



Media Statement

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Danny Mortimer is a co-convenor of the Cavendish Coalition, a group of 35 health and social care organisations working to ensure the system continues to meet its staffing needs following the UK's withdrawal from the European Union.

Responding to the announcement on guarantees for EU citizens on remaining in the UK, he said:

"We welcome the steps put forward by the Prime Minister, which would offer certainty to the 165,000 health and care staff who deliver vital services to communities in England.

"As the response to the terrible events in London and Manchester has shown, these colleagues, alongside others from around the world, are a vital part of our team.

"Although this news is a step in the right direction, we look forward to hearing more detail on this issue of the cut-off date as soon as possible."