




Community Hospitals in the Forest of Dean - Tell us your views

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Do you agree with our preferred option to invest in a new community hospital in the Forest of Dean, which would replace Dilke Memorial Hospital and Lydney and District Hospital?							Response Percent	Response Total
1	Yes						43.98%	1315
2	No						44.68%	1336
3	Don't Know						11.34%	339
Analysis	Mean:	1.67	Std. Deviation:	0.67	Satisfaction Rate:	33.68	answered	2990
	Variance:	0.45	Std. Error:	0.01			skipped	0

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1	Open-Ended Question						100.00%	1191
1	12/09/17 12:30PM ID: 63824353	w						
2	12/09/17 2:16PM ID: 63832092	Your closing 2 hospitals to make one but with less beds and might take on new staff, what are they gonna do? As there will be more staff than patients. The dilke was built for the local people and that's how it should stay						
3	12/09/17 2:40PM ID: 63834497	I can not get to cinderford which will Probably end up with it . I use lydney a lot for myself and children						
4	12/09/17 2:54PM ID: 63834197	<p>A main advantage in having the present 2 community hospitals is that the local elderly people are able to visit and be visited by their friends and family when in-patient stay is necessary. So they can each be used as a local 'nursing/convalescent home', freeing up beds at GRH, Newport, etc.</p> <p>They can also provide clinics locally to avoid the population here in having to get themselves to main hospital clinics. I think this feature could and should be expanded. Transport is a big problem in the forest, especially for the elderly and other disadvantaged groups. Lydney and The Dilke hospitals are on well-established bus routes already, making for ease of attending for clinics, and for visiting.</p> <p>In my experience as a nurse, I found most people were happy to go to a main general hospital for operations, but to return back to the community hospital for their recovery. I would like you to consider increasing the out-patient clinic use, improve waiting times for our population to receive in-patient treatment at main hospitals, and effect speedy transfer back to the Forest community hospitals for recovery/convalescence. And of course to keep the Minor Injuries Units functioning, for the same reasons.</p>						
5	12/09/17 3:01PM ID: 63836407	Absolutely ridiculous especially for people that can't drive						
6	12/09/17 3:25PM ID: 63838079	There should be an INCREASE in beds as there are so many new houses being built and the new facility should be built and tested BEFORE any decision of closing the others is made.						
7	12/09/17 3:26PM	We need our local hospitals, they are a lifeline and are well used by locals. By all						

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	ID: 63837910	means open a new facility but do not close th ones we rely on.		
8	12/09/17 3:39PM ID: 63838287	<p>There are always problems in the winter with the roads through the forest that is why a North and South hospital works so well.</p> <p>There is little public transport available throughout the forest. I can get to Lydney on the few buses which run daily. Anywhere else in the forest makes it impossible without my husband taking a day off work to drive me.</p> <p>The amount of money put in by the local population in keeping the two hopsitals running will all go to waste. The new hospital will not be a community hospital, just something put somewhere to suit someone on a commitee in Gloucester who do not understand how the Forest is laid out.</p>		
9	12/09/17 3:50PM ID: 63839720	<p>Transport links in the forest of dean are few and far between. Both Lydney and Cinderford are central to the main populations. Both are well known and loved hospitals which many people use. The new hospital has fewer in patient beds and major conditions are usually dealt with at Gloucester Royal hospital.</p> <p>The money would be better spent updating the two already established hospitals.</p>		
10	12/09/17 3:50PM ID: 63839738	<p>Having the number of beds is unacceptable</p> <p>The single hospital will increase the travel time for some patients</p> <p>There is no indication as to whether there will be a 24 hour A and E provision</p> <p>Jobs at one hospital will be lost</p> <p>The GP provision in the Forest of Dean is already in complete chaos with demand far exceeding supply</p>		
11	12/09/17 3:57PM ID: 63840458	<p>Not enough beds in new hospital!</p> <p>Invest the money in the two GREAT hospitals we already have!</p>		
12	12/09/17 3:59PM ID: 63840479	We the tax payers,have had our money spent doing both of these hospitals up		
13	12/09/17 4:09PM ID: 63841364	We need to keep the existing hospitals that we have and modernise them, keep the services we have not deplete them with fewer beds.		
14	12/09/17 4:21PM ID: 63841417	Your proposed option singularly fails the most important criteria from a community perspective; accessibility for the community (why is it not ticked in Option 3 of Section 9, or are you to engrossed in developing bigger and better services that you have forgotten it is there to serve the community?). It's all very well providing the services but if the community cannot access them readily then it has failed. Improve public transport access and then you will have achieved the goal. Also please do not restrict parking, at the moment we live in rural environment where most people need motor vehicles due to the lack of public transport – please do not do a 'Southmead Hospital' where It is easier to park in the side streets rather than fight to park at the hospital.		
15	12/09/17 4:29PM ID: 63842479	<p>The Dilke is local. It provides a range of services very close to a large proportion of the community. It was paid for by the community. Are you going to return it to the community?</p> <p>Anything you replace it with will be a poorer service for the forest. This is just a cost saving exercise not an improvement in facilities for the Forest of Dean. There will be a reduction in beds. This not satisfactory.</p>		
16	12/09/17 4:32PM ID: 63842446	These hospitals need to increase what they do, not reduce the number of beds		
17	12/09/17 4:32PM ID: 63842037	<p>Building one new hospital with too few beds is just not acceptable in an area like the FoD.</p> <p>Given the lack of public transport and poor transport infrastructure, we need to maintain at least 2 establishments, and Lydney is such an important & growing residential area that it makes no sense to position a new hospital north of Cinderford.</p> <p>The Dilke has so much cultural value to the Forest that it's unacceptable to take it out</p>		

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		of health service provision - how about using it as a maternity unit? Also the technical issues around building on the Northern Quarter mean that any build there is going to be (a) much slower and (b) much more expensive than you expect. The problems with the access road have demonstrated this.		
18	12/09/17 4:37PM ID: 63843263	How about funding the two hospitals already in place.		
19	12/09/17 4:42PM ID: 63843217	Firstly the reduction in bed numbers when the population is increasing greatly. Secondly these two hospitals were paid for by the people and as such belong to the people and cannot be sold off for the benefit of the Government and NHS		
20	12/09/17 4:54PM ID: 63842875	What would happen to the buildings/sites once they close? Improvements should be made to one or both community hospitals that already exist. Improve what is already there not build new when there is not a plan for use of the old sites. Leaving them derelict or seeing them knocked down would be a waste and a shame. However, I can see the need for an updated and improved service and facility in the Forest of Dean.		
21	12/09/17 4:59PM ID: 63842893	Maintain current hospitals. Service at FOD Hospitals has been outstanding. Outpatients services at Cinderford, Ruardean and other Centres around the Forest provide a great service to the people of the Forest Between Lydney and Cinderford, and local health centres, the service across the Forest is efficient. Having one hospital would be a disadvantage to the local people. The current Hospitals are our heritage, we do not need a modern building, work with what we have. The current hospitals are easily accessible.		
22	12/09/17 5:00PM ID: 63843937	The two current hospitals are both community owned, they offer outstanding services and are vital for our population who have a massive journey to the nearest 'main' hospitals. Both have recently had large sums spent on updating/equipment. The money should be invested in keeping and updating the current estate, we need more beds not less as the population in the area increases. A birth unit is also very important why should local women have to travel an absolute minimum of 45 minutes in labour?!		
23	12/09/17 5:04PM ID: 63844223	because its our heritage payed for by our fore fathers who payed out of their hard earned miners pay and the new hospital will have 24 beds where as the two hospitals have 47 beds no mention of birthing unit this is scandalous and blatant capitalism at its best NORTHERN QUARTER BEING THE SAME MILLIONS HAVE BEEN SPENT THERE AND NO ONE KNOWS ON WHAT		
24	12/09/17 5:07PM ID: 63844862	Retain two smaller hospitals on the same sites		
25	12/09/17 5:07PM ID: 63845044	Need to know more details - site/size/facilities.		
26	12/09/17 5:19PM ID: 63845473	Decreasing number of beds. Either the cinderford or lydney area will lose services they currently have.		
27	12/09/17 5:22PM ID: 63845589	The site is convenient in a good place with free parking Waiting times less than Gloucester Forest should have its own hospital and as the site was supported by miners donations should under no circumstances be closed		
28	12/09/17 5:28PM ID: 63845858	We are about to move to the Forest and have seen this happen on the East side of the River Severn. Losing Standish and Berkeley hospitals to have a new one built at Dursley which already is having services cut back! I say keep what you have and leave well alone!		
29	12/09/17 5:28PM ID: 63846014	Invest in present facilities		

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30	12/09/17 5:44PM ID: 63846697	Cause I believe there will be less beds available		
31	12/09/17 6:00PM ID: 63847351	These resources are crucial to the community and should be preserved, without reducing the number of beds available, meaning they are within easy reach of more of the local population. I would support option 2 if new facilities were built on the same sites as the originals		
32	12/09/17 6:02PM ID: 63847092	There are currently 2 venues, making it only 1 means that inevitably people have to travel further. The location is paramount and you will not please all the people. Reducing the beds is a poor option. You say that currently not all the beds are occupied by Forest people. Does that mean that if you reduce the beds they will ONLY be available to people living in the Forest. I think not. Why do you think that we want to travel to Gloucester, or further, to have an operation. Bring back our maternity services, allow Forest people to have their babies born as Foresters.		
33	12/09/17 6:06PM ID: 63847146	The fact you are already spending considerable amounts on the two hospitals already here in the forest begs the question as to why on earth be so wasteful with funds to do this and then only a few years later close them its unacceptable to be so extravagant with these funds and is clearly one of the reasons the NHS is in such crisis. The fact the Dilke is so beloved by all that use it in the forest and the history behind it and its intended use for the miners of the Forest should be preserved , we love this hospital and the staff are so caring and pleasant and give time to each patient, we do not want that to be lost into another faceless ugly monstrosity planted in the forest like an alien carbuncle, with harried nurses and doctors who rush around with cold heartless efficiency we like the two hospitals as they are they are placed ideally to serve all of the forest and we do not want to lose the bed capacity that will be needed with an ever aging population. Put more funds into these buildings you have work being ongoing now update the equipment and facilities but dont take away our loved and historic services we are in the forest not a concrete and glass town or city leave us our treasured sites and wonderful staff but fund the existing sites so they may continue to serve the forest and her people as they have done so exceptionally for many many years .		
34	12/09/17 6:13PM ID: 63847807	How can it be possible to build a new hospital when existing ones already owned by NHS. Land is not available at a cost reasonable. these local facilities should be just that - local. The option to close either one is totally disrespectful to the founders and supporters of the faculties. We should be looking to improve management, remove layers of bureaucracy and management costs and continue to provide services local people want and support. The report states about improving working environment for staff, the environment meets all required standards for health and safety and cleanliness. Why would this report state it's not acceptable.?		
35	12/09/17 6:36PM ID: 63848413	I am not really against a high quality hospital being built but I think it should be in Lydney. I also think if they are going for a "state of the art" hospital it should include maternity facilities and an operating theatre. The worst part of the proposed deal is to cut the beds by half. The Forest is a very large area and it needs more than just 24 beds. It is not worth building a brilliant new hospital with so few beds. In my opinion that is a huge waste of money.		
36	12/09/17 6:39PM ID: 63848858	Because of the reduction in the number of beds. Yes build a new satat of the art hospital but have the equivalent number of beds as Lydney and the Dilke		
37	12/09/17 6:47PM ID: 63848727	I believe that the best option is two hospitals on the sites currently used by The Dilke and Lydney hospitals. My reasons for this are: i This would provide most bed space. ii This would provide easier access to people in the catchment area. Public transport across the Dean is difficult to say the least.		

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38	12/09/17 6:50PM ID: 63849628	It would be a shame to lose the other two facilities as they are dear to the heart of foresters and the facilities seem quite good. They would have to replicate the a and e department not close it, and still provide radiography at the site as travel to Gloucester is inaccessible to the vulnerable.		
39	12/09/17 7:03PM ID: 63849735	It isn't sensible with a growing (older especially) population to reduce the number of beds available at community hospitals. Not only this but a large amount of people don't have access to cars so getting to minor injuries could take in excess of an hour when relying on public transport (not good with a sick child in tow!) I think it is worth revamping both community hospitals. Not only does it save the hospitals and a large number of beds it also saves jobs. The millions of pounds that would be spent demolishing 2 hospitals and building a new one could easily be used towards ensuring the current hospitals are brought up to standard and possibly even have a midwife led maternity unit installed. Especially as the dilke minor injuries unit has just had 6 weeks of works completed, what a waste for it to be knocked down!		
40	12/09/17 7:10PM ID: 63850366	Surely if there is £11M available to build a new hospital, then that £11M can instead be used for improvements on Lydney and the Dilke hospital. Why build a new hospital with half the number of beds, no birthing unit and no endoscopy unit? Its pointless when the 2 hospitals can merely be improved.		
41	12/09/17 7:13PM ID: 63847655	The money spent upgrading both hospitals of late. The reduction in number of beds available to the local population especially when so many new housing estates are being built in the forest. Which would put more strain on the proposed new hospital. The cost intailed on keeping the hospitals moth balled as sites can't be sold. And what happens to all the equipment purchased by families especially at lydney district Hospital? Much money has been given by families of deceased for looking after them?		
42	12/09/17 7:33PM ID: 63851123	The hospital served the community well and is loved by many and supported by people in the forest. If it ends up being run in the same way as Gloucester royal is then that would be devastating. Small community hospitals provide rehab and is more accessible to families of the Forest of Dean. How is an endoscopy suite needed by them. When elderly relatives need families costing daily then dilke and lydney is far more viable. An endoscopy procedure is just a one off visit for an hour on average and best sited at a more acute site where back up resources are more accessible.		
43	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63851203	because you have no right to take away either hospital as they are funded locally not by you		
44	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63849552	The Forest is poorly served by local buses - at present the hospitals at Lydney and Cinderford are accessible for many communities. Unless a new hospital will offer a substantially enhanced service than can be offered by The Dilke and Lydney CH then there is no advantage. We do need maternity services in the Forest - we do need 24hr x ray facilities and A&E minor and mid range services. We do need a working pharmacy for after-hours dispensing. (at present if you leave the GP at 6.45pm and need a script dispensed and your dash to the duty pharmacy fails before closing - the nearest 24hr pharmacy is at Quedgeley!! - 14 miles away according to NHS helpline - maybe if I had wings to fly across the river!!) Bunging a new building in the middle of the Forest with very little in terms of enhanced facilities is foolhardy - many of our poorer families/pensioners cannot afford taxis. The money would be better spent on specialised facilities shared between both of the existing hospitals - for example we need decent dementia care facilities out of private hands where £millions of NHS CHC funding goes - getting rid of the hugely expensive and flawed CHC funding admin system - would also release funding.		
45	12/09/17 7:38PM ID: 63851510	Because using the £11 million to renovate/ extend/ renew Dilke and Lydney would be much better than building a new place. Plus our heritage is running out and we need to protect what's left		
46	12/09/17 7:48PM	A single site would not be adequately accessible by all in the Forest. Section 10		

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	ID: 63850947	states that the site should be "accessible by car or public transport" - This should be changed to "accessible by public transport", there should be no reliance on a car in order to access health services. There is already an issue with services in the Forest being inequitably delivered due to transport issues and a single hospital site would exacerbate this unacceptably.		
47	12/09/17 7:50PM ID: 63851593	Should invest the money into the current facilities. Small operations to be carried out in the forest and a maternity ward. Gloucester or Cheltenham is a long way to travel. If you live near Lydney hospital now and a new hospital is built in coleford or cinderford then it is a long way to travel, especially with limited transport in the Forest		
48	12/09/17 8:12PM ID: 63849252	I have a serious underlying medical condition for which prompt (yet simple) life-saving medical treatment is sometimes required. A local hospital is able to provide this treatment and I recently moved to Lydney specifically because the town has a local hospital. The money which would be spent on building a new facility should be used instead to improve the existing facilities at Lydney and Dilke.		
49	12/09/17 8:41PM ID: 63854205	The Dilke was built by the community for the community. I fail to see how spending millions on a new hospital site can help the NHS!		
50	12/09/17 8:44PM ID: 63853741	Against: My view £11m will be cost of car parking alone and definitely won't cover a newly built facility!!! £100m wouldn't be enough to cover the re-organising/re siting what they have on the two existing sites! Computer installation would cost a huge amount to instal and will need to be compatible with other institutions. Probably more than £1m would be a figure. With transport links in the Forest one facility isn't an option. For Keeping: £11m spent on existing sites would enhance and would enable modernisation, new facilities and additional staffing. The Forest being rural and mileage between existing sites Dilke and Lydney is minimal but covers a large/different area and beneficial to all. It is so easy when spending someone else's money to have BIG ideas and spend spend spend!!!		
51	12/09/17 8:54PM ID: 63854635	On the Dilke site, alter the exsisting buildings or knock down the old structures and rebuild a new centre.		
52	12/09/17 9:05PM ID: 63854756	Reduced in-patient bed capacity when already regular bed crisis within Gloucestershire.		
53	12/09/17 9:08PM ID: 63854847	I agree in principle that one new hospital would be good but am concerned that it must be located in the centre of the Forest		
54	12/09/17 9:26PM ID: 63856036	Not been given a location of new hospital and also new hospital won't have the bed capacity that we currently have.		
55	12/09/17 10:09PM ID: 63858217	Because you are taking away beds that are really needed and there be no maternity ward. so you are not offering us anything but taking away. What will become of thos that need a bed and you have not got them due to you cutting them?		
56	12/09/17 10:35PM ID: 63859618	I do not believe that reducing the number of beds to 24 and the number of hospitals from 2 to 1 will benefit the people of the forest. Why can't the £11M be spent on edevolving the existing sites? Why can't we have a birthing unit here in the forest? To spend £11M on a "unit" that has 24 beds is an absolute joke! Option 2 is my preference, to redevelop on the same sites!		
57	12/09/17 11:09PM ID: 63861117	The Dilke Hospital serves people this this side of the Forest and Lydney on there side. Rebuild on the sites....		
58	12/09/17 11:15PM ID: 63860822	The case has not been made for a reduction in beds. The hospitals were built by local subscription and are covenanted for use as hospitals or similar		

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		<p>The forest is a large are with poor transport connexions - the case has not been made for centralisation.</p> <p>The proposed facilities do not appear to be substantially better or different than available at present.</p> <p>There I'd no detail on how the surplus land would be disposed if, his it would be used, and who will benefit.</p> <p>The hospitals should be retained as they are, which appear to already meet the criteria set out.</p> <p>The criteria set out are contestible.</p>		
59	12/09/17 11:37PM ID: 63861643	What's the point of downsizing the amount of beds in the forest, which will put more pressure on Gloucester hospital? It's bad enough the ambulances get transferred away from the area to cover Gloucester, Bristol, South Wales etc. Everyone should have the same amount of NHS cover, not just the select few.		
60	13/09/17 12:15AM ID: 63862263	<p>It is more sustainable to keep the existing hospitals in good repair as they provide a good service already.</p> <p>The new build option appears to be privatisation by the back door, aided and abetted by GCCG.</p> <p>There is no real arguement by clinitions that the services will be better.</p> <p>There are less beds - the orignal hospitals do a great job in getting people back on their feet.</p> <p>It is doubtful that Xray provision will actually take place.</p> <p>There is no land available for 30 minute catchment unless it is in Cinderford. Public transport to Cinderford is minimal and there is no direct buses from Lydney to Cinderford.</p> <p>In Cinderford the only available land would be at Steam Mills - a flood area.</p>		
61	13/09/17 1:22AM ID: 63863590	The loss of even one bed is one too many. Look elsewhere to see the effect of losing beds.		
62	13/09/17 5:18AM ID: 63865877	Both settings are needed to support the local people.		
63	13/09/17 6:39AM ID: 63866330	Improve the current facilities and extend opening hours. There is a clear need for the current number of beds, as occupancy is at 95%. The Forest is having more houses built and areas developed, so demand will increase. The Dilke especially is a landmark building in the forest paid for by Forresters themselves. Any attempt to remove what is seen to be "theirs" will be met with fierce resistance and anger.		
64	13/09/17 6:45AM ID: 63866889	we need to keep the hospitals we have in the forest of dean not replace them money has already been spent to refurbish the Dilke and it is in a ideal location for people to get to in a emergency we want the hospitals kept where they are		
65	13/09/17 7:49AM ID: 63868059	<p>Nothing wrong with current buildings and facilities. How is going to save money when you are going to have to</p> <p>transport people who would be near the Dilke or Lydney hospital dependent on where the new place is built.</p> <p>What will happen to current buildings? More housing?</p>		
66	13/09/17 8:12AM ID: 63869020	It would depend on the location of the hospital. At the moment the two hospitals serve the need of the areas of forest they are in!		
67	13/09/17 9:01AM ID: 63871067	A hospital in lydney and cinderford is far better for local residents. Preserve the existing buildings. And as I understand keep more beds		
68	13/09/17 9:05AM ID: 63871298	only half the number of beds. No maternity facilities. The Dilke was built to treat the sick and poor forever		
69	13/09/17 9:11AM ID: 63871612	Spend money updating the two sites and build above Dockham Road surgery in Cinderford		
70	13/09/17 9:41AM ID: 63873543	You should invest in the current hospital sites rather than have left them with no recent investment. I feel this is more about freeing up valuable land for developers		

