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Dear Colleague

HEALTH FACILITIES NOTE (HFN)1: DESIGN FOR
PATIENT FOCUSED CARE

Summary

Enclosed for your information is a copy of a NHS Estates publication on design for patient-focused care. This document is distributed to the NHS in Scotland on the basis that it has no policy status. It is not a substitute for a Scottish Hospital Planning Note and it does not generate Departmental Cost Allowances.

Background

Health Facilities Notes (HFNs) form a new series of documents produced by NHS Estates and are intended to address topical subjects affecting provision of facilities across all areas of healthcare. Further copies of HFN1 are available from HMSO, priced £75.00 each.

Action

This note is issued for information and to promote discussion. Colleagues are not required to take any specific action.

Yours faithfully

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