

[Your full address and postcode]

[Date]

Dear [MP name]

My name is [your name] and I am a constituent of [your constituency].

I am writing to you today as I am concerned about the lack of cultural care for Jewish patients in hospital. As a community that follows a strict kosher diet, I am appalled at the lack of kosher options in hospital.

Most often, the only option for Jewish patients is to choose an unappetising frozen meal, which is reheated in a microwave. The meals are often overcooked, resulting in a tough and rubbery texture.

There is no breakfast option, which means Jewish patients wait until lunchtime before they are offered a meal.

[Explain key reasons and any personal experiences]

I am asking you to take the following step to address my concerns:

- I request that you tackle the issue of NHS cultural care and food provision for communities of a minority race or religion
- That you speak to members of the community to understand these issues and take steps to review and adjust the current provision
- That you seek commitment from the NHS to train staff in the basic understanding of a kosher diet

I would ask you to raise these issues at the House of Commons, allowing for debate and a clear path forward.

In your response, I would like you to outline the ways you intend to address these concerns on my behalf. If you are unable to address this personally, I would like to request that you escalate my letter to the relevant Minister or department.

Please do keep me informed of any progress.

Yours faithfully,

[Your name]