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		rather than provider good healthcare - how can you be providing better healthcare with less beds? You haven't even confirmed if there will be a minor injuries unit, x ray etc etc. I think it's appalling you are even consulting when you aren't even providing details of where or what the new 'state of the art' facility will have, until that time this consultation is a farce and the main aim of this is to sell the NHS assets in the forest for a profit at the expense of the healthcare provided to local residents. hands off!		
71	13/09/17 9:53AM ID: 63874349	The Dilke hospital was paid for by the Foresters and should be left as it is. money should be spent on both the Dilke and Lydney hospitals to maintain a standard of care for the Forest of Dean. So many services close around the Forest and move to Gloucester and we need to have the 2 hospitals here. Why waste money and build a new hospital when we already have 2...just update them both and leave them alone.		
72	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63873739	There is not enough detail about what services the new hospital would provide. The population of the Forest of Dean is growing and yet the new hospital would be smaller. The public transport in the Forest is poor so two hospitals are much better. The existing hospitals work well and a lot of valuable experience would be lost by closing them. My option is to keep the existing hospitals and review how investing in the existing buildings could provide the required cost savings.		
73	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63872453	The forest of the dean is a large area, we need the coverage that 2 hospitals provide. The plan also had reduced bed capacity and the hospitals are currently very busy so this is just a cost saving measure. We need to invest in forest hospitals, there are many elderly people here and we are already forced to travel to Gloucester in some instances. This is just another case of reduced spending in the Forest.		
74	13/09/17 11:00AM ID: 63878442	Both community hospitals are a vital part of the local communities a new hospital has many drawbacks including difficulty for many people being able to access services due to poor public transport The money should be spent improving the facilities that we already have		
75	13/09/17 11:17AM ID: 63879954	Insufficient information has been provided. Where is the new unit to be situated, and will it be built before Lydney and Dilke are decommissioned? What facilities will it offer? What will happen to the decommissioned sites, particularly the Dilke which was paid for by the people of the Forest of Dean. Until these questions are answered, nobody can support this suggested action.		
76	13/09/17 1:28PM ID: 63889969	Cinderford needs the Dilke, it's a wonderful little hospital.		
77	13/09/17 1:28PM ID: 63889860	Less beds in new hospital and no birthing suite planned or ability to carry out operations. Could money be better spent keeping 2 hospitals running to a better standard? Especially with all the new homes in the Forest of Dean area. Lydney is a long way from Cinderford or Coleford. People that rely on public transport would suffer.		
78	13/09/17 1:32PM ID: 63890295	I believe that the money would be best invested into the existing hospitals and not a new one.		
79	13/09/17 1:40PM ID: 63890632	Public transport infrastructure in the FoD is lacking. Many people will have a lot further to go than they do now. In addition, from what I understand, the new hospital will have fewer beds than the aggregate of the existing two. My other concern is that, in the usual way of government, at some point between closing the existing hospital and opening the new one, the money will become unavailable and the new hospital will never be built - or perhaps this is to be yet another privatisation of the NHS by the back door aka some kind of PFI arrangement?		
80	13/09/17 3:34PM ID: 63899550	Using phrases like 'state of the art' don't install confidence when the result will be a single hospital with fewer beds and less facilities (no maternity for e.g.) These two hospitals have served the community perfectly well, they may not be shiny or 'state of the art' but they efficiently put us together again with little waiting time. The lack of maternity will strip Foresters of their rights, this is another issue		

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		Of course the main issue is....the possible fantasy of the 'state of the art' hospital to come. Where is it? Will it be built? When will it be built. In these troubling times this is too much of an unknown variable. So, no.		
81	13/09/17 3:45PM ID: 63898452	I can't support something that has no plans so far, such as where etc. The current model is great because most of the Forest can reach one or other of the sites. Surely the amount of money that is being used for a new hospital would cover upgrading the 2 current buildings		
82	13/09/17 4:27PM ID: 63902862	Every question on your FAQ page is every thing I want an answer to! How come there is a FAQ page when we have only just heard about this plan. Obviously, you are expecting opposition. My biggest question is WHY is any of this really necessary ?		
83	13/09/17 4:39PM ID: 63904166	Proposal is not detailed enough. Dilke has a covenant stating that it is to be used for treatment of locals.		
84	13/09/17 4:57PM ID: 63905746	Due to the population increasing and more housing being built I don't think 24 beds would be enough		
85	13/09/17 5:05PM ID: 63901967	Whilst I am happy with the status quo of keeping both hospitals open, I would be satisfied if they are to be replaced with one hospital..... but with reservations. We need more answers to questions already raised regarding the facilities proposed at this replacement hospital. The facilities and range of treatments we are now receiving, need to be confirmed as being available at the new proposed hospital.		
86	13/09/17 5:53PM ID: 63908134	Public transport within the Forest is very sparse. Most elderly, disabled & non-drivers would need to take a taxi to visit Gloucester Hospital. Lydney & Dilke hospitals are convenient to most communities in the forest. This proposal has not considered problems of transport - I suppose it's assumed that everybody has a car and can drive - not true.		
87	13/09/17 6:24PM ID: 63909528	Update what there currently is. You plan to shut two hospitals with 1 and create fewer beds? You offer no maternity unit what are the benefits? You will sell the land off probably for houses which creates more people yet you will offer less health care. Having used both hospitals I can vouch for how beneficial they are. I cannot see why modernising these buildings is not a valid option?		
88	13/09/17 6:56PM ID: 63911021	We need local hospitals... Our elderly need to be local, so that they can have visitors..		
89	13/09/17 7:14PM ID: 63911121	Would be very difficult for older patients, non drivers to get to. Money has already been spent on the two hospitals, why spend more on another one. We should invest in the hospitals we already have.		
90	13/09/17 7:56PM ID: 63913517	If there is only an option to build a new facility that facility should cover the current supply from both the Dilke and The Lydney Practice. The Forest is ever expanding and the current plans in place will not support the growing community.		
91	13/09/17 8:26PM ID: 63914633	Why spending money on the Dilke, refurbish it and then close it ? Use it! It's a nice facility with space and excellent staff .People in the Forest already struggle ,they always have to go to Gloucester, can't you use the two hospitals in Cinderford and Lydney to help the people in the Forest and make things easier for the people and to give less work and burden to Gloucester hospital ?		
92	13/09/17 8:31PM ID: 63914403	Don't mend what isn't broken Lydney is a community Cinderford is a community Not everyone has private transport but we should not be deprived of local amenities Townfolk of both communities have worked hard to support and keep these hospitals open		

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		LEAVE US ALONE use the money saved on supporting what we have		
93	13/09/17 8:35PM ID: 63915090	My friend had both parents with dementia. Her father had wonderful end of life care at the community hospital lydney because the nurses have time. Her mother had terrible care in comparison in a big hospital as the nurses had too many patients. My friend removed her mother so she had her last 3 days at home due to the poor care in hospital. Community hospitals are essential for end of life dignity and care.		
94	13/09/17 8:56PM ID: 63915723	The 2 hospitals cover 2 opposite ends of the forest of Dean, meaning they are more easily accessible for residents in those areas. Also there are more beds available now and reducing 2 hospitals into 1 would mean less of everything meaning the local residents would suffer as a result through accessibility, length of waiting time for appointments and beds etc. The Dilke and Lydney hospitals are both vital in their own rights to the local people and stand as great supports for those with transportation issues and commitments meaning they need to be close to home. Although financials are important, the local people's welfare should be at the forefront of any decision making. Doing some redevelopment to both Lydney hospital and the Dilke rather than getting rid of them and essentially shrinking the services available would be better for all those involved as it means less strain on services as well. Reducing the amount of services available and condensing 2 hospitals into 1 will only put more strain on resources which are already struggling, meaning the local people would suffer.		
95	13/09/17 9:09PM ID: 63916485	There are 2 great hospitals already which the communities fundraise for throughout the year. The forest is such a large area it is necessary to have a hospital close by. If you put a hospital in Coleford you may as well go straight to Gloucester from Lydney as it will take almost the same time to get there. I fear this option could be very dangerous for local people. Invest in the hospitals that are there and if you need a new hospital build a maternity unit.		
96	13/09/17 9:13PM ID: 63916686	Because if there is £11 million available it should be used to upgrade the existing facilities at the Dilke and Lydney after years of neglect by Governments of both sides of the political divide		
97	13/09/17 9:25PM ID: 63916911	It would reduce options for people in terms of location. Losing the Dilke would be losing a part of our heritage which people are incredibly proud of. Update the facilities at the current sites. Why cause unnecessary upheaval?		
98	13/09/17 10:07PM ID: 63918407	A new facilities would be good if the number of beds and services increased, but from what I have read the new hospital would be a reduction of services, which already don't meet the needs of people living in the forest. I would be happy to support this if there would be if it's to the services offered in the forest		
99	13/09/17 11:06PM ID: 63920277	Your proposal for only one hospital in the Forest would increase journey times to an unacceptable level for many residents. The only acceptable option is to retain two hospitals in the Forest. You have not made the case for only having one hospital.		
100	13/09/17 11:35PM ID: 63920870	In the year 2000 my brother was 18 months old, he stopped breathing. Without the close proximity of the community hospital in Cinderford he would have died. No ifs or buts, he'd be dead. It's disgusting the NHS service we have here anyway and by cutting beds to 24 would be awful. I personally feel those two hospitals are needed as the Forest of Dean is so large, you want to put more funding into both hospitals AND ambulances (I didn't even get one with suspected meningitis back in April) typical, paying your taxes and being told "yes this idea will be better" no. Just cost cutting. Disgusting. Stop lying about money because this area is awful enough for budget cuts; (bad transport, bad ambulance service etc) we want both of these places and we want them updated, sort it out, we're paying for this for crying out loud! no support from locals for people that only care about making cuts to put a little extra in their pockets.		
101	14/09/17 1:00AM ID: 63922365	The Dilke is a Cinderford hospital originated from the miners of Cinderford and should remain here.		
102	14/09/17 1:24AM	I am concerned that Cinderford and surrounding communities have lost so much over		

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	ID: 63922328	the past 20 years that the loss of the Dilke would be the final nail. I am convinced that any agreement for a new single facility would be most certainly in Lydney's favour and not anyone else in the Forest. I believe that any single facility would need to be quickly accessible for vast majority of Forest people and also close to a main Gloucester A road to ensure quickest and easiest access of patient transport for Gloucester Royal. Any attempt to move the facility further towards Lydney would cause major disadvantage to patient accessibility in the Forest. If I was convinced that Lydney would not be the beneficiary then I would support.		
103	14/09/17 5:38AM ID: 63924682	I do not believe having one hospital will provide such a good coverage of the community of Forest of Dean		
104	14/09/17 7:28AM ID: 63926308	I believe you want to close the Dilke and Lydney and then find a reason not to build a new hospital		
105	14/09/17 7:33AM ID: 63926268	Halve the number of beds available in the Forest of Dean? What's the point? There's far too much centralisation as it stands. Out patients and visitors having to spend time and money to attend consultants and in-patients visits If the forest is to have a new hospital, build one that has DOUBLE the capacity currently available.		
106	14/09/17 8:12AM ID: 63927428	I am unable to support this option because the new site has not been announced and I cannot make my decision until I know where it will be		
107	14/09/17 8:48AM ID: 63929063	I do not believe we will be given better facilities by merging into one hospital. I am also concerned it could be used as a way of closing our minor accident units. I am strongly against this idea.		
108	14/09/17 9:02AM ID: 63929597	I think the current hospitals are sufficient and working well and need more updating and money invested. The proposed new hospital ideas has less beds and no birthing unit and won't have an A&E so we are disregarding perfectly working hospitals for a new one that won't have more facilities like birthing units which would save traveling to Gloucester hospital. The Lydney hospital is also situated well for people who can access it without a car moving all facilities to one hospital is a good idea but what about access with public transportation. It seems a new hospital is going to be more cost with less benefits and it is then more land wasted when have perfectly already situated hospitals		
109	14/09/17 9:52AM ID: 63932618	Because Cinderford will probably lose out again like we always do. Also the bed situation I work for NHS and discharge patients to community hospitals and everyone is living longer for which we would need more beds if we get a new hospital.		
110	14/09/17 10:51AM ID: 63937270	Lack of information on why a new unit would be better than existing facilities. Excellent facilities available at local hospitals currently. No birthing unit provided. Don't trust new facility will be provided after current hospitals are closed.		
111	14/09/17 11:23AM ID: 63939844	Individuals within the forest need these hospitals. Why does it need to be close both? Put that money into each hospital.		
112	14/09/17 11:25AM ID: 63940083	It's simple put the money into each of the hospitals.		
113	14/09/17 11:33AM ID: 63940621	Why not put that money into both, the Dilke and Lydney hospital. Why does it have to be one or the other?		
114	14/09/17 12:09PM ID: 63939309	Location of new facility which would serve the geography of the whole Forest reduction of beds and staff is not acceptable especially as the population ages Unclear what extra services would be provided emergency unit, chemotherapy?? Have not seen what exactly will be provided locally. Clarity on this issue is most		

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		important especially as there are many references to making the most of the money provided therefore unclear about benefits the new facility would provide except a newer building requiring less maintenance in the short term. Would support a new facility IF it meant more outpatient services would be provided so less journeys to Gloucester for treatments. Transport is a huge issue especially for those on low incomes but not receiving benefits - if ill and cannot use public transport return fare by taxi can be around £30.		
115	14/09/17 12:44PM ID: 63944831	I would agree if a Maternity unit was to be included. Don't know where it is going to be built. Would bus services be provided for people who do not drive? More than 24 beds would be needed as population is increasing. Why has money been spent recently at both hospitals but I understand there is a shortage of staff.		
116	14/09/17 1:40PM ID: 63948470	We need both hospitals and large amounts of money have just been spent on both it would be a waste		
117	14/09/17 1:49PM ID: 63948568	The Dilke hospital was built by the miners subscriptions for the people of the forest, these miners worked hard and in dreadful conditions to ensure the health of others was always taken into account. The mining industry is renowned to the Forest of Dean and this legacy should not be allowed to be demolished. The hospital was built by forest people for forest people.		
118	14/09/17 2:42PM ID: 63952450	I don't think this would serve the local community better. In fact, I think it would be worse, especially for the part of the population that can't drive and rely on public transport (which is sadly lacking), elderly, disabled and those who cannot afford to run a car. I am concerned about the drastic reduction in total number of beds available for the Forest of Dean. Could the money not be better spent extending the facilities at the Lydney and Dilke sites?		
119	14/09/17 4:28PM ID: 63959375	It is a ludicrous idea..building a hospital with LESS beds. This means people will be sent to hospitals further a field if these beds are full i.e. Gloucester, Tewkesbury, Stroud etc meaning family & friends may not be able to get to visit easily. This, in turn, makes the person in the hospital feel abandoned, isolated which then hinders them recovering fully / quickly. Also, why has all this money been spent on both our local hospitals over the recent years for them to become obsolete. What will become of these properties? no doubt some developer will make a profit out of them.		
120	14/09/17 5:12PM ID: 63964533	I live in Longhope and I have attended the Dilke several times as it is closer than Gloucester and provides a stress free environment with easy parking and not too long a wait. I can imagine the new hospital if it was built would be in Lydney as the town is expanding rapidly but this would mean a long journey for those who live middle Forest and would probably push them towards Gloucester hospital which is already overwhelmed with very long waits for treatment. Mike		
121	14/09/17 7:11PM ID: 63969521	This all feels very similar to the last time you tried to close both Hospitals. No firm plans, you talk of bringing services together with no detail! The reduction in the number of beds by half is touted on the back of people being placed in Lydney and the Dilke from Gloucester when people who could easily have been treated locally are instead sent to Gloucester. An elderly couple from Lydney were separated by one being sent to Gloucester when terminally ill! Only intervention by prominent local individuals reversed that decision! The people of the Forest of Dean need to be told exactly what is proposed before attempting to sell off these valuable local properties. How will the local Friends groups be compensated for the money they've raised in support of the local services? How do you propose to provide services for the growing communities when the Bridge tolls cease and the Forest becomes even more desirable? If the unit is placed Centrally, what provision will be made to allow Ambulance access on our rural lanes?		
122	14/09/17 10:12PM ID: 63979107	The Dilke is a real life line and has stopped us from having to go on to further away A and E departments. The hospital would close before the new would open, this would leave us dangerously without good medical care and cover.		

