you all the best in the future.

Yours sincerely,

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