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Subject: Fwd: 20200327-NHS Wales

Minister raised the supply chain concerns with sos and DA ministers today - was given reassurance on intentions and principles - that nhs england should not be dominating and block purchasing where DAs need access. I&S is out national military contact and they can be a. Helpful to feed into english logistics and ensuring disruption for wales is limited and b. An offer to support on ppe levels and run rate as well as other logistics on supplies.

I suggest worth a direct contact - i said you would welcome support.

Happy to update you on ministers discussion.

Andrew

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I've pointed [redacted] NR to NWSSP, but you may also want to pick this up directly as well.....

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Samia,

Sorry to bombard you with emails – please feel free to point me in the direction of the right person to discuss this with.

As we have people in NHS England Supply Chain now (101 Log Bde) I think we can raise the issue that was discussed today about NHS England undercutting suppliers with vast orders to get a more UK-Wide approach.

Who is the best person for me to discuss this with? I don't have Andrew Goodall's email otherwise I'd ask him this question as it was his point raised today.

Best wishes,

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NR or NR are the supply chain leads.

It's worth a call for us to understand the increased demand signal etc.

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Rgr – the issue is not just PPE from my understanding, but day-to day stock for normal business too. I'll get more detail over the next few days and provide NR with an update once I have it.

In the meantime I would be really grateful if you could give me DIRLAUTH with NR and the team at NHS England as I think it'd be useful to hear any advice they have for Wales approx. two weeks behind London.

Thanks,

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Interesting to understand, I have copied in NR our LO at NHS England.

NR is also assisting the NHS HQ in London and has been involved with coordinating PPE.

I agree NHS stocks will have to be prioritised across the whole of the UK through the Dept of Public Health.

Kind regards,

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Something that came up today briefly on day 1 as the NHS Wales MLO was that NHS Wales are starting to see NHS England place huge orders for stock with some of the suppliers NHS Wales use for their 'normal business'.

NHS Wales are concerned about their resilience because of this. Not to mention that with Wales about two weeks behind London, there is a concern that when Wales CV-19 cases spike and Wales has to step up to increase their orders, there will be nothing left.

The example that was given was that one supplier based in Wales who NHS Wales normally use to the tune of about £5M a year has just had an order for £80M worth of stock placed by NHS England (sorry I don't have any more detail than that as yet).

No action for now on this as I will have to do more in terms of finding out the ground truth to this, but it might be worth mentioning to the Comd that there does not appear to be a unified 'UK' approach to ordering stock and this may mean that as the situation progresses the areas that spike later on (Wales and Scotland) will be left with scant resource.

Best wishes,

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