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123	14/09/17 11:23PM ID: 63979788	I'm a forester born & bred, my family have lived here for generations. How is it people from outside the area can make a call on closing these hospitals without a thought for all of us foresters who have actually used them. They play a significant role in our lives. At one time or another one of our family, friends, or neighbours have had to pay a visit to one of these hospitals some time in their lives. These hospitals have been supported by the public for generations, the Dilke hospital was actually paid for out of the local miners wages. For many years it was run from funds raised by the local people. How is it you can close these hospitals saying they will cost too much to refurb, yet you are willing to spend 11 million on a new hospital that none of us foresters want! Local people don't want to go to Gloucester hospital to die, they want to come to the Dilke or Lydney to take their last breath because they feel as if they have come home! Seriously ask us foresters what we want, we don't want city folk taking away our heritage. Most of you probably don't realise what it means to us foresters.		
124	14/09/17 11:29PM ID: 63979940	a) The proposal does not set out the clinical or financial case for change. If you are going to sell the land for housing or roads then please indicate how much you expect to gain towards the new hospital for that. I see the Lydney community plan shows a new road near the hospital, have you been offered a deal by a housing developer? b) There is no pressing need for change, the current hospitals are adequate, clean, and modern. c) The money available for a new hospital could be more effectively spent on refurbishing or extending the existing hospitals. d) The Dilke has just been refurbished, and Lydney is not that old. It would be an immense waste of money and resources to bulldoze them. e) You have not guaranteed that the new hospital will provide the same breadth and depth of services that the existing two do. e.g. MIU, number of beds, radiography, etc. f) You haven't explained how the new hospital would cope with the increasing population of the area, including the new housing built on the old hospital sites. g) The current hospitals are owned outright (by the NHS or by Foresters, I am not sure), but a new hospital would probably use private investment (PPP) and therefore cost the taxpayer much more in the long run. It seems like you're selling the family silver and taking out a loan to buy new silver at a greater cost, for future generations to pay back. h) You claim a new hospital would allow "• More consistent, reliable and sustainable community hospital services, e.g. staffing levels, opening hours;" These are not related to whether the hospital is old or new and are within your control even with the current hospitals. i) The issue of "recruiting and retaining enough staff" is surely not related to the buildings, but to the government's pay cap on public sector staff, leading to a real-terms pay cut, resulting in staff leaving to work for agencies and private providers. j) Section 7 sets out some issues with the current situation but does not explain why they are so. Why don't the existing hospitals provide privacy? Why are there significant issues 'relating to cost of maintenance'? Why are too many people having to travel outside the forest?		
125	15/09/17 6:13AM ID: 63985013	Having two hospitals is more convenient for the wider spread of the forest of dean. Instead of getting rid of the current facilities at each hospital, we should look to enhancing these for the greater good of the community.		
126	15/09/17 9:05AM ID: 63988810	The existing estate offers more beds is more convenient for more people and respects the wishes of the vast majority of residents. It also honours the contributions of past generations who gave up their own resources to pay for the Dilke Hospital.		
127	15/09/17 10:09AM ID: 63992530	I cannot support the closure of both Lydney and the Dilke Hospitals due to their valuable need for the community. Especially as Gloucester does not have a community hospital and many patients are sent to both Lydney and the Dilke for aftercare. I understand a new hospital may be built to replace the two closures with reduced number of beds. With a regular increase in population and Gloucester not having a community hospital this sounds a crazy scheme. There appears to be nothing wrong with the structure of both hospitals, thus why not carry out some TLC on the buildings, gut the inside and fit them out with whatever modern equipment is required for the 21st century.		
128	15/09/17 10:58AM ID: 63995417	There is considerable distance between the two hospitals catering for a wider area, making it more convenient for patients and visitors. When there is outbreak of infection and hospital closure is necessary having 1 hospital will be detrimental to the		

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		people of the forest of dean, at the moment If one hospital closes due to infection there is still another hospital open. Yes old hospitals cost more to run, but the expense of building a new hospital covers a lot of energy bills in the old hospitals so it is not cost effective.		
129	15/09/17 11:39AM ID: 63998442	- access. I am unable to drive. I use one of them regularly. - building on the site of one of them. Disgrace. The Dilke was build by the donations and funding of local people, minor and Red Cross to name a few. - what will become of the jobs of those already at both hospitals? - allowing those outside the area to use the facilities for procedures will surely clog up appointments for locals.		
130	15/09/17 5:15PM ID: 64021966	These hospitals are convenient to access for all locals and bed numbers are larger than replacement		
131	15/09/17 5:30PM ID: 64021854	Whilst a single hospital might be able to provide improved healthcare, access to it would be very difficult for a large proportion of the forest population in particular the elderly. The problem of easy access extends further than just patients as there is a need for family and friends to visit patients or to help patients access hospital facilities. A single hospital at Cinderford would be difficult to access by people living in the Lydney area as would a single hospital in Lydney be difficult for people living in Cinderford. Whereas a hospital in Coteford would be seen as taking away facilities from the residents of both Lydney and Cinderford. I believe the option that should be pursued is the internal refurbishment and modernisation of both Dilke and Lydney hospitals.		
132	15/09/17 5:36PM ID: 64023411	Both current sites have received investment in recent years. The location of both sites service all areas of the forest		
133	16/09/17 7:39AM ID: 64043076	1. In the consultation booklet you make numerous statements that are not evidenced with facts (data)...provide the proof of what you say then I might be able to support a new hospital 2. Any new GP services in Cinderford need to be in the CENTRE of Cinderford, not in northern quarter. This makes them walkable and central to the town, not peripheral. So keep them separate. 3. Focus your resources on: a. Disease prevention b. Social care in the community and at home c. GP services, e.g. new GP centre behind coop in Cinderford and demolish existing centre and give to Coop for parking		
134	16/09/17 8:47AM ID: 64044676	Because there is very little detail about what the new facility will actually provide. Because selling the public land that the hospitals are situated on is asset stripping making money for developers. Because this is a short term fix to reduce spending for the NHS		
135	16/09/17 9:06AM ID: 64045765	The Dilke and Lydney are not only fine establishments but belong to the locals. We don't want change. And probably you'll close them down and the state of the art place will fall through and you'll just tell us to go to Gloucester. You be been pulling funding out of the Dilke for years. Just put the money back where it should be going. The place where we want to use.		
136	16/09/17 10:14AM ID: 64047530	I strongly disagree with closing the dilke hospital. Not only is it part of forest heritage, it is situated very close to a engineering business I run in Cinderford. This is extremely convenient for emergencies, treatment and accidents in the workplace. In fact I used it last night after colapsing at work and treatment was immediate rather than a difficult trip to Gloucester.		
137	16/09/17 4:55PM ID: 64058782	My ancestors gave very hard earned wages to Build the dilke hospital for the good people of the dean		

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		<p>Its a betrayal of my ancestors graft and hard work for this hospital to be lost. Forestry land should be developed to build at this site owned and run by the NHS not some partner. we all know what that means.</p> <p>The good people of the dean deserve this we pay are taxes the same as the good people of Tewkesbury ,Stroud, Gloucester and Cheltenham.</p>		
138	16/09/17 7:26PM ID: 64066039	It is useful to have both hospital sites available. If we had one site it would be a difficult decision about its placement. Ideally I would prefer lydney as live in lydney, but not only for that reason. We also have better transport links for busses and trains. In addition to this we also have to consider the weather conditions we sometimes get when snowy that we cannot get to coleford or cinderford through the forest roads. Having two sites would be in the best interests of patients in this instance.		
139	16/09/17 9:42PM ID: 64070448	I live in mitcheldean and the dilke is very near. Badly burnt hand on Christmas Day and I would not have been able to drive further.		
140	16/09/17 11:21PM ID: 64072552	What is wrong with the current system? It has served me and my friends well. Two smaller hospitals in different locations are much better when it comes to visiting friends from the local area. Very concerned that the number of beds will be cut, when I visit Lydney Hospital most beds appear to be taken.		
141	16/09/17 11:23PM ID: 64072558	<p>I am concerned about the lack of information provided about a new facility. Existing radiology services could easily be extended by employing 24 hour radiographers.</p> <p>We encourage tourism, cycling walking etc but this brings risk-usually as weekends and out of hours. We need the existing sites to cover the Forest.</p> <p>Existing facilities could be updated for the proposed amount allocated for a replacement facility.</p> <p>The reduction in the number of beds with a growing population (which swells due to tourism) is alarming and shortsighted.</p> <p>I'm afraid that without further and much more detailed information I can't support the closure of 2 hospitals and replacement with one. I fear "shady" back room dealings for ulterior motive.</p>		
142	17/09/17 12:14PM ID: 64082965	<p>I'm concerned about the loss of beds and where the new hospital will be located. if a new hospital goes ahead why not have a maternity unit and a full operating theatre to ease the pressure on GRH. More costly in short term but a good future investment. If we are going to lose our 2 community hospitals surely the forest of dean deserves a decent facility.</p> <p>We are a forgotten part of Gloucestershire.</p>		
143	17/09/17 9:47PM ID: 64099652	<p>Both current Hospitals should be retained giving better geographical spread, as at present.</p> <p>A single hospital option in unacceptable, especially considering the amount of community (rather than NHS) funding which has been put into these hospitals over the years.</p> <p>The so-called preferred option has not been properly detailed or specified.</p>		
144	18/09/17 11:35AM ID: 64120030	Keep existing 2 for people who can't travel very far refurbish the existing 2 that our forefathers paid to be built		
145	18/09/17 11:55AM ID: 64121359	This proposal is very similar to the plans implemented in Tewkesbury and continues the practise of downgrading and downsizing community healthcare in preparation for a privatised NHS. People want and need an effective NHS where they live and every step towards the centralisation of services so far has made the NHS less accessible to patients. As a separate measure and taken in the context of the general changes to healthcare provision the proposals are cuts and privatisation dressed up in the usual hype.		
146	18/09/17 12:30PM ID: 64124144	Transport, cost, times of appointments re transport. Elderly patients. There should be more hospital transport		
147	18/09/17 4:37PM ID: 64141579	It makes more sense to redevelop the existing hospitals which cater for 47 Beds than to close them and build a new one which only has 20 Beds! The Dilke hospital can		

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		<p>not be sold as it belongs to the people. We went through this a number of years ago and Forest people objected in force and will do so again.</p> <p>As I see it this is a sly way of getting a people to say yes to a hospital and we all know what will come next - the closing of all the local Doctors surgeries and moving to 1 Central doctors Surgery at the hospital which will put people lives at risk as when ill you can just about make it to the local doctors but not having to travel half way across the forest to see a doctor</p>		
148	18/09/17 6:53PM ID: 64150668	the dilke is more central than lydney		
149	18/09/17 10:25PM ID: 64159036	I don't like the idea of there being one hospital, with less beds and no A & E instead of two each with some emergency elements. The site of the Dilke particularly is beautiful and it would be very sad to see it sold off to build houses, So first and foremost the updating of the Dilke and Lydney hospitals should be looked at very seriously.		
150	19/09/17 9:24AM ID: 64170482	<p>I live in Lydney - and whilst I do not have need to attend the A&E often, it is a reassurance that the times when I have had an emergency the hospital is only a few mins away. Travelling to Cinderford would not be an option, as winding through the lanes to try and get to Cinderford when you are in pain, discomfort would not be very nice. It would be easier to travel to Gloucester - which would then put added pressure on the busy A&E in Gloucester.</p> <p>Lydney is the only town in the Forest which is growing, with thousands of houses due to be built over the coming years, it needs basic facilities like a hospital with an A&E,. Ambulances are already busy and there is often a wait for an ambulance, by removing the A&E in Lydney would I'm sure increase the call outs for ambulances, which would then put more pressure that emergency service.</p> <p>I would rather you start to invest in the two hospitals that we have, and provide services from them which is robust and serves the communities, not just the managers preference.</p> <p>I have used both hospitals, for different reasons, and it is good that whilst they are both unique they offer different services which Foresters can use, but also that both provide A&E cover for the Forest for two parts of the Forest which are not easy to navigate if you are in distress, pain or unwell.</p> <p>I also feel it is wrong that our own MP is supporting one new hospital, he should know from the support that both hospital have, in the amount of funds local residents have donated to both hospitals over the years that we the people want to keep our TWO hospitals rather than one new hospital - he is there to support the people not his governments agenda.</p>		
151	19/09/17 9:55AM ID: 64174459	Prefer to keep Dilke		
152	19/09/17 12:01PM ID: 64182854	As I understand it the Dilke land must be used for improving the health of the community. Why not improve and extend the Dilke rather than building a new hospital with fewer beds. There is a high proportion of older people in the Forest and in years to come the need for beds is likely to grow, not recede.		
153	19/09/17 4:04PM ID: 64199770	The Dilke Hospital was funded by the miners for the local community and it would be such a shame to loose this iconic and treasured building.		
154	20/09/17 6:56PM ID: 64301284	I'm concerned about travel to various locations and not having services nearb		
155	20/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64302984	<p>The acute hospitals have had increasing difficulty find community hospital beds for patients who still require hospital care, but no longer need acute care. This has resulted in the acute hospitals being unable to a continual backlog of discharges of between 50 and 140 MFFD patients, which in turn means the acute hospitals are continuously running at >90% occupancy (against an optimum of <85%) and delays the admission of hundreds of acute patients.</p> <p>Neither of the two main conurbations, Gloucester and Cheltenham, accounting for more than a third of the population on the county, have their own Community Hospitals. The seven Community Hospitals don't only serve the Districts in which they are located, they SERVE THE WHOLE COUNTY. So the argument used by Mark</p>		

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		<p>Harper MP, that less than half the patients in Lydney and Dilke are not from the Forest, is specious. It was the same argument used by Laurence Robertson MP when the 47-bed Tewkesbury Community Hospital was replaced by a new 20-bed Hospital. There are already insufficient community hospital beds in the county. The continuing reduction in the number of community hospital beds is resulting in the inefficient and costly use of acute hospital beds to the detriment of patients and the whole NHS in the county.</p> <p>In 2010, when it was proposed to reduce the number of beds in the acute hospitals (by 200), the PCT promised "more beds in the community", including the opening of a new Community Hospital in Holly House in Gloucester in November 2010. In the event, despite spending money on preparing for the new hospital, that plan was abandoned with no explanation. Most of the proposed 'interim beds' have, according to staff in at least one of the providers, become 'blocked' by 'temporary' residents who become institutionalised and unable to be discharged back into the community after rehabilitation.</p>		
156	21/09/17 1:39PM ID: 64343992	This is a waste of money. The Dilke has been systematically stripped of services and equipment - Equip it properly instead of wasting money on a new building which will have fewer beds		
157	21/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64345773	Waste of money for the Dilke. Property and stop stripping of its services.		
158	23/09/17 1:24PM ID: 64441507	I consider that a 24 bed hospital is ludicrously insufficient. I suggest at least 48 beds would be more realistic, due to the significantly increased populations within the Lydney and Cinderford areas. Also there are more housing estates still in the pipeline. I also object to the lack of a maternity ward within the Forest of Dean. This was supposed to be reconsidered a few years ago by the NHS Trust when they shut our last remaining maternity ward. I think this should have been dealt with and reinstated as a matter of priority. Most people living in the Forest of Dean would consider this to be an essential provision when considering the construction of a new hospital. If the NHS Trust want locals to come on board then this needs to be addressed. I also hope the new hospital will include a casualty department, as I consider having to travel approximately 15miles to the nearest accident unit an imposition, especially for the elderly, young and infirm.		
159	24/09/17 5:26PM ID: 64484919	as the nhs is short of money what is the point/sense in building a new hospital with LESS BEDS than we already have? when there are people waiting for beds & there is none available , & not even a maternity ward? This is the usual lack of common sense. surely SOME of this money (11 million) could be spent updating or extending the present Hospital you ask for options, i have just stated them & it does not take a brain surgeon to work this out. while i have made my "feelings known i also feel that this disision as already been made whatever the "consaltation"		
160	24/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64488807	Not enough beds to maintain the current demand.Your figures in the booklet indicate the change in the population by 2025 would mean increase demand, not decrease. Build the new facility, and maintain the Dilke as a Respite unit .		
161	25/09/17 11:25AM ID: 64513980	Because it would be fewer beds and further for some people to travel. If the bed number was increased then more people in the big hospitals could come nearer home after treatment. The cost of enlarging the two present hospitals and modernising them have not been given.		
162	25/09/17 12:26PM ID: 64519377	There is no need to spend millions on a new hospital. It isn't what most people want. Update and extend existing facilitates. What is the point of closing 2 hospitals to build a new one with half the number of in patient beds to what we have at present. The situation will be worse not better.		
163	25/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64520383	The loss of approx. half of the current beds is a concern as many of these beds are taken by Gloucester residents and may result in more Forest residents having to leave the locality to receive rehabilitation. Although it is necessary to modernise the services provided and a new hospital is a good way to do this. The number of beds is a concern.		

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164	25/09/17 4:12PM ID: 64539628	Because moving the Dilke will make it harder for people to get to Cinderford is a central area in the Forest		
165	26/09/17 1:57PM ID: 64599168	With a little funding and consultation with Dilke staff, the present building would be greatly improved and all the objectives could be achieved with extensions and some re organisation.		
166	27/09/17 12:35PM ID: 64659247	The FOD is a collection of small local communities I don't think it is reasonable to expect people to travel across the district for support. I feel it will leave some people segregated and isolated		
167	27/09/17 4:02PM ID: 64673255	this is the countryside. a new community hospital will bring more people and more patient's travelling to the area from outside placing pressure on our roads and on our environment and on our forest. having experience of working in/ being a patient in large hospitals it also means a large turn over of patients and less thorough treatment.		
168	27/09/17 4:48PM ID: 64676133	Need to publish the investment appraisal to establish if the option you have recommended is in fact the best option. Without seeing the details of how you have generated the costs it is impossible to say that your option is the best. You are restricting the number of beds citing outside use as a reason. Do you confirm that priority will be given to FOD patients. You have not published what the staff at the hospitals think if this a good or a bad idea. I do not believe you will be able to build and commission a new hospital in the timescale you have given yourself. It should be possible to refurbish the existing hospitals and expand the services between the two to cover those you have identified.		
169	28/09/17 9:51AM ID: 64708751	Waste of money. You deliberately stopped the mat units being used so you could shut if some with theatre and fracture units. You have be hell bent on closing Dilke for decades		
170	28/09/17 1:39PM ID: 64729004	Still think keeping both would be better for patients and staff and for people to get to who don't drive, as we have travel problems		
171	28/09/17 2:05PM ID: 64730994	The Dilke should have been filled, maintained and equipped properly but you have been too busy planning to close it.		
172	28/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64750057	I don't believe that the required amount of professional help will be put into the community. We are an aging population in the FOD and we will need more beds not less. You are proposing to close half the number of beds. This is down to saving money NOT better care.		
173	29/09/17 4:43PM ID: 64793956	I believe that a structure with more smaller centres of immediate medical help supported by peripatetic higher skilled medical staff is preferable to fewer larger concentrated centres of 'high tech'. There is a need for centres of expensive 'high tech' where sheer cost dictates that not every centre can have everything, but by concentrating medical help into fewer larger centres means that many local communities loose out and have to spend much longer travelling to larger but remote centres at greater personal expense and probably distress as well. My wife and I have been required to travel thirty miles to Gloucester and back several times for ten-minute appointments to deal with dermatological conditions. No 'high-tech' required! A peripatetic specialist could have dealt with the appointments in a local surgery.		
174	30/09/17 9:10PM ID: 64860479	I have supported the Dilke Hospital since moving to the FOD some 20 years ago. A lot of money has gone into keeping the unit in good condition and continually pushing for more services. I am now able to see specialists at the Dilke which is an		

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		improvement. I cannot agree any proposal at the moment as the end result involves less beds. We need more not less. The two main hospitals say there is not enough beds in Cheltenham and Gloucester so why cannot a FOD hospital act to free up beds there and let patients recover in the FOD area. Could it not be a clearing station, could be a centre for Social workers and help move patients on. The residents of the FOD deserve the same service as if we lived in Gloucester. The Consultation document and love rumour implies a decision has been made and a new Unit will be built at Lydney which is no good to us. It takes as long to reach Lydney as Gloucester		
175	30/09/17 10:23PM ID: 64863811	The Dilke is a wonderful community resource in an excellent location. My family has needed to use it for both old and young family members, saving valuable time and enabling us to stay at home for recovery by getting local attention fast. We have used Lydney Hospital also for more routine health needs. Both hospitals need to be kept exactly where they are to serve The Forest community.		
176	01/10/17 7:47AM ID: 64871644	Because there would overall be less beds why just not use the money to improve both hospitals and reopen upstairs in Lydney hospital it would be so much better.		
177	01/10/17 8:23AM ID: 64872291	It would not be big enough - proposed reduction in the number of beds. Worse access for people if no longer in two locations. Destroying the community. What will happen to Dilke and Lydney sites?!		
178	01/10/17 3:31PM ID: 64885544	The Dilke hospital is central to the forest, is a unique building surrounded by woodland that is an ideal location for recovery and because of its woodland location I'm sure that it would be no problem to increase its size to accommodate all clinical requirements and also keep this historical building which was built and given to the people of the forest and not be sold off to increase the coffers of the NHS.		
179	01/10/17 6:07PM ID: 64891088	It depends what facilities would be provided at a new single hospital and what would happen to the two original sites. If they are only to be filled with housing the local infrastructure would not be able to cope with increased populations eg schools, doctors' surgeries, transport, etc. What facilities would be provided in a new hospital to avoid the difficult journey to Gloucester?		
180	01/10/17 6:52PM ID: 64892853	Option2 - both hospitals in same/current location. Following reasons: Not self evident in info how current fragmented/disjointed healthcare system would be resolved by a "bricks & mortar" solution such as a single new hospital; Dilke hospital is on public land dedicated for that purpose - what would happen to that land?; not made clear how a new hospital would affect recruitment of new staff; Why would criterion 7 (achievability) be met any better by option 3 than by option2 in that 3 could be met by 2021 & not 2?; In what sense would travel problems be better under option 3 if there is no longer to be a minor injuries unit locally.		
181	01/10/17 10:05PM ID: 64899813	It seems it's all about the money. I understand the existing hospitals are old but a lot of local people have raised a lot of money to initially build the hospitals and then support the running and purchase new equipment over the years. It seems all of that will be thrown in the bin for some flashy modern hospital that doesn't even have a maternity unit, something that foresters have been asking for for 40+ years.		
182	02/10/17 4:48PM ID: 64946903	Public transport is extremely limited to some areas. Travel times are long. The A48 is a bad road to travel & is frequently closed. Costs to the patient of a visit would drastically increase. Staff at local hospitals are friendly - having just moved from an area with the largest hospital in Europe I have experienced how impersonal and intimidating they can be, the size also making them user-unfriendly and confusing.		
183	02/10/17 5:01PM ID: 64948154	I think the decision has already been made, so this survey is not necessary. Most people I know would like both the Dilke and Lydney hospitals to stay with some maternal and respite care after major hospitalisation.		
184	02/10/17 5:08PM ID: 64946659	The present hospitals provide cover for a wide range of residents in the Forest of Dean allowing them to access the facilities. If the two hospitals are withdrawn then		

