

MAHI Muckamore Abbey
Hospital Inquiry

**Closing Statement by Senior Counsel to the Inquiry
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10 March 2025

Outline of Closing Statement

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- 10. Report and Recommendations**
- 11. Acknowledgments**
- 12. Close**

Statistics

- **120 sitting days throughout the course of the Inquiry (prior to closing statements)**
- **Approximate percentage of overall hearing time:**
 - **Patient Experience: 30%**
 - **Evidence Modules: 21%**
 - **Staff: 25%**
 - **Organisational Modules: 22%**
 - **Openings and other non-evidence hearings: 2%**

- **Patient Experience:**

- **63 witnesses gave oral evidence**
- **27 statements were read in**
- **16 further witnesses in first round up session**
- **4 further witnesses in second round up session**

- **Evidence Modules:**

- **40 witnesses gave oral evidence (including the two presentations)**
- **57 statements were received (including supplementary statements)**

- **Staff:**

- **40 witnesses gave oral evidence**
- **18 statements were read in or extensively summarised**
- **8 further witnesses in second round up session**

- **Organisational Modules:**

- **38 witnesses gave oral evidence**
- **88 statements were received (including supplementary statements)**

- **Overview:**

- **181 witnesses gave oral evidence to the Inquiry**
- **45 further patient experience/ staff statements read in/ summarised**
- **28 further patient experience and staff statements in round up**
- **333 statements across ToR received**