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By email: ruman@communitysouthwark.org

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Dear Ms Kallar,

Thank you for sharing the Healthwatch Southwark's report "Towards Inclusive Healthcare: Rethinking Mental Health Services for Black African and Caribbean Communities." We have reviewed the report.

Although the recommendations of the report do not apply to the Trust, we welcome the focus on improving mental health services for Black African and Caribbean communities. I would be delighted if you agreed to present your report at a future meeting of the Trust's Patient Experience Committee.

Yours sincerely,

Tracey Carter

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