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		depending on the location of the new hospital, it will cause difficulties for accessing them for some residents. In addition, it is my understanding that the disposal costs of the two existing hospitals has not been budgeted therefore this clearly becomes an over and above cost with no known cap on expenditure. No information has been provided on how the new hospital will be staffed and if those who currently working in the two existing hospitals will have to apply for new positions or not. The alternative option is very clear, improve the existing hospitals with the funding, which I understand to be £11m, to improve the existing hospitals.		
185	02/10/17 10:26PM ID: 64964136	Why get rid of local hospitals in the heart of our community? Earlier this year, my grandad was in Southmead Hospital and was then brought back to Lydney Hosptial where he could rest up! A few years ago, my grandma was admitted to the silks Hosptial, great service there too! What I want to know is if you build a new hospital in Coleford or somewhere like that, how will elderly people who live in the forest who aren't lucky enough to have family to take them to Hosptial supposed to have the transport links?		
186	03/10/17 9:51AM ID: 64980741	All the money ploughed into both current hospitals on extensions / renovations / refurbishment would have been wasted		
187	03/10/17 9:59AM ID: 64981952	Feels that having 2 sites ensures accessibility for larger area / target groups		
188	03/10/17 10:09AM ID: 64982516	Building costs and legal fees for the new community hospital would outweigh modernising existing hospital site		
189	03/10/17 10:15AM ID: 64983493	All the money you have spent on Lydney to make it such a wonderful place KEEP LYDNEY OPEN		
190	03/10/17 10:38AM ID: 64984080	Don't believe sufficient research has been done as to whether a single hospital in the Forest would be effective.		
191	03/10/17 11:17AM ID: 64988335	The Dilke was built with miners money and should remain in situ. These hospitals, although not state of the art, are what people like and provide excellent care. The Dilke, Lydney should be upgraded within the existing structures. People prefer this.		
192	03/10/17 11:29AM ID: 64989446	Fund the Dilke properly. Extend it, make it state of the art		
193	03/10/17 7:30PM ID: 65022864	If we are heading towards a single hospital in Coleford, then that will mean a large number of people form Lydney, Sedbury, Newnham, Littledean and Cinderford will not be able to travel to the new A&E without additional inconvenience. People in Sedbury in particular will be very vulnerable Either upgrade existing sites, or build in Lydney. The unit will then cover most of the Forest of Dean, and Cinderford being considerably closer to Gloucester (along with Mitchledean etc) can be covered by both The Royal and Lydney. There is NO public transport from Sedbury to Coleford without going through Lydney !!!		
194	03/10/17 8:39PM ID: 65025971	Larger hospitals need the funding and bring them up to date!! These small community hospitals are important to senior members of the community, which releases bedding from the general hospitals.....		
195	03/10/17 9:06PM ID: 65027144	I can walk to the hospital at the moment. How would I get to the new hospital. Very few buses. Ambulance service stretched to the limit. The cost of a taxi is very expensive.		
196	03/10/17 9:37PM ID: 65028625	If possible Keep both.		
197	03/10/17 10:15PM ID: 65030000	The forest needs 2 hospitals with all the extra housing planned. If the nhs got rid of a few managers that would help more.		
198	04/10/17 11:57AM	I would support the proposals if the full information required was given. I would		

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	ID: 65053308	require a location, the number of staff, the number of beds, the facilities that the new facility would offer and assurance that the two current facilities would 1) remain open until the new facility is built and 2) remain in use as some sort of NHS health and social care facility in the future for example a maternity unit at the Dilke Memorial Hospital and a Re-habilitation unit at Lydney Hospital. I cannot support any proposals until the things listed above are confirmed. Also I would require the means of getting the money given to me so that I can make an informed decision. In the consultation booklet it is stated that the funds would be £11 million. Where would this come from? I have also been made aware by several people who attended the meetings to produce the booklet who have stated the document does not reflect the discussions in the meetings. I am extremely disappointed with this attempt to further sell off NHS property and privatise services.		
199	04/10/17 2:19PM ID: 65063259	Concerned over the number of inpatient beds for the forest, accessibility of the new site and would like the current sites to continue offer some valuable nhs services		
200	04/10/17 6:08PM ID: 65079600	It's more convenient to have hospitals in both locations. Moving either would mean that people have to travel much further, which for some is difficult. This would be a problem for patients and staff. People who don't drive would struggle as forest public transport is not regular enough and taxis would expensive. Having patients from both hospitals using just one hospital would increase waited my times and put staff under more pressure. And it diminishes community feeling. The forest is proud of its sense of community, hospital fates and fundraisers are well supported due to public pride in these institutions. Going ahead with this move diminishes that and ignores the want of the local people.		
201	05/10/17 10:14AM ID: 65104755	The Dilke hospital is central for Cindeford, Coleford and Lydney, for all people to attend and is middle of the Forest, but perhaps the hospital could be modernized to the standards of todays needs		
202	05/10/17 10:36AM ID: 65106437	The Number of beds will be halved. There are people from outside the Forest kept in the two hospitals and forest people are put in hospitals beds outside of the Forest		
203	05/10/17 12:44PM ID: 65115863	2 new hospitals will always be the ideal solution		
204	05/10/17 4:03PM ID: 65118516	The geographical distances that people living in the forest would have to travel is too great for this to be a viable option. To give just two of many reasons: public transport is poor, roads in winter are prone to snow and ice making travel farther than necessary unwise The better option would be to maintain the two hospitals for community inpatient beds, and then split the specialist services that are required between the two so that people who need inpatient care can be near to their friends and relatives, which has a positive impact on their wellbeing, and other services are available at one or other of the hospitals which is a good compromise.		
205	06/10/17 10:57AM ID: 65162564	I would need more information in order to decide. In principle, I would be in favour of a new community hospital in line with the clinical justifications given in the consultation paper but I am also concerned that this proposal is being made in the context of external pressures to cut costs within the NHS, including through the sale of land and buildings. The proposed Sustainability & Transformation Plan is not yet published and it is therefore hard to come to an informed view until this has happened. I would also want more information on the staffing implications of the change, including whether redundancies would arise. I would be firmly against any proposal for a new build to be funded through a PFI programme as I believe these to be a long-term drain on the public purse. If the intent of the proposal is to 'future-proof' health services in the Forest, will the proposed estimates on the number of beds, for example, be adequate, given the population and age profiles for the area which are projected? I welcome the recognition of the importance of accessibility in the Forest of Dean, especially for older and / or less well-off members of the public. However, current public transport (even under the current 2-site arrangements) is pretty inadequate after years of under-investment in bus services within the Forest. It		

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		can be easier to travel out of the Forest on public transport than within it. There would need to be greater evidence of a commitment to help sort transport access than currently seems to be the case (talk to bus companies / taxis / dial-a-ride etc), though that applies for the present 2 site arrangements almost as much as for a 1 site plan.		
206	06/10/17 2:22PM ID: 65180160	Agree with the new hospital but must have the capacity for 48 beds and operating theatre and central to Cinderford		
207	06/10/17 2:24PM ID: 65180776	As long as there is a good public transport facility for people who don't drive		
208	06/10/17 2:25PM ID: 65181077	Status Quo		
209	06/10/17 2:27PM ID: 65181267	I need to know where you intend building the hospital before agreeing to this proposal		
210	06/10/17 9:30PM ID: 65204643	There is no viable location for a single unit in The Forest		
211	06/10/17 9:55PM ID: 65205077	population of the area is growing rapidly reducing the facilities is utter madness. apart from the vast expansion planned for Lydney alone do not forget that the military are due to move out of Beachly in the near future this will enable the rebuilding of the village with probably circa 1200 more houses. before it was knocked down to facilitate the military Beachley was a largish village in its own right and will almost certainly be again. the only real sensible option is rather than build an unsuitable not fit for future purposes hospital (the word hospital you can take with a pinch of salt as reading the literature it would appear that 'an endoscopy building housing 24 beds would be a more accurate label) would be to spend the £11m in spending £5m each on the two existing hospitals and the remaining £1m in staffing end of life care.		
212	09/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65280618	I am concerned about the location of a single hospital and accessibility. Public transport within the Forest of Dean is severely lacking so a single hospital needs to be located centrally rather than either North or South (ie Cinderford or Lydney). Even a centrally located hospital may be difficult to access by public transport as many residents live in remote villages.		
213	09/10/17 10:45AM ID: 65285464	What are the costs of the different options? Who will provide the £11m for the new facility?		
214	09/10/17 9:05PM ID: 65330450	Lydney will lose out yet again everything goes to Cinderford or Coleford, lydney has the growing population but that will make no difference		
215	10/10/17 9:53AM ID: 65350570	As residents we need to know where this new hospital will be located. A cost has been quoted but like everything by the time it is built the cost will have gone up. It needs to be in a central position of the area and on a bus route with free parking		
216	10/10/17 10:07AM ID: 65352277	Because its a bad option. You should be funding and equipping our community hospitals properly. We all know you have been trying to close the Dilke for decades. The Dilke is in a carefully chosen site to be central for the forest, it belongs to us not you, it was built for foresters by foresters. Your idea will leave us with inferior services		
217	10/10/17 10:18AM ID: 65353010	This is a badly thought out plan. and what are you offering? That's all very vague. My view is we would end up with less than we have. We want our two hospitals funded, extended and equipped properly. And what about all the jobs that would have to go?		
218	10/10/17 10:40AM ID: 65354189	This constitutes more self interested control of access to health care by middle class professionals and bureaucrats. Imposition by the vile "Cheltenham Set" on the Forest prasants. The Dilke is ours, we paid for it. The tenuous "plan" is skewed re social impact as per usual. The benefits spurious and disingenuous to agree Dilke / Lydney beds used by non - foresters.		
219	10/10/17 11:00AM ID: 65356909	Expanding on current Dilke hospital site		

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220	10/10/17 11:27AM ID: 65358389	your plans are vague and no committal. We would have less than we have now and less than we need. The Dilke was sited in the heart of the forest deliberately to best serve the forest. Your presentations and prospectus do not constitute a consultation as you are ramming what you want into our faces. You are wrong		
221	10/10/17 11:53AM ID: 65361474	I know most people in the area may have the use of a vehicle but there a lot, like myself that do not. Therefore is no bus service to the Dilke hospital so I hope should there only be one hospital to be chosen, I hope I shall not be unfortunate to require one if it is not in Lydney		
222	10/10/17 12:11PM ID: 65362736	It does not meet my needs any better than the existing arrangements and will just cost a lot for no benefit to people in this area.		
223	10/10/17 6:03PM ID: 65391594	Not convinced that a new community hospital with half the current beds we have at the moment will be better for the Forest of Dean's growing population. Also is £11 million really enough to create a modern, well-equipped community hospital with extra facilities and staff, or will it fall short of expectations? It would be a valuable resource to have one of the current hospitals as a convalescent or rehabilitation centre for Forest patients to be transferred to from GRH, especially if they are elderly and live on their own. This would have the added benefit of releasing beds in overcrowded major hospitals. There are country wide shortages of beds and this would surely be a sensible move!		
224	11/10/17 11:57AM ID: 65434732	Need an assessment of requirements first Current hospitals must continue to be used for health and welfare provision with no diminution of funding.		
225	11/10/17 3:51PM ID: 65453736	For the residence of the Forest of Dean the closure of both Lydney hospital and the Dilke, and their replacement by just one hospital would create transport issues for many more people. Transport within the Forest is still poor, despite the hard work of services such as dial-a-ride. In the consultation document it is stated that the new hospital should be accessible by public transport yet I see no plans of how that is going to be achieved. If it is decided to go ahead with the "one hospital" option, then the only sensible siting of it would be Lydney, preferably on the land bordering the bye pass. During winter Lydney's arterial roads would remain open thus making access by ambulance and visiting clinic physicians easier.		
226	11/10/17 5:46PM ID: 65464879	it will be under funded and we will end up with less services		
227	11/10/17 11:03PM ID: 65479151	The locations of the existing hospitals suit a large area of the community. A new hospital in Newent for example would be of no benefit to those in Lydney or even Coleford who would be better off going straight to Gloucester Hospital. The money to build a new hospital could be better spent on improvements to the existing premises.		
228	12/10/17 9:39AM ID: 65494452	I think local hospitals are excellent for the community e.g travelling, more options in an emergency		
229	12/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65495455	It isn't needed and there would be fewer beds. No new facilities		
230	12/10/17 10:24AM ID: 65497075	Concern over limited number of beds available. Hospital needs to be on a bus route as many people especially elderly do not have their own transport. Why is there no provisions for maternity care / births in hospital or accident and emergency facilities available at the new hospital? Money has already been spent on Dilke facilities this year		
231	12/10/17 1:00PM ID: 65511633	Overall reduced bed number would not help Forest people		
232	12/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65512085	The whole process is dishonest, you have already decided, this is just to look like you are listening, shame on all of you, leave our hospitals alone		

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233	12/10/17 1:15PM ID: 65512721	Present community hospitals all working satisfactory		
234	12/10/17 9:05PM ID: 65546032	<p>The further development of up to date outpatient specialist services is welcome and the restriction to one site is understood. Experience of Lydney Hospital outpatient services is positive - car park and much nearer than Gloucester.</p> <p>My use of an urgent care service on one site in FOD would depend on the service offered, the speed of delivery, the location, the distance from my home and the comparison with Gloucester. If I was doubtful I would go directly to Gloucester.</p> <p>I question the adequacy of 24 beds on a single location to support the development of hospital to home transfers and the community services need for respite care. Does the recorded use of beds by FOD residents include those residents who are registered with Welsh GP practices. Elderly people with elderly carers benefit most from services close to home and restriction to a single site may limit the usefulness of the provision.</p>		
235	13/10/17 11:33AM ID: 65574484	Both hospitals have served the community and further afield for many years and updating and supporting with clinics and on site minor operations could still be carried out if the premises were utilised properly. It seems most rooms that were originally wards are now used as offices or storerooms. Why update the emergency unit at The Dilke when you are going to close it. There is no statement as to where this new hospital is going to be. If there is as much thought used as there was in siting the Dialysis Unit it seems someone is sitting in an office far away with a pin and a map. I believe if the original hospitals were utilised properly the nurses and other medical workers living in the Forest would prefer a short commute to work in their own area rather than a long and expensive {car parking costs and fuel] journey to Cheltenham or Gloucester. Has this option ever been put to them or is the offer of shiny new toys too overwhelming?		
236	13/10/17 12:21PM ID: 65581551	There will be too few beds. When I spoke to one of your reps he said they won't be reserved for Forest people so this is a recipe for disaster. I heard all his arguments but they just don't make sense.		
237	13/10/17 12:56PM ID: 65584392	See below		
238	13/10/17 1:13PM ID: 65586214	I understand the problem BUT the Forest of Dean is a large not easily traversed area. Wherever you place a single hospital is going to cause access problems for somebody. Please try and stretch for more than one		
239	13/10/17 1:19PM ID: 65586970	Because there is not enough information about new hospital		
240	13/10/17 1:23PM ID: 65587146	I do not believe that the option of improving the existing hospitals has been considered sufficiently closely, nor that the financial aspects have been explained. Proposed reduction in number of beds is unjustified		
241	13/10/17 1:48PM ID: 65589214	It may be selfish but it is so much easier to reach Lydney hospital. I have had falls (I am 92.5) and have both stitches and dressings on my legs		
242	13/10/17 1:56PM ID: 65589651	Where is the common sense? 11 million to provide a suitable hospital, use the money to extend the Dilke and Lydney		
243	13/10/17 2:03PM ID: 65590632	It is halving the number of beds in the Forest which has been the ambition of the area Health Authority all along		
244	13/10/17 5:26PM ID: 65612551	There is nothing wrong with the current system. It serves the population well and investment in the existing buildings and services offered would be of greater benefit to the community.		
245	16/10/17 10:01AM ID: 65749238	The total number of hospital beds available for the Forest of Dean will be reduced by closing the Dilke and Lydney hospitals and opening a single community hospital. I do not believe this will improve the services available locally.		
246	17/10/17 9:30AM ID: 65832618	I do not believe it will achieve objective 2 which in an area where the centres of population are spread out over such a wide area and where many elderly people do		

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		not have their own transport, is critical		
247	17/10/17 9:38AM ID: 65833166	you have not given any idea of the costing's of the options available - indeed even whether the cost of upgrading facilities which exist have been explored		
248	17/10/17 10:03AM ID: 65835642	The foresters want to keep our forest hospitals. fund them right, stop being devious and stop lying. Its our forest, not yours, they are our hospitals, not yours - leave them be.		
249	17/10/17 10:17AM ID: 65836451	no doubt you have already decided and this is all a waste of tome and money. Could it be that this 11 million is protected for a new build, stop lying, stop pushing what you what and listen to what we what. we will have to pay for the bloody thing! Keep your new build, fund our fantastic hospitals properly		
250	17/10/17 10:31AM ID: 65837824	Please stop trying to force on us what we don't want. We want the Dilke and Lydney funded properly. What is 11 million going to build? The substandard college is costing double that. Use that money to expand and fund the the hospitals we have. Stop being dishonest.		
251	17/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65858641	How can it be any sense to close 2 fantastic hospitals just to spend money on a smaller one way out of the reach of most of us? 11 million will grow to 20 and then you make us pay the bill. What kind of nonsense is this? Do you have any idea of the harm you would do to the forest or is getting your way all you care about		
252	17/10/17 2:35PM ID: 65860638	Having read the booklet, are you planning an out patients facilities using visiting consultants or is the new hospital going to be GP run and only provide facilities GPs are able to provide?		
253	19/10/17 12:29PM ID: 65993272	A single site hospital will not serve all the communities as well as two sites do		
254	19/10/17 1:05PM ID: 65996534	Option 2 - Redevelop the two existing sites		
255	19/10/17 1:18PM ID: 65997172	Roads in the Forest of Dean make travelling the longer distances involved difficult, Lydney Hospital and the Dilke should be renovated - 5.5 million each out of the 11 million available		
256	19/10/17 1:42PM ID: 65998725	It is evitable as the 2 sites are no longer fit for purpose. However they offer amazing services both in and out patient, but especially access to out of hours minor injury. This must be maintained as the benchmark minimum for future planning. We shouldn't have worse		
257	19/10/17 1:51PM ID: 66000407	Travelling is very difficult for a lot of folks who do not have their own transport or cannot drive		
258	19/10/17 2:20PM ID: 66002494	Update / refurbish what we already have. These two hospitals are well needed and used. and supported by local people		
259	20/10/17 10:05AM ID: 66043419	Not enough beds. Probably no MRI scanners / CT. not enough staff to run full out patients specialisms. not enough consultants visiting Journeys out to Gloucester Royal etc still necessary The care at home teams to avoid hospital admission - not enough staff emphasising environment rather than standard of care		
260	20/10/17 11:07AM ID: 66046386	Insufficiently detailed information of services offered		
261	20/10/17 12:41PM ID: 66059017	1. The new hospital will not accommodate the needs of local people. We need more beds not less. many FoD residents are sent to hospitals in Stroud or Cirencester etc. because local FoD beds are allocated to people from Gloucester and surrounding area. 2. 11 million could be spent on building and extending current provision providing greater value for money		
262	21/10/17 4:32PM	I am concerned about the difficulties that will be encountered by people having to		

