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MINISTERS VISIT FORMER NAVAL HOSPITAL

The Chief Minister, the Hon Fabian Picardo and the Deputy Chief Minister, the Hon Dr Joseph Garcia, today paid a visit to both the new Mental Health facility and the Alzheimers and Dementia residential unit at the site of the former Naval Hospital. They were accompanied by the Minister for Health, the Hon Dr John Cortes, and the Minister for Equality, Social Services and the Elderly, the Hon Samantha Sacramento.

The purpose of the visit was to examine the state of progress of the works and to view the changes that the Government intends to make to the Alzheimers and Dementia unit. This has taken on board the concerns expressed to the Government both by relatives and by experts in the field about issues such as the small size of the rooms that were originally planned.