

10 October 2023

Dear

**Reference - ATISN 18980 - Refurbishment of the Oakwood Ward and M Ward at Morryston Hospital**

Thank you for your email received on 13 September 2023 requesting a copy of the response from Swansea Bay University Health Board (SBUHB) on the timeline of refurbishment of Oakwood Ward and M Ward, Morryston Hospital. A response to your request is provided below.

SBUHB provided HIW with an updated Improvement Plan on 15 September 2023, which contained updates on all the recommendations made following the inspection of Oakwood Ward and M Ward at Morryston Hospital. The response stated that the refurbishment is now proposed for Autumn 2024. The relevant extract is pasted below.

1. The health board must provide HIW with a proposed timeline for the proposed refurbishment works	H&C Standards 2.1	Completion of Refurbishment business case.  Present business case to senior management team March 2023 Time line to be completed following business plan approval.	Head of Nursing Clinical Lead for general paediatrics Divisional Manager for CYP	April 2023 (Complete) Business Case complete, shared with surgical colleagues and discussed with senior management team. Currently sourcing architects.  Refurbishment proposed for Autumn 2024
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Yours sincerely