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	ID: 66116245	attend appointments or visit relatives by public transport as this is not good in the Forest of Dean. I am also concerned at the loss of inpatient beds as overall so many delays in treatment are blamed on bed shortages.		
263	21/10/17 5:49PM ID: 66118340	The existing hospitals should be invested in.		
264	23/10/17 10:54AM ID: 66170576	Agree in principal but it must be bigger and better than what currently exists with a wider range of available treatments and care		
265	23/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66184945	Extend, improve or upgrade current hospitals. Older people are living longer and more beds will be needed not less.		
266	23/10/17 6:08PM ID: 66207351	Kepp them as they are, 2 hospitals on their own sites		
267	23/10/17 6:16PM ID: 66207143	I can see the advantages of a new facility but this does not take into account the heritage of the Dilke		
268	23/10/17 6:18PM ID: 66207449	Because of the distances between the two and the lack of public transport in the forest means that a new one would be inaccessible to anyone without their own transport. The growth of both Lydney and the new development in Cinderford means that more hospital places are required not less. Gloucester Royal is often overloaded in winter, meaning waiting times at A&E are ridiculous. The turnover of patients means that most winters wards are closed because of infection. What is really needed is what used to be available. A minor injuries in both the Dilke and Lydney plus outpatient clinics to stop excess traffic (causing queues) to the major hospitals. Also an increase in the use of Ambulances for those with no private transport to get to A & E, More beds are required for the people who have had major surgery, to recover in less busy hospitals, close to home.		
269	23/10/17 6:22PM ID: 66207932	Why not plough the money into the 2 hospitals we have, if we only have 1 so called hospital in the forest of dean it limits people getting there. The dilke and lydney are on the doorsteps for people.... taking that away from them could cause major issues and also put strain on our ambulance service too.		
270	23/10/17 6:41PM ID: 66207539	Having one community hospital rather than 2 will mean more travelling for most people. Public transport within the Forest is increasingly sparse. Whilst it is possible to get to Gloucester by bus from anywhere it is not possible to get across the Forest. There are insufficient facts within the consultation booklet to make any real suggestion. To be frank it is just so much waffle & often the same thing is said 2 or even 3 times. The only option I feel able to support is Option 2		
271	23/10/17 7:40PM ID: 66211694	Both in valuable locations- these hospitals have been underfunded to influence people to support the investment in a new super hospital. Less beds in new hospital? Surely we need more with this growing population and better supporting services to relieve the stress.		
272	23/10/17 8:35PM ID: 66213870	Both Lydney Hospital and the Dilke Hospital should be retained on their current sites. There is room at both sites to allow for modernisation and expansion.		
273	23/10/17 9:12PM ID: 66215544	2 hospitals to support both sides of the surrounding areas.		
274	23/10/17 10:37PM ID: 66218066	The current community hospitals are supported by the community. Isn't that the point of community?		
275	24/10/17 11:10AM ID: 66239498	Nothing wrong with the hospitals we have now		

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276	24/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66247830	It reduces the options for Forest residents. Especially, like me, those with limited mobility. It reduces beds and staff. I don't care what people living outside the Forest think. It's irrelevant. As it is I keep being offered appointments in Tewkesbury, reducing facilities in RFOD will make this worse. Getting to Tewkesbury as a non driver with limited mobility is a nightmare. When will the GCC *improve* facilities and services in my area? A shiny new building *somewhere* but with reduced capacity is a waste of time and money.		
277	24/10/17 2:40PM ID: 66254878	The Dilke is already there, familiar to everyone and centrally located. I also do not have good faith that the new hospital, with better facilities and more beds would ever transpire. Existing hospitals at Dilke and Lydney should be invested in, along with much better public transport links		
278	24/10/17 5:12PM ID: 66266519	The Forest of Dean is a large area and having only one hospital would make it more difficult for local people to get to the NHS services, at the moment having two hospitals means people can be closer to one of their services as they are on different sides of the Forest of Dean		
279	24/10/17 5:40PM ID: 66268193	The forest is growing rapidly, over the yrs people have fundraised to keep lydneygoing. I think both community hospitals should be updated and transport ie buses are available . The lack of beds in the new hospital is just hideous, people are living longer which means more patients, dont think its fair for people in the forest to be sent to stroud, cotswalds etc. WE NEED LYDNEY AND DILKE HOSPITALS		
280	25/10/17 7:05AM ID: 66287542	The proposed hospital will have fewer beds than the 2 hospitals it is intended to replace.		
281	25/10/17 11:41AM ID: 66302794	I do not believe 24 beds are adequate especially wit hall the new housing development		
282	25/10/17 11:52AM ID: 66303818	The two existing hospitals could be extended and developed together with another hospital built strategically in the forest.		
283	25/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66303163	These hospital's have served the F.O.D. for many years, the local people have raised enormous amounts of money to improve the care they provide. When serious issues arrive we can use a reasonable public service to take us to the Gloucester Royal. Out patients departments in both are adequate and easy to attend providing you have your own transport or for me Lydney is in walking distance. I question the criteria you have listed as being what the people of the Forest of Dean need or have asked for.		
284	25/10/17 5:16PM ID: 66325605	I believe a population of around 90,000 deserve a Hospital with full facility's i/e a Birthing unit & a small A&E surgical unit , £11,000,000 seems to be a great deal of money for at best minor injury Hospital with half the beds we now have !! , Plus the time an ambulance would take to get to Gloucester A&E , We have seen the local news about the times it takes for a paramedic or ambulance to turn up , We are in the " 21 century " we deserve better.		
285	25/10/17 9:21PM ID: 66336986	Both hospitals are needed where they are situated. We need to stop the expectation that everyone can travel to Gloucester for treatment. Community hospitals should mean that they are situated in the community which they will serve. I do not support any option which means the closure of either of these hospitals.		
286	26/10/17 1:21AM ID: 66341939	Two hospitals are needed... at least!. The population of the forest is growing at an alarming rate. The two current hospitals should be improved instead.		
287	26/10/17 10:38AM ID: 66355559	Unsure		
288	26/10/17 1:59PM ID: 66365732	we have got to keep our hospitals we love them . spend the money on them and keep as many beds as we can. do not dilkelet out sidere tell us what is best for us. lydney		

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		and the dilke are great hospitals		
289	26/10/17 3:11PM ID: 66371236	This option makes a mockery of all the fund raising done for many years particularly by Mr.Melville Watts OBE,who would have surely been appalled.What about all those bereaved people who have given donations after the deaths of their loved ones thinking they would help provide equipment for our LOCAL hospitals ? Plans to close our two hospitals are an insult to them. We need our hospitals to have 24hr.A&E, 24hr.X-Ray ,Maternity hospital and well equipped facilities so that consultants and surgeons have no excuse not to come to the Forest to administer treatment to patients ,instead of us having to struggle to Gloucester/Cheltenham for even the smallest procedure.As to the number of beds,we have many more households in the Forest so surely we need substantially more beds not fewer. We are continually having to fight off so called progress which the people at the top say will improve our medical facilities in the Forest.The people at the top don't live here!!!!		
290	26/10/17 9:45PM ID: 66388826	Do not agree with reduced bed numbers. Dilke must not be sold off. It belongs to the foresters.		
291	27/10/17 8:55AM ID: 66397500	Properly fund the existing hospitals. 20 beds instead of the existing 40+ is an insult and shows how the 'powers that be' are the ones not fit for purpose.		
292	27/10/17 9:34AM ID: 66399908	I fear that the new hospital will provide fewer, less convenient facilities than the two existing hospitals. the credibility of politicians promising new costly facilities is not good. I suspect that having decided to close the two existing hospitals and replace with a new facility costing £xm, they will suddenly find that only £1/2x is now available, with poor public transport / car parking.		
293	27/10/17 6:26PM ID: 66428209	I think the money should be used to improve the existing facilities. Money will be wasted on building a new hospital when it could be used to improve facilities that we already have with minor building owrk to extend current buildings or build some new smaller units		
294	27/10/17 9:32PM ID: 66433826	We need local hospitals that communities can get to easily.		
295	28/10/17 8:12AM ID: 66441652	I am an experienced nurse and have been a manager in the NHS I am a forester and have worked in these hospitals and the Ross on Wye hospital that went through just this process. This mive to knock down turn of century hospitals and build new just does not stand to reason if you have a site such as the Dilke which can be developed to enable modern safe and effective treatment services without losing heritage. The Lydney site while I would be very sad to see it go is too small. I have also been involved in the past with St Paul's maternity in Cheltenham doing the same I can see benefits of new purpose build but strongly this is not the case. Dilke offered much and still could its issues were with M. O cover not facilities! The forest is being exploited mercilessly in name of tourism and housing believe me Forest people of all ages do not see a proposal to loose the Dilke as a health care benefit! My family in the past paid for the Dilke.		
296	28/10/17 10:31PM ID: 66461727	Lydney & The Dilke Hospital already offer more Beds than the "Proposed 11 Million Pound Hospital"!!! The Deveoper will be the only one making profit.. Also they have already stopped "Out Of Hours GP's in The Forest of Dean". We have NO Doctors within the Forest of Dean in the Evenings or Weekends! The Public have to travel to Gloucester Royal Hospital, this is a 20 Mile Trip from The Forest of Dean.. This is putting more strain on Gloucester Royal A&E or their Out of Hours. It's a 40 Mile all round trip from The Forest of Dean. Why not open our own GP Practices & pay Out Of Hour Doctors to run them in the		

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		<p>Evenings & Weekends if it's about saving money?.</p> <p>The Dilke & Lydney were already places to see Out Patient Specialists from Gloucester or Cheltenham Hospital...</p> <p>Gloucester Hospital is already showing signs of strain & making mistakes due to lack of resources. The Forest of Dean is adding to this & unless resources are resumed in The Forest of Dean it could cause catastrohic effects!!!</p>		
297	30/10/17 10:45AM ID: 66510935	I cannot support this unless there are the same amount of beds available that are already held between Lydney and Cinderford		
298	30/10/17 11:25AM ID: 66513880	<p>1. Site 2. Cost 3 - Transport</p> <p>Upgrade the 2 present hospitals to include all specialist to attend outpatients in both hospitals Where will it be situated? Transport - shuttle bus etc? Waste of money when NHS struggling - shortage of staff etc</p>		
299	30/10/17 1:03PM ID: 66521571	I recently had to drive myself to hospital having cut my finger. The journey was difficult enough without any help. If I had to travel further, I would have struggled.		
300	30/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66522214	Very concerned that the proposed hospital will not be big enough to replace all services and others (promised in objectives) currently at Dilke and Lydney. Still a lot of travel for some foresters 11 million pounds is a drop in the ocean of current budgets		
301	30/10/17 1:20PM ID: 66522807	Dilke Memorial Hospital is a wonderful hospital in a beautiful location and should be retained at all costs. It is also very convenient for North forest residents such as Newent		
302	30/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66523163	I would support the upgrading of or a new hospital in place of the Dilke. At present we do not have bus service from Newent to the Dilke which is much needed. I have in the past worked as a GP in Lydney and found the hospital there very useful as a cottage hospital and I regret the passing of these local options for limited care.		
303	30/10/17 6:39PM ID: 66546535	<p>FAO: Forest of Dean NHS Trust</p> <p>Sir or Madam</p> <p>Lydney & District Hospital Future Of ...</p> <p>Sadly, I have been reading diverse media comments, mainly negative, ref proposal to close the above hospital, which personally I do not believe would not serve the bests of the local community.</p> <p>New Hospital - in theory, despite the huge costs, building a new hospital may have some limited merit, depending on facilities, staffing levels, opening times etc and i e, even assuming it could be completed within (a) Contracted, appropriate timescale, and (b) Planned budget cost.</p> <p>Taking into account the increasing population, in my opinion, closing the existing hospitals is extremely short-sighted, and to which I OBJECT.</p> <p>'Would be' patients, are likely to be extremely inconvenienced, not to mention the expense of travelling + potential ??? parking costs etc.</p> <p>Lydney & District MIU Hospital - is ideally situated, is convenient, providing a range of services for the community.</p>		

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		<p>Quite a % of patients travel from Chepstow area for treatment, i e, rather than travel to Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, and there, to be subject to excessive frustrating wait times.</p> <p>Lydney & District HospitalMIU - realistically, the hospital's work as a Minor Injuries Unit, saves patients unnecessary wait times, travelling time, cost involved, and undue worry.</p> <p>I live in Tutshill, Glos, approx 9 miles from Lydney and have twice been very happy with the care received in that MIU unit.</p> <p>(1) Some years ago, I fell down the stairs in the dark, badly cut my right knee which was very efficiently stitched, at Lydney & District MIU.</p> <p>(2) In April this year, following a car accident, I needed stitches at the base of my right thumb, again this injury was processed quickly an effectively at Lydney & District MIU.</p> <p>(I had declined the Ambulance crew's wish to take me to Gloucester Hospital).</p> <p>Yours faithfully</p> <p>M Williamson (Mrs)</p>		
304	30/10/17 6:50PM ID: 66547538	<p>FAO: FOD NHSTrust</p> <p>Sir or Madam</p> <p>Lydney & District Hospital Future Of</p> <p>Ref proposal to close the hospital, would not serve the bests of the local community.</p> <p>Would a new hospital be completed within contracted appropriate timescale, and within planned budget cost.</p> <p>The increasing population, including those with Learning Disabilities living in the community, closing the existing hospitals is not helpful, I OBJECT.</p> <p>Patients, are likely to be extremely inconvenienced, by the expense of travelling + potential parking costs etc.</p> <p>Lydney & District MIU Hospital - is ideally situated, is convenient, providing a range of services for the community.</p> <p>% of patients travel from Chepstow area for treatment, i e, rather than travel to Royal Gwent Hospital, Newport, and be subject to excessive wait times.</p> <p>MIU - realistically, the hospital's work as a Minor Injuries Unit, saves patients unnecessary travelling, and worry.</p> <p>I live with my mother/Carer/Appointee approx 9 miles from Lydney MIUand it is easily to get to</p> <p>Yours faithfully</p>		

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		T Williamson (Miss) - Learning Disability, lives with Mother/Carer/Appointee		
305	30/10/17 8:12PM ID: 66551425	The 2 current hospitals have been underfunded and underused for years - the allocated money would be better spent on improving these places which in any case have been greatly funded by local people over decades. The new proposals would provide fewer beds than already available - far more respite and rehab beds are required to prevent bed blocking in the city hospitals		
306	30/10/17 8:17PM ID: 66551967	The two hospitals currently available are always full with patients. Need I say more?		
307	31/10/17 9:43AM ID: 66574028	No No No Keep as is. No Need to waste money building new		
308	31/10/17 3:29PM ID: 66638369	The new proposal will not meet the needs of the Forest of Dean Community		
309	31/10/17 8:53PM ID: 66661633	Access. The Forest covers a large area and travel can be difficult, time consuming or plain impossible. Our present two hospitals act as two different hubs and make access easier. Plan want to reduce bed availability, one reason given is that many times beds are used by people from out side the area. This maybe so but our NHS is a national service this is not always about local services for local people capacity across the NHS has shrunk and I believe many people from the Forest end up elsewhere for various reasons and that is necessary for their care. Loosing beds in the Forest is a loss to the whole NHS at a time when beds are needed. The planners behind this project are attempting to hamstring the people of the Forest, no options do not have to conform to you narrow and funneling criteria, this is gaslighting! Our present hospitals need investment after neglect they need some services expanding but crucially they are ours . I have tried to find out how this new hospital will be funded but there does not appear to be any mention of funding, so I am left believing this will be a PFI project, which is the last thing the people here in the Forest want PFI projects are not owned by the NHS and only really serve to fill the pockets of the financial sector at the cost of our health services. This whole plan is a wolf in sheep's clothing dressed up with hyperbole and dressed with a PR bow.		
310	02/11/17 2:40PM ID: 66780969	Na		
311	02/11/17 6:11PM ID: 66795692	I understand that a new "hospital" will include just a small number of beds and that we will loose our accident and emergency facility.		
312	02/11/17 7:00PM ID: 66796229	There are already too few beds in Gloucestershire. My Mother needed hospital care and there were no beds at the Dilke, Gloucester and Stroud. She was given the last bed in Lydney. If the number of beds in the Forest are reduced where are we to go. Care in the Community is not often appropriate. Beds throughout England have been reduced to critical level. Everyone, with help, can travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham for different procedures which used to be available locally until they were withdraw, None of us are able to magic a bed in a hospital if it is needed.		
313	03/11/17 9:36AM ID: 66819241	The 2 hospitals are very good. Very convenient and give good care		
314	03/11/17 9:50AM ID: 66820084	you seem to be only concerned with elderly people. Questions asked at meeting in St Briavels were very carefully evaded. No definite answers		
315	03/11/17 9:53AM ID: 66820574	I think the Dilke and Lydney hospitals serve the forest well and the money which would be spent on building a new hospital should be used to update and renovate our 2 existing hospitals.		

