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## IRIC Incident Reporting &

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**MHRA Statement** 

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This information message is sent to draw the attention of Equipment Co-ordinators to information which may be relevant to the safety of equipment and facilities in NHS Boards and Local Authorities. Please find the information below:

## **Dear Colleague** We would like to bring to your attention that we have published a statement on symptoms sometimes referred to as Breast Implant Illness (BII). This clarifies our current position on this issue and outlines our ongoing work in this area. We would be grateful if you would disseminate this information via your networks and communications channels. Please contact engagement@mhra.gov.uk if you require further information. Kind regards Patient, Public and Stakeholder Engagement team **Communications Division** MHRA 10 South Colonnade Canary Wharf London E14 4PU UK Telephone: 020 3080 6000 Email: info@mhra.gov.uk gov.uk/mhra

As the Equipment Co-ordinator for your organisation, we recommend that you assess whether or not to forward this information to managers and staff within your area of responsibility who might benefit from being aware of it.

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