



Hospital Liaison Committee  
for Jehovah's Witnesses

17th March 2019

Dear Brothers,

**Re Change of Bristol Hospital Liaison Committee Chairman**

**For the attention of Bodies of Elders**

We write to inform you that, effective immediately, Brother David Smith is standing to one side as chairman of the Bristol Hospital Liaison Committee. Brother Neil Bebbington will now care for this responsibility.

David has served on the Bristol HLC for over 28 years, and has been its chairman for more than 10 years. We know that many of you have benefitted from David's kind, patient and knowledgeable support in some of the most adverse circumstances when supporting members of your congregations, not to mention when caring for many of you personally!

David is not retiring from life on the HLC. He will continue to serve, but has consciously decided to hand on the chairmanship. This letter is primarily simply for information. Please continue to contact any member of the HLC when making a referral (or, indeed use the HLC group email address in JWPub), although the change may be of particular note for congregations who regularly refer patients to Hereford hospital. It would be prudent for you brothers to get into the practice of contacting other members of the HLC (closest members of the Committee to Hereford are Neil Bebbington, Simon Kersey and Matt Mahoney) to ensure we share the workload and the experience.

We wish you warm Christian love,

**Bristol Hospital Liaison Committee**