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316	03/11/17 9:59AM ID: 66820973	Because it will mean a big loss of beds whilst at the time when there are more older people requiring those beds		
317	03/11/17 10:07AM ID: 66821950	Why replace 2 hospitals with 1, less beds and harder for locals to reach		
318	03/11/17 10:25AM ID: 66823702	Is asbestos a reason for not altering the present hospitals?		
319	03/11/17 10:33AM ID: 66824256	Retain and develop Dilke and Lydney hospitals to provide INCREASE in number of beds for non acute and convalescent care thus ameliorating pressure on acute hospitals. A local maternity unit would be a welcome provision. Reduction in number of beds will simply increase pressure on already over stretched community services and family carers.		
320	03/11/17 6:31PM ID: 66870490	you should use the money intended for a new hospital to update both hospitals we have as we need to keep both,with the amount of new houses being built in the forest we need more beds not less,		
321	03/11/17 6:40PM ID: 66871524	By your own numbers there will be an increase in the elderly population, by the same token there will be a similar increase in the total population, I could agree if the proposal were to build a hospital with at least 15% more beds than are currently available, also with a minor injury department. My v both current hospitals should be upgraded and used as recovery wards for patients who are coming out of the main surgical hospital's this will reduce the number of beds blocked, it will also reduce the need for high skilled nursing staff, small minor injury units must be maintained on a day basis patients can be assessed before any decision to refer to the main A&E centres, the end of life care beds must be retained locally.		
322	04/11/17 5:43PM ID: 66912044	Because the new 'option' will provide fewer beds for a growing population. Why can't the Dilke and Lydney Hospitals both be updated? Each hospital could be updated, one to take account of one of the new options and the other to take account of any other options required for the future.		
323	04/11/17 7:37PM ID: 66915707	Less beds. Two hospitals are to me better than one.		
324	06/11/17 10:03AM ID: 66967219	Lots of money have been raised for both hospitals over the years and I'm sure the Dilke has the facility to expand to make it bigger and Lydney could be updated too, no need for another Hospital as what will happen to the lovely buildings bulldozed no doubt terrible.		
325	06/11/17 10:07AM ID: 66967898	I can not see how half the number of hospitals and half the number of beds can mean better provision. If we only have one hospital then the second already existing hospital site should be used as for example a hospice or other similar service		
326	06/11/17 12:17PM ID: 66911009	Refurbish and upgrade the existing sites. These two sites offer more beds, currently than the new single site would offer. I'm sure the problems you put forward in your booklet could be easily overcome. Also; I expect the building of a new hospital would burden us with yet more PFI debt , giving the private investors a very, very good incentive to invest! I feel that the new hospital scenario may well be favoured simply because funding mechanisms for the established sites preclude any private financial involvement.		
327	06/11/17 12:35PM ID: 66985167	No provision for maternity services		
328	06/11/17 12:39PM ID: 66985811	The Dilke where I was born was funded by local people, we need to maintain the reason why foresters exist in the true sense		
329	06/11/17 12:48PM ID: 66987223	Would rather see present hospitals updated - Not enough beds in the new hospital		
330	06/11/17 12:56PM	for the cost of providing one community hospital, the two existing hospitals could		

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	ID: 66988224	surely be redeveloped properly		
331	06/11/17 1:10PM ID: 66989778	What will happen to the present hospital sites? Dilke belongs to the Forest not to a faceless body		
332	06/11/17 1:13PM ID: 66990313	Money should be spent to improve and build onto existing hospitals		
333	06/11/17 1:21PM ID: 66990725	I do not agree with closing both Forest hospitals and replacing them with a very much smaller hospitals when the amount of house building passed for 2018 will enlarge the forest population		
334	06/11/17 1:32PM ID: 66991913	not enough work has been done on investigating whether Lydney or Dilke can be upgraded		
335	08/11/17 12:04PM ID: 67146412	Beds will be lost		
336	08/11/17 10:21PM ID: 67185690	<p>At present you have two local and convenient hospitals serving the aging community. The proposal to replace them with a single smaller hospital is both short sighted and missing several of the objectives specified in section 8 of your own consultation booklet. The claim that at any one time only 21 beds are occupied by local residents and therefore the new unit will be provided with 24 beds and no maternity unit is flawed. I am sure local residents are currently located at other hospitals who would otherwise be in a local community hospital if the facilities were available. One would assume that additional facilities would be available in a new hospital and therefore these people would moved back to local facilities. We constantly hear of bed shortages in hospitals around the UK (I accept that other projects are being introduced to try and improve this) but to build a new hospital with less capacity is clearly wrong. The cost of building a hospital with say 48 beds is not twice that of a hospital with 24 ! Major cost are building in the first place and size becomes less of an issue as you increase the size. The removal of toll fees on the Severn bridge will without doubt increase the population above your forecasts as people currently working in the Bristol area would find more affordable housing in the forest.</p> <p>You have two hospitals that may now require renovations to improve facilities and bring them up to modern standards. One option you appear not to have considered is allowing each hospital to 'specialize' in different areas. Allowing both to provide a minor injuries units and some other standard services but allowing the more specialist facilities to be provided in one or the other but not both ! This would overcome the costs and staffing issues that you perceive are problems with keeping both open.</p> <p>Another option would be to keep the Dilke hospital open for minor injuries and basic care facilities and build a new hospital with additional facilities to replace Lydney Hospital. This would ensure you kept local trained staff with the correct knowledge at each location and make recruitment easier as staff would have the continued option of working locally without excessive travel. Patients would also maintain local contacts and make visiting easier for everyone.</p>		
337	09/11/17 10:05AM ID: 67218067	Don't know yet		
338	09/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67218633	I fell that we still need the Dilke and Lydney		
339	09/11/17 10:45AM ID: 67219046	<p>1 - not enough information</p> <p>2 - With this information this facility would be a leap backwards from the services supplied by the 2 present hospitals.</p> <p>100% against Private rooms</p>		
340	09/11/17 10:49AM ID: 67223320	<p>When GPs highlight a lack of beds in hospitals as the greatest challenge facing the NHS, why are you halving the number of beds locally?</p> <p>Don't give the excuse that people from outside the Forest are using them!</p>		
341	09/11/17 11:16AM	would not oppose a new hospital but we still need beds and nursing near		

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	ID: 67224270	communities. Cuts to home care mean more old people need care and nursing for convalescence and rehabilitation		
342	09/11/17 11:40AM ID: 67228029	The hospitals in the forest are not funded enough and the Dilke was built with the money taken from the miners (included my Grandfathers) who worked in the local pits. This is part of the Forest Heritage and it should stay.		
343	09/11/17 11:42AM ID: 67229249	I am unable to support this option as the Dilke hospital was funded by miner's money. I appreciate that the NHS now fund it but moving the hospital from this site I do not feel is beneficial to residents of the Forest		
344	09/11/17 11:57AM ID: 67231247	One hospital replacing two is asking for overcrowding and increasing time and distance getting there. The money available would be better used improving the condition, facilities and size of both hospitals		
345	09/11/17 1:03PM ID: 67239314	One single hospital will be unable to support the Forest of Dean community because it is spread out and the population is increasing with new housing development. We should consider option 2		
346	09/11/17 1:09PM ID: 67240416	People in Lydney will be long way from a single hospital either as inpatient or visitor, especially if they have no car or are elderly		
347	09/11/17 1:19PM ID: 67241170	Upgrade the existing hospitals, there is plenty of useable space and these hospitals are historic for the Forest of Dean. The Dilke has plenty of space to Expand		
348	09/11/17 4:13PM ID: 67258842	need to hospital in the forest as their will not be enough beds its all about cutting cost and not care		
349	10/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67320597	The Forest is not an easy area to travel for outpatient appointments. Some 'visiting' services - eye; hearing; physio-therapy; 111 clinics/consultations - might reasonably also be organised and made available, on a split/part-time/share basis, at one of the existing locations.		
350	10/11/17 2:08PM ID: 67335472	Lydney hospital and The Dilke are being deliberately run down to help justify investment in a new green field site in / near Coleford, when investment in existing building and existing equipment would far better serve an expanding aging population		
351	10/11/17 2:13PM ID: 67336122	With increased building - need the bed options as at present. eg Also helps out @ Gloucester Hospital when no beds available eg Churchdown etc for recovery options		
352	10/11/17 2:18PM ID: 67336629	I have always thought the Forest of Dean needs an all purpose single hospital, but not what you propose. A complete waste of money and not fit for purpose		
353	10/11/17 5:08PM ID: 67351651	I do agree BUT I would like to see our historic Lydney hospital used as a site for outpatient clinics such as ophthalmology ,audiology ,medical and surgical consultations. I certainly would not to lose our excellent Physiotherapy department. Travelling to Gloucester or Cheltenham is not easy especially when not able to drive.		
354	11/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67384775	It ignores the fact that people in the Forest have a strong emotional connection with their 2 community hospitals. They are part of our heritage They are easily capable of meeting the needs of the Forest including diagnostics obviating the need to travel to Gloucester		
355	12/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67422438	The populations of these areas are very different. Lydney has a hugely growing population which stretches to the border of Wales. Two hospital are my preferred option but if one is the only possibility let it be Lydney where transport links are far better. If you decide on just one and it is within the actual forest then let Lydney have a highly developed medical hub with the essential services. You could include ambulance and fire facilities on the same site and sell off their valuable grounds for development. Lydney people would be able to access Gloucester more easily than Coleford or Cinderford, transport links to which can be treacherous ,particularly at night.		

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		You are no doubt aware that at present Chepstow people come to Lydney Hospital for A& E.		
356	13/11/17 12:00PM ID: 67472969	We are already at are limit with beds and if we have a new hospital then we will have less beds !! These two hospitals need updating yes but not replaced !		
357	13/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67468260	Due to the topography and local infrastructure one community hospital will not serve the whole of the Forest of Dean the travel distances are not acceptable. In addition the Dilke Memorial Hospital is as the name suggests is a memorial to Sir Charles Dilke and should not and I believe cannot be used for any purpose other than for medical purposes. From the feed back received by the hospital and the donation received by the Friends of the Dilke Hospital the location is perfect for rehabilitation and end of life. There is sufficient space at the Dilke site to accommodate a two storey new build giving sufficient "Foot Print" to achieve the true objectives.		
358	13/11/17 2:33PM ID: 67488228	this consultation does not have enough information to persuade me that this is not a step backwards		
359	13/11/17 4:01PM ID: 67499891	Halving the number of beds available is scandalous. Getting to Gloucester, Cheltenham or Newport on a daily visit is distressing enough for anyone! Invest, instead, in the facilities we know, love and support.		
360	13/11/17 7:32PM ID: 67515482	How can a single hospital with half the number of beds, and increasing the difficulty of access for either the people of Lydney or Cinderford or both, particularly those without cars, possibly be better than the status quo?		
361	13/11/17 9:32PM ID: 67522040	I cannot see how replacing two hospitals providing 40 odd beds with a new hospital which will provide 24 beds can be seen as an improvement. As far as I can see, all of the objectives stated in Section 8 of the consultation document are currently being met by the Dilke Hospital and Lydney Hospital already. Why do you need to spend money on a new Hospital for the Forest of Dean when I understand a significant sum has recently been spent on modernising parts of the Dilke? The objectives in the document are just a load of waffle.....we already have excellent services from both hospitals		
362	13/11/17 11:38PM ID: 67527287	I prefer both hospitals and to build on extra, to support services needed, ie - Maternity unit, rehabilitation unit for PTSD and other mental illnesses as well as urgent medical care. One hospital doesn't have enough proposed beds, therefore costing cheaper to run. Is this how you will save money!!!! We need more medical staff so that we don't have overtired staff. They need to be cared for as well. All the money that is needed for the planning, preparing of ground and infrastructure and building a new hospital etc, in my opinion could be well spent on the ones we have. Our two hospitals as is, already have bus routes by them (on the doorstep).		
363	14/11/17 9:10AM ID: 67540267	FUND PROPERLY THE TWO HOSPITALS WE ALREADY HAVE. I BELIEVE THIS ISSUE IS ALL A 'RED HERRING' AND THIS GOVERNMENT HAVE NO INTENTION OF PROVIDING ADEQUATE FACILITIES FOR US ALL IN THE FOREST OF DEAN. THE FOREST PEOPLE HAVE FUNDED PERSONALLY AND CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE FACILITIES WHICH ARE NECESSARY AS HAVE THEIR FOREFATHERS. GOVERNMENT GREED AND INCOMPETENCE IN FUNDING THE CURRENT FACILITIES OVER A LONG PERIOD OF TIME STAND AT PRESENT AND IS VERY WRONG FOR ALL.		
364	14/11/17 11:26AM ID: 67552958	Insufficient information on location, fewer beds would be available. The existing hospitals must be enhanced and staff levels and efficiency improved. Also home care for the elderly and disabled.		

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365	14/11/17 11:51AM ID: 67554742	How can you make sense to close two wonderful hospitals and fantastic facilities. They have one situated in the heart of the Forest, not only serving Cinderford but also the local community areas. The site was chosen wisely giving us only one other option. Option 2 - share the 11 million and refurbish both our wonderful hospitals		
366	14/11/17 11:59AM ID: 67556312	More houses are being built in area = more people Your new places = less beds If you have 11 million to spend, why have you not spent more on existing two = £4,000,000 on each £1,000,000 stick in hand		
367	14/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67557030	No transport from here to FOD - though we are told that we are in FOD - Council etc - We are not		
368	14/11/17 12:34PM ID: 67559017	Not enough beds No mention of maternity wards No surgical procedures If to go ahead, needs a central location		
369	14/11/17 12:36PM ID: 67559553	It seems there will not be enough beds? Thinking small and not looking to the future		
370	14/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67559704	I appreciate the problems associated with maintaining two sites, but the area is a large one with the population very spread out, even though there are the obvious urban centres. Public transport has declined over the years and, without the use of private transport, many have difficulty in attending existing facilities. A single new hospital on an as yet unknown site would, potentially, cause even more problems. Lydney Community Hospital is relatively close to the town centre and is surrounded by housing but, because of its elevated position, commands wonderful views over the Severn, which must help the recovery of anyone who is an in-patient. The Dilke is a bit more out of the way, but it has considerable historical significance and, until recently, was out of the reach of the NHS. Both sites have room for expansion and could, if the will were there, be fully upgraded. They would still need to share some facilities, or specialise in certain disciplines, in the same way that Cheltenham and Gloucester do.		
371	14/11/17 1:26PM ID: 67563717	Waste of NHS money when we have 2 perfectly good hospitals. Spend fraction of this money maintaining existing hospitals		
372	14/11/17 1:55PM ID: 67566080	Money should be used to repair / renovate current hospitals		
373	14/11/17 2:30PM ID: 67567097	THE TWO HOSPITALS WE HAVE WOULD BE STATE OF THE ART IF THE ELEVEN MILLION WERE SPLIT BETWEEN THE TWO OF THEM, WE NEED TO KEEP AT LEAST THE SAME AMOUNT OF BEDS A REDUCTION IS UNACCEPTABLE, SIDE ROOMS OK BUT WARDS PLAY A LARGE PART IN THE RECOVERY OF PATIENTS, AND EASIER TO LOOK AFTER THAN SINGLE CLOSED OFF UNITS, A AND E , X RAY, OUT PATIENTS, PHYSIO, WE HAVE ALL OF THESE NOW SO JUST IMAGINE WHAT COULD BE DONE WITH AN INJECTION OF FIVE AND A HALF MILLION POUNDS EACH FOR THE DILKE AND LYDNEY HOSPITALS		
374	14/11/17 5:14PM ID: 67582814	your option is a reduction in what we have at the moment is not fit for purpose for the future generations we should retain the excellent 2 current hospitals and invest any money in extra staff		
375	14/11/17 5:33PM ID: 67583923	as a forestry worker if I encounter a injury I no I will get excellent attention at the Dilk with past experience I know I could not get the same priority treatment at the likes of GRH and have no reason to think that treatment at a new facility would be any better than that at the GRH. having had a recent life threatening incident I was rushed to Lydney hospital where they assessed me and immediately transferred me by air ambulance to the BRI the speed they worked was unbelievable do not believe we will get the same service from a one facility operation		

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376	14/11/17 5:39PM ID: 67584821	We cannot support any option that reduces the number of hospital beds. This reduction is not even mentioned in your consultation !! The whole consultation is so vague about where any new hospital would be sited into the bargain. How can it be nearer all 3 major towns ? There is not even a mention of Newent. It would be a better option to spend the money on updating both hospitals		
377	14/11/17 5:56PM ID: 67585222	on boxing day 2016 my house was broken into by my friends as I did not respond to their efforts to check on me they found me collapsed on the floor rang the ambulance (this was 7pm) from Lydney who transferred me on blue light to GRH, I may as well, gone to hell, the ambulance staff told my friend that had they not found me I would not have lasted the night, no one at GRH understood when I ask for a glass of water, I was stabilized at the GRH but made no move towards recovery not until after a lot of protest from my local councillor I was transferred to Lydney hospital were I started to recover from day 2 and even though I remained in that hospital for several weeks the treatment I received was second to none the staff excellent and caring, so different from GRH, I put my recovery down to 2 facts one being the staff the second being that I was in a ward with 5 others and I still maintain that we aided each others recovery. so a definite NO to single bed rooms.		
378	14/11/17 8:52PM ID: 67596258	All community hospitals in forest are good places which are not used efficiently which is the same throughout the NHS, they need to deploy some 'Lean Techniques' and get it back to how it was run 30 years ago. We need maternity units, a&e 24/7 and small op units along with outpatients, chemo facilities etc. Basically just investment and commitment from consultants which in turn will require doctors and nurses. We don't want to travel 15 miles and pay a fortune to park a car we need and deserve facilities locally. Building a new unit will not make any difference unless it's going to provide the same as Gloucester.		
379	14/11/17 10:40PM ID: 67601897	There should be an option to develop a new hospital in Lydney, perhaps on the bypass where road access to the main artery routes through the county are easily accessed, whilst routes in and around the forest are also easily accessed. There is plenty of development land around Lydney that would/could support a hospital. With the large increase in housing in the Coleford and Lydney areas it seems to indicate a location closer to the A48 is more desirable. Also staff access to the facilities would be easier, and as a side benefit, the investment in a new hospital in Lydney may start some regeneration of the area.		
380	15/11/17 7:02AM ID: 67611513	You cannot justify losing one bed these days let alone the numbers you are talking about.		
381	15/11/17 6:27PM ID: 67671390	Keep the existing hospitals and invest in them		
382	16/11/17 8:25AM ID: 67699651	We have 2 exceptional sites in Lydney and Cinderford. What is proposed is a reduction not only in beds but also in services. We need more beds and to retain 2 sites in Lydney area possibly closer to Tutshill and in Cinderford area		
383	16/11/17 10:23AM ID: 67708046	We have only lived in the area for 2 years and have been very impressed by the way the NHS operates here. We have appreciated being able to use both Dilke and Lydney at times and prefer these to the larger Gloucester Royal or Southmead. We are fortunate in that we are able to drive to any of these hospitals but it may be more difficult for those relying on public transport - although the bus service in Cinderford seems very good. I am aware that there is much local historic attachment to both Dilke and Lydney and they are very 'user friendly'. It would seem to me that the best solution would be to upgrade both local hospitals with specialist services - eg. endoscopy - in one and other specialisms in the other. I appreciate that there may be problems to doing this, but it cannot be as great as knocking them both down and starting from scratch somewhere else. (or, even worse, just leaving them to become abandoned eyesores).		
384	16/11/17 8:03PM ID: 67753742	I believe that we need to SAVE BOTH Lydney and the Dilke Hospitals, not spend unnecessary money on building a new hospital. The two we currently have are well		

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		placed to deal with the Forest area.		
385	17/11/17 6:16AM ID: 67768480	I would prefer a retrofit option of both hospitals. With increased staff and training		
386	17/11/17 9:34AM ID: 67776591	<p>You intend to lower the number of beds by half from the existing number, spending 11 million pounds on a small hospital is rather amazing, no property in the Forest is worth a quarter of this figure.</p> <p>Brian Bennett purchased the whole of the Mitcheldean Xerox site for far less than 11 million.</p>		
387	17/11/17 8:22PM ID: 67826573	We have already lost our bus services and local police station, now the last public amenity is being taken from us. So many locals use this facility.		
388	17/11/17 9:28PM ID: 67829280	<p>Unsure about the number of beds for inpatient services. The acute trust is already struggling with patient flow - because many "rehabable" patients are blocking beds as there's no room in community hospitals.</p> <p>Concerned about having all single rooms - sounds good, but can also be very isolating & boring for patients. ? Need for a large day room?</p>		
389	19/11/17 3:40AM ID: 67868464	<p>This is a biased survey. Fulfilment of your criteria can only really happen via your recommended option.</p> <p>I think the 11 million should be spent on the two existing hospitals which serve the FOD brilliantly. The reduction of bed numbers is unacceptable and the alternatives suggested such as more care in patient homes and staffing of beds in residential care homes can not compensate. Care for the elderly in their own homes whether sick or well is already at breaking point. We do not need 'State of the Art' services here as much as we need readily available general hospital services.</p> <p>I understand from the drop in sessions that revenue from sale of the two prime hospital sites would probably have to go into the general pot and not necessarily into local health care. How can this be justified?</p> <p>Please listen genuinely to what people want. The fact that your consultation is for guidance only is highly worrying.</p>		
390	19/11/17 11:47AM ID: 67878106	The current model means more beds, two sites, and in my experience immediate care. How can you propose something without giving firm alternatives. It smacks of the referendum. Please keep the hospitals that serve this local community as they are.		
391	20/11/17 10:47AM ID: 67919645	When the council sold off the ground around Chepstow hospital for building, the hospital was knocked down and a promise of a new hospital was given, they did not, all they replaced it with an old folks home and as we speak it seems like most of that will be shutting. How can we trust you not to do the same with Dilke / Lydney after all you are on about replacing 40 beds with 24, half the service already.		
392	20/11/17 11:02AM ID: 67921848	Keep both especially the Dilke and bring up to standard as you would new hospitals. The Dilke is in a very good position.		
393	20/11/17 11:06AM ID: 67922093	Loss of beds, reduced service		
394	20/11/17 11:11AM ID: 67922610	When new hospitals are built eg, Chepstow, the majority of facilities the old hospital had eg, A&E Department are not replaced. Nearest hospital Newport backward step worse - no better		
395	20/11/17 11:14AM ID: 67922969	Extend existing hospitals to provide more services, Maternity ward etc More beds not less		
396	20/11/17 11:25AM ID: 67923822	We need both hospitals as Forest of Dean is such a large area. Number of beds are reduced despite an ageing population. no maternity services provided		
397	20/11/17 11:32AM ID: 67924867	Beds reduced to an unacceptable level to the area covered. To improve the facilities we already have. Bringing back facilities we have lost eg. Theatre, Maternity etc		
398	20/11/17 11:36AM	As well as NOT instead of		

