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Dear _____,

Re: Parkinson's Rehabilitation Trial - eligibility confirmation and random allocation to study groups

Further to the baseline assessment conducted by the research nurse, ______ on _____, please find enclosed a copy of your consent form. I am pleased to confirm your eligibility and tell you that the statistician has randomly allocated you to Group A and you will be receiving 6 weeks of rehabilitation from the study's specialist multidisciplinary team.

As arranged by telephone on, please find below the initial schedule of h	ome visits by the team:
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On:	At approximately:	With:

In advance of the first home visit, we would be grateful if you could complete the enclosed questionnaire (tick boxes only). Gillian will collect this form from you when she visits and use it as part of her assessment. Please do contact us if you would like to alter your appointment slot.

For your convenience, I have set out below a rough time estimate of the calendar of events for the	rest of the trial.
Research nurse visits will be much shorter than the initial one and all appointments will be made in adva	ince.

Date	Event
	Start of 6 week multidisciplinary rehabilitation
	Research nurse visit #2
	Research nurse visit #3
	Final research nurse visit #4

Thank you once again for taking part in the study. Your contribution is greatly valued. Please do not hesitate to contact me should you have any queries.

Yours sincerely,

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As arranged by telephone on	, please find below the initial schedule of home visits by the team:	
On:	At approximately:	With:

In advance of the first home visit, we would be grateful if you could complete the enclosed questionnaire (tick boxes only). Geraldine will collect this form from you when she visits and use it as part of her assessment. Please do contact us if you would like to alter your appointment slot.

For your convenience, I have set out below a rough time estimate of the calendar of events for the rest of the trial. Research nurse visits will be much shorter than the initial one and all appointments will be made in advance.

Date	Event
	Start of 6 week multidisciplinary rehabilitation
	Research nurse visit #2
	Start of 18 week care assistant support
	Research nurse visit #3
	Final research nurse visit #4

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For your convenience, I have set out below a rough time estimate of the calendar of events for the rest of the trial. Research nurse visits will be much shorter than the one you have just completed and all appointments will be made in advance at times convenient to you.

Date	Event
	Research nurse visit #2
	Research nurse visit #3
	Final research nurse visit #4
	Visit by member of the multidisciplinary specialist team

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