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Dear Dr Bhasi,

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Diagnosis and treatment:

Jan 2024: Metastatic (liver) sigmoid adenocarcinoma, MMRp, RAS/BRAF wild type

March 2024: started FOLFIRI chemotherapy while RAS/BRAF status was pending, not a surgical candidate as per ST Barts HPB MDT

April 2024: escalated to FOLFIRI Cetuximab after tumour has been confirmed to be RAS and BRAF wild type, tumour markers dropping

I saw Jialin in my clinic today after he had three cycles of FOLFIRI. His CEA tumour marker has started to drop nicely on this. In addition, we now have his RAS and BRAF test results back and the tumour is wild type for both. I have therefore recommended to add Cetuximab to the treatment and Jialin is happy to go ahead with this. I have consented him today and talked him through the risks of chemotherapy again. In addition, I reiterated the Cetuximab risks which is mainly that of an acne like skin rash for which he will need prophylactic antibiotics and potentially further treatment.

He continues his rigorous exercise regime including cardio training and muscle strength training. Despite this, and with the help of our dieticians, he has managed to gain weight. He is getting no major symptoms from the chemotherapy and he has been started on GCSF as the blood counts prior to his last cycle of treatment were a bit on the low side. He is managing to self inject the GCSF and he is tolerating this well. I will see him again in two weeks' time to see how he is getting on with the FOLFIRI and Cetuximab.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'M Gerlinger', is written over a light blue circular stamp.

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