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	ID: 67925252			
399	20/11/17 11:39AM ID: 67925660	To buy more land and build from new seems more expensive than building on the land of our 2 hospitals. Extend Dilke and make Lydney a maternity hospital		
400	20/11/17 11:46AM ID: 67926340	Certainly rebuild one of the hospitals with at least 36 - 48 beds. The other could be refurbished to become a community facility such as a hospice or recovery unit		
401	20/11/17 11:50AM ID: 67926821	Dilke hospital was funded by miners in the beginning and should be kept. There is room for extensions to be built and plenty of wildlife to look at while patients are recovering		
402	20/11/17 12:04PM ID: 67928283	Leave it as it is. how nice to walk into s cottage hospital to be treated, not a big one. I know my family have been grateful to have a GRH to help our conditions		
403	20/11/17 1:58PM ID: 67939118	invest in the 2 present hospitals		
404	20/11/17 2:51PM ID: 67943862	Not enough beds or maternity unit in the proposed new hospital. The old hospitals should not be sold for residential. They were paid for by the community for the community and should still provide a valuable service		
405	20/11/17 6:32PM ID: 67951985	The consultation lacks depth and breadth and is therefore considered inadequate. Quantity, quality and availability of health care must be enhanced in this process. Coordination with and corresponding improvement of after care, welfare support, mental health and social care is essential. Parallel development of heath education, training and support should not be forgotten. The two sites must be retained by the Health Service and developed to meet other needs, including for older people and anyone who needs additional support. It is unlikely that a single location will meet the objective and criteria set out in Section 8. Transport policy and development across the FoD must take account of the Health provision.		
406	20/11/17 8:50PM ID: 67970184	The proposed new hospital will have only 20 beds. Lydney & Dilke hospitals should both be retained and used more.		
407	20/11/17 8:51PM ID: 67970746	The distance to travel from lydney to a bigger hospital. Plus the time. Its quicker to get to dilke		
408	20/11/17 9:04PM ID: 67969824	The Dilke is easy for me and my family to access. I can take my daughter out of school for an appointment and get her back with minimal impact on her day. The minor injuries unit is better by far than a&e in Gloucester - it's never horribly crowded and we've been seen after only minimal waiting times by friendly and professional staff in a clean environment - for our autistic daughter, these things make all the difference in the world, especially if she's distressed because she or a family member is hurt. I understand the logic of creating a combined centralised provision, but the Forest is a large and sprawling area without many straight and fast connecting roads, and public transport options are dire - I can't see how this would work without negatively impacting on the ability of locals to access their vital healthcare services.		
409	20/11/17 9:46PM ID: 67972448	I have no idea what previous consultations have taken place, I certainly wasn't aware of them or involved with them. It looks as though you have already made decisions on our behalf! Everyone I have spoken to wants the status quo, that is, two hospitals on their current sites. Developed, yes, if that is necessary, but we are quite happy with the current provision, it suits us very well. We would, in addition, like a birthing unit at the Dilke. And we would like you to remember that the Dilke does not belong to the NHS but to the people of the Forest, paid for by public subscription, as I understand. Rumour has it that you want to build on the Lydney site. And I have just realised that doing so would suit you very well, killing two birds with one stone! Given the huge increase in the population of Lydney, and the insufficiency of medical provision, that would solve both that problem and give us a new hospital. However, Lydney is very difficult to get to from most of the Forest, particularly if one has to rely on public transport. At present we can, if necessary, walk to the Dilke. Lydney is a step too far, from anywhere else in the Forest.		
410	20/11/17 11:09PM ID: 67975757	Use the money to fund Lydney and the Dilke to improve services, including out of hours Drs - Gloucester is a long way when you have a poorly child!!!		

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		I have always been a supporter of Lydney hospital, and believe it provides valuable services to the community. The same goes for the Dilke - only last week I had to take my little boy up there to see a nurse practitioner - as a first time mum, the ability to go somewhere close to home, not having to travel 45 minutes is the difference between a bit of worry and full blown panic!!		
411	20/11/17 11:30PM ID: 67976830	Invest in the existing facilities		
412	21/11/17 2:50AM ID: 67980862	I feel decreasing the number of inpatient beds will not be a benefit to the local community.		
413	21/11/17 6:49AM ID: 67984871	There are not enough beds in this option to support the wider health care team in relieving pressure on the acute hospitals. Much money has been spent on upgrading the current facilities which would be wasted in the new orposak		
414	21/11/17 8:14AM ID: 67987739	Community hospitals are there by their very nature to support and be part of the community. The new proposal would increase travel time, decrease the number of beds available and also restrict services "for all"		
415	21/11/17 8:31AM ID: 67987636	Transport is or should be, a major consideration because not all people have cars and not all people can arrange private transport very easily., the chronic lack of public transport in the forest is well known and likely to get even worse in today's economic climate. Are we right to assume that consultants from GRH and Cheltenham will have facilities to see patients in the new hospital on an out patient basis as happens at both of the present hospitals? Why are so few beds being planned when it is plainly not taking the needs of the FOD residents into consideration in view of the many houses being built and planned to be built? Would it be possible to give both Lydney and Dilke hospitals a makeover to take patients from the main hospitals who cannot be sent home due to lack of social care facilities preventing new admissions? Surely it makes sense to use an already equipped facility and change it into a temporary care facility thus saving the NHS authority much needed money? This could be with government financial,assistance.		
416	21/11/17 9:31AM ID: 67993018	you obviously will do as you please. This consultation is all for show, you should use the 11 million to extend our two hospitals. its not enough to build a new hospital ?? (cant read writing)		
417	21/11/17 9:43AM ID: 67995624	The two current hospitals cover the needs of area well		
418	21/11/17 9:56AM ID: 67996696	Reduction in capacity and distance of travel for elderly and those reliant on buses		
419	21/11/17 10:24AM ID: 67997738	No definite indication as to what facilities would be e.g X ray, Theatre, Physiotherapy, departments etc. The money that is intended for the hospital would be better spent on upgrading and maintaining of existing hospitals Dilke and Lydney plus expansion if required		
420	21/11/17 11:02AM ID: 68002834	I don't want the sites sold off. We could have new facilities as well an enhanced facilities at the two hospitals. Transport is so poor in the forest we need more facilities not fewer.		
421	21/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68003760	The forest is a very large area with poor transport links. There should be facilities available to treat minor injuries / x ray / physio / fracture clinic / hearing clinic locally		
422	21/11/17 12:59PM ID: 68014711	The service provided by existing hospitals could be improved to be better than a new expensive hospital.		
423	21/11/17 1:11PM ID: 68016051	My understanding is less beds offered. Services offered presently are good. Concerns over whether option of new hospital will be a "white elephant"		
424	21/11/17 1:15PM	There is ample of space to extend the Dilke. Thousands of pounds have been spent		

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	ID: 68016351	on it, which will be wasted		
425	21/11/17 1:42PM ID: 68018062	It would be helpful to have more information on : the bed modelling that was undertaken that supports a reduction in available beds; how the nursing establishment will be funded to afford the increase required to safely nurse single rooms and the proposed skill mix; The model of care in the community and how that would be financially supported and how it will be staffed with particular reference to skill mix; Transport modelling and whether there is to be increases in public transport; What other agencies have assisted the Trust in formulating the proposals.		
426	21/11/17 1:50PM ID: 68019262	I think it would be cheaper to invest in both hospitals - New does not always mean best!		
427	21/11/17 2:59PM ID: 68024539	The money would be better spent on existing hospitals where they would be closer for locals to attend. I'm my opinion.		
428	21/11/17 4:42PM ID: 68034182	A large amount of money has been donated & spent bringing the community hospitals up to today's standards - operating facilities etc. Both hospitals are used, & supported.		
429	21/11/17 8:43PM ID: 68054591	Because it will take years and eventually deliver a lesser service to rural communities.		
430	21/11/17 8:52PM ID: 68054607	Why not expand the Dilke hospital we already have I have always been happy for treatment there add a birthing and Theatre there		
431	21/11/17 9:13PM ID: 68056615	We should increase the money deem to be spent on a improving both old hospitals. Both have had new X-ray departments fitted money wasted if you close the hospitals. Like everything else in the NHS money is wasted. If you had to run it like a business you would have been bankrupt by now. Start running it as business and extra money would be more available knowing it will be well spent and looked after for the people of this nation that needs the NHS		
432	22/11/17 9:17AM ID: 68078121	Because the ' new' hospital will have less beds available , Lydney and. Dilke. Are very accessible to all the forest area .		
433	22/11/17 9:25AM ID: 68078094	As a pensioner who is unable to drive the thought of having to travel any distance to another hospital of which we do not know where just somewhere in the forest is not acceptable,the roads in winter can be extremely difficult to use in day time let alone at night when there is the added addition of wild bore roaming and icy roads.It would be more acceptable to make the existing two hospitals The Dilke and Lydney larger with more beds added,as you have already spent money and just finished a refurbishment in the Dilke this seems like something that has just been thought of.When an elderly person nears the end of life it would be good to have members of their family near which if the hospital is moved to ? Might not be an option.Both Lydney and The Dilke are within a short travelling time to any region in the forest . Give Lydney and The Dilke more beds.		
434	22/11/17 11:48AM ID: 68092701	The new hospital does not have sufficient beds to serve the population. In addition, there would be added cost and inconvenience in having to travel to Gloucester for treatment. That combined with the poor public transport options would reduce the level of service for Foresters. Whilst I can appreciate that your responsibility is the NHS, there needs to be a pan-department holistic approach		
435	22/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68098204	I believe the dilke should be expanded and the bed capacity should be increased. The Dilke is at the centre of the forest,and has a far beautiful scenery for anyone to recuperate . Ask anyone who's been in hospital looking out at bricks and mortar makes your heart sink.		
436	22/11/17 4:02PM ID: 68114941	Closing Lydney and the dilke to build a different hospital with less beds is a pointless waste of money. It also doesn't take into consideration the demographic of the forest of Dean which covers a very large area. I think it would make more sense in investing and updating the facilities we already have		

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437	22/11/17 4:22PM ID: 68116549	A smaller unit "at a site yet to be decided" makes absolutely no sense. The Dilke and Lydney provide vital amenities for either side of the Forest		
438	22/11/17 5:18PM ID: 68119085	<p>I AM NOT SURE IF IT WOULD BE THE RIGHT CHOICE FOR THE FOREST OF DEAN THEY MUST HAVE ALL UP TO DATE CLINIC WHICH ARE FULLY STAFFED WITH NHS PEOPLE.</p> <p>IT IS NO GOOD TO HAVE CLINIC'S IN THE FOREST IF WE WOULD STILL NEED TO GO TO GLOUCESTER.FOR CLINICS THAT THE FOREST DON'T HAVE. YOU WOULD ALSO NEED TO MAKE SURE THAT THERE WOULD BE TRANSPORT TO THE HOSPITAL (AS EVERY ONE DON'T DRIVE OR HAVE A CAR) .</p> <p>I MYSELF WOULD PREFER TO KEEP THE HOSPITALS WE HAVE LYDNEY AND THE DILKE.</p> <p>ALSO WE WOULD NEED A HEART WARD WITH A CONSULTANT PLUS LUNG CLINIC.</p> <p>PLUS ALL OTHERS SUCH AS A & E OPEN 24/7 BUT I AM NOT FULLY 100 PERCENT THAT HAVING A NEW BUILT HOSPITAL WOULD WORK IT'S OK TO HAVE IT BUILT BUT IF YOU CANNOT FULLY STAFF IT WE WOULD BE IN THE SAME BOAT.</p>		
439	22/11/17 5:58PM ID: 68122238	At a time when NHS resources are reaching breaking point, down sizing AND reducing the number of sites within the Forest is a stunningly short sighted solution. Effectively it means patients will have to travel further in order to wait longer. Given that the NHS's primary mission is to ease suffering, to pursue an option that increases suffering is ridiculous. Furthermore, how can anybody possibly support this course of action if they don't know what they are supporting, I.e. where will the new site be?		
440	22/11/17 7:09PM ID: 68130952	We must retain the Dilke and Lydney as they are important to us Foresters. The Folks is where I was born and,was built by the people of the Dean for the people of the Dean and that heritage is important		
441	22/11/17 7:29PM ID: 68132322	There are no plans or proposals for accessibility of a new hospital to forest of Dean residents that would have to travel further. There is also no information on whether free parking will still be available at the proposed new hospital.		
442	22/11/17 7:57PM ID: 68135180	Why close to hospitals where we currently have 48 beds between them and build a new one with only 24 . With all the new houses being built in the forest of dean we will need the hospital and also a maternity unit		
443	22/11/17 7:58PM ID: 68134866	<p>So much money has been invested into Lydney Hospital, raised by the people around the area over many years. It has a state of the art xray suite now , theatre suites and a new Casualty update.It is an invaluable asset to our part of the Forest. As a family we have used it on many emergency occasions: broken limbs, foreign bodies in eyes, heart problems,allergic reactions.</p> <p>The unit takes the strain off GRH. Why would you want to mothball a vibrant, much used and much loved community hospital and spend scarce finance on a new facility with fewer beds than the Dilke and Lydney provide.</p> <p>It is madness and clearly conceived by people who do not live in the Forest with scant knowledg of the geography of the area.</p>		
444	22/11/17 8:00PM ID: 68134896	In partuclar the cutting overall of bed numbers.at least 40 are needed.and the dilke site should be re developed and enlarged .if for no other reason it is a magical site promoting healing and a peaceful place for people reaching end of life.		
445	22/11/17 10:09PM ID: 68143986	We need a hospital in both areas of the forest as with cut backs in transport routes it is impossible to travel to just one area to visit a hospital and for many elderly and sick people this isnt achievable in their state of health. And gloucester is too far and far too many people have to use it as it is....we need our hospitals dont take them away		
446	23/11/17 3:56AM ID: 68151774	Keep the silk community hospital please		

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447	23/11/17 10:23AM ID: 68167250	The better option would be to update and improve Dilke and Lydney on there current sites. Hospital services would then remain accessable to the people living in the forest of Dean. This could save lives as a journey to Newent from for example Bream could take half an hour. Also the limited number of beds available will mean a significant number of people would have to go to Gloucester Royal hospital which is further to travel.		
448	23/11/17 10:39AM ID: 68171014	<p>Travel between lydney and cinderford is limited making it a poor service for the lydney side of the forest.</p> <p>The norrather quater is unstable marshland that has been mined under so issues with longevity are likely to arise incurring large costs in the future.</p> <p>We currently have 2 sites that function well and have community buy in as they were funded and set up by the community.</p> <p>Any issues with the existing buildings are due to poor and underfunded maintainancestors and any new buildings will also be treated the same.</p>		
449	23/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68185359	Bus transport around the forest just about supports the two current hospitals. There is virtually no single site that gives adequate service. We need more beds not less		
450	23/11/17 1:19PM ID: 68186198	Because of huge 50% reduction in number of beds. In spite of all new housing estates planned and being built. also influx in population after Severn bridge tolls abolished		
451	23/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68187356	The geology of the Forest dictates the need for 2 hospitals. The Dilke especially must stay as a health related centre, use the funds to update the existing sites. Or build any new hospital on the Dilke site		
452	23/11/17 1:45PM ID: 68188937	The two hospitals we have are giving very good services. Chepstow built a lovely new hospital, closed two old ones, noe Chepstow are closing wards, have closed minor injuries so now we have less than before		
453	23/11/17 1:57PM ID: 68189374	Too little detail		
454	23/11/17 2:16PM ID: 68191457	Update but keep our wonderful local hospitals, the large wonderful new hospitals will need far more office staff, far more receptionists , filing clerks, and less decent caring nursing staff. At present we can go into our hospitals and be cared for the emphasis on cared for. I have never yet met a caring receptionist, filing clerk.		
455	23/11/17 4:01PM ID: 68202139	<p>After attending one of the public meetings held in Lydney, my conclusions drawn from it are that the proposal for a new single site hospital are purely for cost cutting purposes only and that it will not benefit the residents of the Forest of Dean.</p> <p>I am very worried about the proposed number of beds (24), as I feel this is wildly below the number of beds we need.</p> <p>When asked whether there would be any job losses due to the new hospital, we were given a reply that a front bench politician would have been proud of.</p>		
456	23/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68208184	<p>The Forest of Dean is already strained enough due to being a small community. Since Theresa May won the general election (just), our hospitals have seen more struggles placed upon them, having to close early and extend wait time for patients due to them not having enough staff.</p> <p>To get rid of Lydney and Dilke hospital would cause an increase of difficulty for individuals living in certain communities, like the elderly or those living in care communities (which are in large population in the Forest of Dean) in their ability to access emergency care. There are only two bus routes around the Forest, one going through Lydney, the other going through Cinderford. Currently, there is a hospital on each route, making it easier for those who cannot drive and are disadvantaged to access care</p>		

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		We don't want a new, big hospital. We have not voted for this, the general public in the Forest of Dean are opposed to this. We are happy with the two hospitals we have and we need. Leave the Forest alone.		
457	23/11/17 5:16PM ID: 68208067	<p>I am not certain that moving a facility that is available to the residents of Lydney will improve our access to whatever services that its replacement will provided.</p> <p>What does affordable and sustainable mean in real terms. Does it mean that we will all be subject to the constraints that the commissioning group impose in pursuit of balancing a budget.</p> <p>There are plenty of examples of centralisation that fails to achieve the aims that it so ardently intends to achieve.</p>		
458	23/11/17 6:43PM ID: 68218182	Lydney Hospital & the Dilke Hospital should remain open where people who are "bed blocking" could be cared for.		
459	23/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68224481	<p>The Forest of Dean is a large spread out area from Newent in the North to way past Lydney in the South. Public transport in the area is very poor and in the winter the roads can be difficult to use if there is fog, snow or icy conditions.</p> <p>To have more than one hospital still makes a lot of sense for these reasons and siting them in the areas with large populations would make for easier access for many. I live near Newent and use the Dilke if it can replicate the service at Gloucester such as X-rays where there can be very large delays and not to mention the difficulty and cost of parking there. For me, Cinderford or Coleford are just as easy to get to while I have my own transport. Lydney would not be so easy.</p> <p>Cutting the number of beds is a definite no-no. In recent years, we have lost about 50% of hospital beds and one can see how this has exacerbated the delays in getting treatment.</p>		
460	23/11/17 9:51PM ID: 68227454	We should use and improve the existing site at the dilke.		
461	23/11/17 10:32PM ID: 68229189	Because the two hospitals work together to provide adequate services for the whole forest including where I live at Beachley		
462	23/11/17 10:34PM ID: 68229369	Modernise the two hospitals mentioned we need the two hospitals as they serve a large area each in the FOD.		
463	23/11/17 10:56PM ID: 68229867	Much money has been spent on our local hospitals recently and would be wasted ,enlarging the dilke could be an option.and we certainly need to keep up the amount of beds plus more for the future. We have a problem returning locally from Gloucester now and what with a ageing population and dementia it would be impossible if beds are cut.		
464	23/11/17 11:15PM ID: 68231190	Because it is bad enough with the restricted A&E hours locally already. Rather than spend the money on a new project, why not invest in what we have. Less beds should not be acceptable. I was born in Lydney Hospital, so much already there that could be used I.e minor operations etc		
465	23/11/17 11:20PM ID: 68230960	<p>The Dilke and Lydney hospitals should be retained and a third hospital built to take account of the proposed new housing across the Forest area resulting in a population increase or these existing hospitals should be modernised. The cost would be less than new build of a totally new hospital.</p> <p>Your proposed option does not have sufficient beds for future population growth. It does not include enough detail concerning what it will provide. There is no designated location.</p> <p>Please note that ten years ago RFDC at Five Acres was deemed beyond repair, the relocation was to happen quickly.....</p>		
466	24/11/17 5:26PM	Both Cinderford and Lydney Hospitals should be kept open - local inhabitants have		

