## **MAYOR OF LONDON**

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Dear Onkar

Thank you for your letter of 8 March highlighting the findings of the Health Committee's investigation into end of life care in London.

I chaired my last meeting of the London Health Board (LHB) on 25 February. The LHB will continue to oversee progress against the Better Health for London Aspirations including improving health and care services and engaging Londoners both of which are themes highlighted in the committee's report. It will be for the incoming Mayor and the rest of the London Health Board to consider its future areas of focus.

The Mayor has no power to direct Health and Wellbeing Boards to include specific policies, nor should he, in their Health and Wellbeing Strategies.

Thank you for your proactive engagement with this important topic and for sharing the report.

Yours ever,

**Boris Johnson** 

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