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Dear Mr Adams,

Thank you for your letter of 15 March regarding your Conference to be held in May.

The Departmental District Office really has very little to do with home births which obviously has a much greater clinical content. We have however recently been speaking with Dr Judith McCann who is currently attached to the Takapuna Health District Office. I would suggest that you may well like to invite her to the Conference as she has a particular interest in ante-natal and post-natal education.

I would like to take this opportunity of wishing you well with your Conference.

Yours faithfully

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'J. Stephenson', written over a horizontal line.

(J. Stephenson)  
Medical Officer of Health