



Statement

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Central Health extends condolences to family and friends of deceased patient in H1N1-related death

Central Health regrettably informs the public that a 48 year old male patient of the central region passed away yesterday afternoon from complications of an H1N1 infection.

"Our thoughts and prayers are with this gentlemen's family and friends," said Karen McGrath, Chief Executive Officer, Central Health. "On behalf of Central Health, particularly the staff members who cared for this patient, I am extending my sincerest condolences to his family."

Out of respect for the family who are going through a very difficult time and for patient confidentiality reasons, further information with respect to the patient cannot be released.

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