INQUIRY SCHEDULE: VIEWS OF CLINICIANS AND EXPERTS ON CAUSE OF CLAIRE'S CEREBRAL OEDEMA AND DEATH

Specialty		**Hyponatraemia**	**SIADH (with hyponatraemia)**	**Meningitis/ Encephalitis/ Encephalopathy (with or without SIADH & hyponatraemia)**	**Status epilepticus (with or without other factors)**
Paediatricians					
RBHSC/ Trust	Dr. Steen Paediatrics			Meningo-encephalitis causing SIADH leading to hyponatraemia	Status epilepticus
		Accepts the Verdict on Inquest but prefers Professor Young's formulation			
Coroner	Dr. Maconochie Paediatric Accident & Emergency			Encephalitis/encephalopathy and hyponatraemia	Status epilepticus
PSNI	Dr. Evans Paediatrics		Hyponatraemia caused by SIADH		
Inquiry	Dr. Scott-Jupp Paediatrics			Encephalitis/meningitis/ encephalopathy and	

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	Dr. MacFaul Paediatrics			Acute encephalopathy and hyponatraemia	
Neurologists					
RBHSC/ Trust	Dr. Webb Paediatric Neurology			Meningo-encephalitis causing SIADH leading to hyponatraemia	Status epilepticus
Coroner	-				
PSNI	Dr. Gupta Paediatric Neurology	Hyponatraemia			*[No evidence of status epilepticus]*
Inquiry	Professor Neville Paediatric Neurology			Encephalopathy and hyponatraemia (related to SIADH)	
Pathologists					

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RBHSC/ Trust	Dr. Herron	Possible metabolic cause (eg hyponatraemia)		Low grade subacute meninoencephalitis and neuronal migrational defect	
	Dr. Mirakhur			Low grade subacute meninoencephalitis and neuronal migrational defect	
Coroner	-				
PSNI	Professor Harding Paediatric Neuropathology	Hyponatraemia		*[No evidence of meningitis/ encephalitis/cerebral malformation]*	
Inquiry	Dr. Squier Paediatric Neuropathology	Hyponatraemia is also a possibility – microscopic examination cannot confirm it		*[No evidence of meningitis/ encephalitis / malformation]*	Cerebral oedema caused by status epilepticus
	Professor Harding Paediatric Neuropathology	Hyponatraemia (related to SIADH)		Encephalopathy *[No evidence of meningitis/ encephalitis]*	*[No evidence of status epilepticus]*

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Others					
RBHSC	Professor Young Clinical Biochemist		Hyponatraemia due to excess ADH production	Meningo-encephalitis	Status epilepticus
Coroner	Dr. Bingham Paediatric Anaesthesia			Cerebral oedema caused by encephalitis/encephalopathy and hyponatraemia; Neurological illness likely cause of SIADH	Status epilepticus
PSNI	-				
Inquiry	Professor Cartwright Microbiologist	Possible that hyponatraemia caused or contributed to cerebral oedema.	SIADH well-recognised complication of encephalitis	Viral encephalitis *[No evidence of meningitis]*	