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	ID: 68280677	invested a great deal of money in both Hospitals over many, many years through fund raising. The proposed new Hospital is no where big enough to cope with the rising population of the Forest. Lydney and Dilke Hospitals should be increased in size .I cannot see any advantage of building a new Hospital, which appears to be smaller than Dilke and Lydney put together - causing a shortage of beds. We need both Hospitals to stay open.		
467	25/11/17 3:27PM ID: 68314392	The money should be spent of staff costs and improving current facilities not a new building		
468	25/11/17 9:56PM ID: 68324008	Because there is insufficient detail provided in the booklet. It seems logical that one new hospital larger than either of the two wpexisting hospitals should be able to provide a wider range of services than either of the existing hospitals. However unless the number of beds and range of services are defined, it s not possible to judge if the new proposals are better or w. Order than the existing ones.		
469	25/11/17 10:25PM ID: 68324788	Less beds than current provision. Siting of new hospital unknown therefore cannot make informed decision. No information about future use of existing hospitals. Maternity unit will not be provided in new hospital therefore birthrights of future generations will not be protected. Fear that local opinion and choice will be ignored, resulting in a fait accompli!		
470	26/11/17 9:30AM ID: 68332356	<p>I do support the need for a new hospital in the Forest of Dean; however, I do not agree with closing Lydney Hospital and The Dilke Hospital, together with other reasons.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The proposed new hospital is too small with only 24 beds. The Forest of Dean will grow massively after the tolls come off the Severn Bridges. People from east of the Severn, and particularly Bristol, will take advantage of lower house prices. As it is, there is a great deal of new houses being built in the Forest, with no additional infrastructure. 2. The proposed new hospital will not have a maternity unit. Babies are born en route to Gloucester as it is (latest in a layby in Westbury-on-Severn). To endure a journey of up to 30 miles to GRH, on winding badly-repaired roads, when in the late stages of labour must be awful. Surely giving birth is one of the most natural, anticipated events in the human life spectrum, so why not have a maternity unit? I was born in Lydney Hospital, just three miles from home. 3. The cost of this is of course the main reason for providing a small, insufficient hospital, which 10 years down the line will be criticised for being too small and not "fit for purpose". Look at all infrastructure projects that are built: they always run over budget by 50% or so. Why not do the job properly in the first place; accept that it will cost money; spend the money; produce a good product. 4. The two existing hospital should not be sold off, especially The Dilke Hospital, which was built by public subscription and was the brainchild of Sir Charles Dilke. This building (hospital) belongs to the people and must not be turned into flats. 5. Both Lydney and the Dilke can be used as nursing home/care home facilities, especially for elderly/terminal cases who would be bed-blocking in GRH or CGH. 6. Cost is the overriding factor; however, building a hospital which is too small, with insufficient facilities is not the answer. 7. The NHS is supposedly short of money; however, the waste that currently takes place is phenomenal. There is too much "management". The management structure triangle is the wrong way up and there are far too many Chiefs and not enough Indians. Consequently, the country is spending millions of pounds on salaries and pensions for all these "managers". Look at stationery ordering! There should be one centralised stationery and office furniture ordering point. Look at the changes in logos: stationery, logos, signage etc. 8. Look at PFI! The ordinary man-in-the-street does not realise just how much money is being spent on paying the interest on PFI, which will last for decades. How was this ever allowed to happen? Politicians may have made the final decisions but it was with the agreement of the Department of Health surely. 9. The Forest of Dean is often the poor relation in much national spending. Look at the shocking transport system, the poor roads: are we going to be the poor relation with a sub-standard "new" hospital too? 		

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471	26/11/17 10:16AM ID: 68334824	I agree with the new hospital if beds and services are maintained or increased. If services are reduced this doesn't make sense. At rush hour a trip to Gloucester or Bristol can take over an hour. The locals hospitals provide a vital service in ensuring vulnerable people are close to their families when transport links are poor.		
472	26/11/17 12:49PM ID: 68339330	the forest covers a large area , we need hospitals at both sites Your proposition would dramatically reduce the number of beds servicing the forest residents. You are assuming that everyone in the forest has a car not true, no direct public transport linking cinderford to lydney. With less beds it will mean job losses. Outpatient appointment slots will be be lost, leading to less choice and increased waiting lists and more forest residents having to be seen at Gloucester for appointments , x ray and ultrasound. This has taken me a couple of minutes to complete,i am sure i could think of many other reasons to object given the time it has taken you to reach your decision, there are issues with obtaining health care appointments in the forest you should be expanding the services not reducing them.For your information i am a Health Care Professional.		
473	26/11/17 4:40PM ID: 68346876	You have not given us an imformed proposal just a brief out line how are we supposed to make a imformed opinion on your plan with no details		
474	26/11/17 7:36PM ID: 68352582	A hospital with more beds than the combined number of the Dilke and Lydney is required. It also seems that the facilities of the proposed new hospital will be reduced from those currently available. With the population of the FOD expected to increase significantly in the next few years surely we need to provide for this. Gloucester and Cheltenham hospitals are already under pressure and cannot cope efficiently with the demands locally let alone pushing more clients their way by not providing much needed facilities in the FOD. The location of the new hospital seems to be a coveted secret. It needs to be near the main roads for the purpose of speedily transporting urgent specialised cases to city hospitals which have the specialist knowledge and facilities.		
475	26/11/17 8:50PM ID: 68355431	I believe that services for the community should be spread across multiple sites would be better for patients rather than one big warehouse. Having been a patient this year and spoken to regular users of the smaller hospitals I and many others find smaller hospitals aid recovery better.		
476	26/11/17 10:52PM ID: 68358247	The Forest of Dean covers a very wide area and has an ever increasing population. For people already dealing with illness and their families Gloucester hospital is too far.. Replacing both hospitals with one hospital with fewer beds means more patients having to travel an hour to hospital. I fully agree both facilities need updating but I would prefer to see investment in or near both sites. It can take over half an hour to travel from one side of the forest to another, ill patients do not need the additional stress this extra traveling time will cause.		
477	27/11/17 12:14AM ID: 68359960	Closing 48 beds and replacing with 24. Think the concept of a new hospital is fine BUT must be big enough to cope with current and projected demand. also need to ensure LONG opening hours by running loads of staff on double shifts ie open from 6am and close at 10pm !		
478	27/11/17 1:37AM ID: 68360934	It makes a lot more sense to incorporate the Dilke facility into any new hospital development...waste of money otherwise. It does not make sense to lose something so valuable when the Dilke building could be incorporated into any new build and with the Cinderford regeneration this would place the new build high above sea level and exactly where it would be most needed as coastal inundation becomes more influential with policy makers. I fully agree with the concept of 'one site - one hospital'. This should be at the Dilke site though and should incorporate the existing hospital asset in a similar way to the Heart of the Forest Community Special School did come into being by utilising and hugely enlarging the existing Dean Hall School.		
479	27/11/17 10:45AM	The Dilke and Lydney provide essential and appropriate care to local forest people		

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	ID: 68383031	The Dilke in particular could be developed. A single community hospital MUST not offer us less		
480	27/11/17 11:14AM ID: 68385925	Lots of beds, loss of jobs and loss of personal care		
481	27/11/17 11:24AM ID: 68386762	Most patients are elderly and would find travelling difficult. A single new hospital will not attract healthcare professionals to the county. Cost of a new build likely to exceed current estimate		
482	27/11/17 11:56AM ID: 63832767	Think a new hospital facilities should be rebuilt on the current Dilke site. This site was specifically given for use as a community hospital and is easy for residents of many Forest towns to access. I do understand the need for a more purpose built facility but feel concerned that land that was specifically given for the purpose of healthcare for Foresters will be sold off to the highest bidder under these plans and therefore cannot support the option for a third site.		
483	27/11/17 11:56AM ID: 63832937	Until I know a proposed site for the new hospital and what the plans are for the use of the old buildings once the current facilities are closed I do not know whether or not I agree. I live in Lydney and have always had excellent service from both existing hospitals and my initial thoughts are that I don't want either to close and disagree with the plans. If they are replaced by something better which is easily accessible for the whole community, including those who do not have access to a car, then I would be more inclined to agree with the proposals. I also find it terribly sad that there are no plans for maternity services with the Forest as I feel this would be a valuable asset to the community which would ease strain on other facilities within the county. I also think maternity services within the Forest would be a lot more comfortable for expectant mothers, the journey to Gloucester from the Forest when in labour is particularly difficult, especially when there are road closures/diversions such as the night time works on the A48 in early September.		
484	27/11/17 11:59AM ID: 63838334	A lot of money has already been spent on the two hospitals and that will all just be wasted if a new hospital is built. Why not scrap the plans for the new hospital and spend the money on updating the Dilke and Lydney hospitals? Almost halving the amount of beds available is not progress. We are continually being told that, with people living longer, hospital beds will be in short supply in the future. It just doesn't make sense..		
485	27/11/17 12:00PM ID: 63838486	Leave things as they are		
486	27/11/17 12:01PM ID: 63838639	The proposals have been released in an underhand way showing disregard to staff and releasing details to the public before having the decency to adequately liaise with staff employed by the trust in the local hospitals. Bed capacity is currently extremely high, presumably because of the trusts sustained policy of bed cuts on renovation of your other hospitals. I fail to see that you have the bed capacity to go ahead with these cuts and maintain safe bed levels. Currently a high level of patients at the Forest hospitals are from out of the area. How, therefore can your proposals have no defined plan for extra capacity for community beds in Gloucester and Cheltenham? I believe that you will fail to address this and will continue to be forced to accept city patients and therefore fail to meet the needs of local patients.		
487	27/11/17 12:01PM ID: 63840201	The majority of money to provide these hospitals with equipment comes from local money, as were the original hospital buildings. A lot has been spent over recent years to keep the hospitals functioning and this would be wasted if they were closed. Also currently the forest is well covered by the two hospitals but only having one would mean some people would have even further to travel, often with no public transport in the area. I think the options which would help the Forest people most would be to use the money to improve services in the two hospitals, to ensure that there were Doctors on call at night to save travelling to Gloucester and to upgrade where needed.		

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488	27/11/17 12:02PM ID: 63840494	The forest is already lacking so much. And thanks to the Conservative party the NHS is in trouble. Put money into the two hospitals that we have. It can be done.		
489	27/11/17 12:02PM ID: 63840694	The emphasis is on bigger and better in a single location but that means it is hard for people to get to and stops being local - these are supposed to be community hospitals!		
490	27/11/17 12:03PM ID: 63841395	Invest in exsisting hospitals.		
491	27/11/17 12:04PM ID: 63842204	these community hospitals should remain where they are if necessary upgrade both sites or add on to these sites where the costs will be so much lower for one and it also frees up gp services and a and e services		
492	27/11/17 12:04PM ID: 63843294	i have stayed in gloucester hospital and a lot of the staff just cant be bothered with you , i have allso satyed in lydney hospital and the care there is marvellous why waste money on something that is not needed		
493	27/11/17 12:06PM ID: 63843425	<p>You do not give details of what will replace it and where.</p> <p>You need to provide clear details of the alternative. Will this be a route to privatisation?</p> <p>for example " do you want dried bread for dinner No" well you do get any dinner.</p> <p>Spend the money on improving the existing hospitals</p>		
494	27/11/17 12:07PM ID: 63843560	<p>Transport options are so limited in the Forest of Dean that 2 hospitals are needed to ensure that everyone has access that they require to health care. The roads in the forest to not provide good access across the region, and bus services are not frequent enough for people to get to out patient services.A single hospital would not be accessible to many.</p> <p>Upgrading/rebuilding the existing hospitals is the only option that would ensure adequate access for all of the communities in the area.</p> <p>I suggest that those drawing up these plans come and try to drive across the forest on a dark winters day, with maybe a bit of sleet or snow around, and experience how difficult this can be.</p>		
495	27/11/17 12:07PM ID: 63843799	its our heritage and bought by our grand fathers hard earned miners money the money being spent to build another hospital could update both lydney and dilke plus what was the point in spending money updating lydneys x ray dept and recently refurbishing dilke when already decided to close both of them		
496	27/11/17 12:07PM ID: 63845139	Half the current beds. Someone will loose out either cinderford or lydney won't have the facilities they have now. Travel for many will be a problem especially on weekends. It'll cost £11 million. Ridiculous.		
497	27/11/17 12:08PM ID: 63845180	Reducing beds at a time of poor community care and growing population in the Forest is madness. Clinical facilities such as surgery and maternity care, delivery suite, are not going to be provided. People will have to travel from all parts of the Forest to one site and public transport links within the FoD are poor now and getting worse.		
498	27/11/17 12:08PM ID: 63845353	Invest and support what we have. The two sites serving either side of the Forest is a valuable source in a large geographical area. Wirh a lack of de entry transportation most people would not have reasonable access to one site.		
499	27/11/17 12:08PM ID: 63845993	Fewer beds (than the existing combined number we have already) proposed in the 'new, single' hospital. How is this a step forward?		
500	27/11/17 12:09PM ID: 63846634	Because from what I read there will be less beds available		
501	27/11/17 12:10PM ID: 63847049	Because I feel there still needs to be two hospitals in different areas of the Forest. Public transport is more limited from the Lydney area.		

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502	27/11/17 12:11PM ID: 63847800	Public transport limited. Gloucester hospital a nightmare! Lydney growing, need local facilities		
503	27/11/17 12:11PM ID: 63848738	Rebuild both hospitals on their present sites and keep the same amount of beds		
504	27/11/17 12:13PM ID: 63849319	I feel that cutting the amount of beds and centralising the community hospital to one point is a bad idea. Why can the millions of pounds not be invested in revamping and regenerating the current hospitals to bring them up to standard? (Especially as the dilke has just had 6 weeks of refurbishment in minor injuries) It would mean people have options on how far they want to travel for appointments, more beds are available and staff will be able to keep there jobs and possibly more will be created. You could even add a midwife led maternity unit if funds allowed.		
505	27/11/17 12:14PM ID: 63849988	Bed numbers cut Money already invested wasted Population numbers increasing Services cut maternity and elder care Waiting times increasing		
506	27/11/17 12:15PM ID: 63850876	There are 100s of new homes being built in the Forest of Dean with an infrastructure that barely manages to cope at present so why have less beds than the current two hospitals have that were built when the area had a quarter of the current population.		
507	27/11/17 12:16PM ID: 63853672	Money has recently been put into both hospitals only to close them. And if the services at new hospital will be the same what's the point? We need a surgery unit and birthing unit etc to update it. If not it's just the same only downsizing and that won't be enough to cover all of the forest.		
508	27/11/17 12:17PM ID: 63854655	I have found the service received at the dilke to be excellent. And also at lydney when I previously lived there. However I don't see that a reduced service in one location can be beneficial.		
509	27/11/17 12:17PM ID: 63854786	A single hospital with half the beds simply cannot serve the community on the same way as the 2 current hospitals. If this must be the case It would be right to site on the existing site of the dilke?		
510	27/11/17 12:18PM ID: 63854924	The Hospital you want to build is not going to be any better than the ones we have, less beds further away for some people to travel, people want to have their babies in the Forest, both Hospitals have operation theatres so minor ops could be done a them inseed of going to Gloucester. The Foresters should be asked to vote for wha they want,		
511	27/11/17 12:18PM ID: 63856387	I think you should invest money into the previous hospitals instead of closing them and then opening a smaller one		
512	27/11/17 12:18PM ID: 63856581	The Dilke Hospital is an essential part of the community in the Forest of Dean, it is entirely fit for purpose and certainly does not merit closure. The minor injuries clinic is always busy and prevents those with simpler medical problems from clogging up the a&e department in Gloucester		
513	27/11/17 12:19PM ID: 63857201	The Dilke hospital is vary valuable to the community, if a new hospital is to be built, it needs to be on the same sight.		
514	27/11/17 12:19PM ID: 63857226	I want the existing hospitals to remain on the same sites. If you reduce it to one unit some people will suffer because of the travelling, in an area which is very badly treated by the public transport system.		
515	27/11/17 12:19PM ID: 63857396	Would the money be better spent upgrading the Dilke hospital		
516	27/11/17 12:19PM ID: 63857550	Loss of beds will prevent you he provision of rehabilitation for patients in their local environment. There is insufficient provision in the community for support of this sort and people who have limited mobility cannot be cared for overnight in their own		

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		<p>home.</p> <p>It is more cost effective to have people with rehabilitation needs in a facility where the scarce resource of physiotherapy and occupational therapy can be provided, it is also more efficient for the medical team</p> <p>The loss of beds will impact on discharge from the district general hospital or repatriation from specialist centres. End of life care will also be more difficult to access.</p>		
517	27/11/17 12:20PM ID: 63858324	I would prefer to keep two sites		
518	27/11/17 12:20PM ID: 63859120	<p>How can you tell me that 24 beds will be enough when 95% of the 47 beds are usually full?! It doesn't make sense and you know it.</p> <p>2 hospitals are required and this is something that should be made to work for the good of the forest community.</p>		
519	27/11/17 12:21PM ID: 63861133	I have no confidence that a hospital with fewer beds than the existing establishments will provide a viable solution when the number of people within the Forest Of Dean area is increasing.		
520	27/11/17 12:21PM ID: 63861961	Community hospitals are disappearing everywhere. The new services do not provide what they say. Local hospitals work better within the community and why not expand on current services at current locations rather than spend money on something that may not work		
521	27/11/17 12:22PM ID: 63866567	Spend thr money improving the tWo hospitals we have on existing sites		
522	27/11/17 12:22PM ID: 63867067	Both Lydney and the Dilke hospitals have served us well for many years if it is not broken do not fix it		
523	27/11/17 12:22PM ID: 63867403	<p>The dilke is a part of the forest .my family</p> <p>Helped build that and it shouldn't be taken away from the forest people who made it .</p> <p>I've used the dilke many a time has Gloucester is to far. Merging to hospitals together is anyway a disaster we need two hospitals in 2 locations has the forest is a big place with alot of people to cater for and puting them together is a really bad idea. You should put the money what you were going to use to build another into these hospitals in the dilke for example add a maternity department maybe lydney is in need of one aswell .I just had my baby and had to go gloucester to be sent home and nearly had my baby in the car and it could of been dangerous so you need to just invest in what we got . Plus there will be alot of protests against getting rid of two loved hospitals which are part of the forest and in 2 locations aswell.</p>		
524	27/11/17 12:23PM ID: 63867551	<p>The Dilke and Lydney hospitals provide the FOD with an excellent service and are very important to the local people. They are both are easy to get to the if you can't drive and have to use public transport . The Dilke is in an idyllic and peaceful setting which for patients with loving and caring staff to look after them and family and friends can easily visit. It also provides other services such as consultations, X-ray dept . The Dilke and Lydney Hospital are very much loved and have always been supported by the local people, unless you are a forester you do not understand how much they mean to the people. The trouble these days is that it's all about money targets and money making schemes. The care of people and patients does not come into the equation. The NHS is at crisis point and I believe that if this proposal goes ahead and that the Dilke and Lydney hospital are closed down then the forest will end up having no hospital at all .</p> <p>The reason I cannot support this option is because of the lack of information firstly I do not know exactly where you intend to build the new hospital. Whether you intend to keep the Dilke and Lydney hospitals open while the building of the new hospital is being built. Whether there will be public transport service route available. Also the most important decision I am not in agreement in is the lack of beds, as you are halving the amount of beds for the area which I totally disagree with.</p>		
525	27/11/17 12:23PM ID: 63867832	Improve existing facilities. We need both hospitals in the Forest due to the size of the area and the number of people living in this area. So much money has already been		

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		invested so why be wasteful? It is not easy for a lot of people to get to Gloucester and as mentioned by others GRH is stretched to its limits and local hospitals could help alleviate this.		
526	27/11/17 12:23PM ID: 63867960	The existing hospitals are iconic they are part of the history of the Forest of Dean and this is more important than any thought of turning them into cash		
527	27/11/17 12:24PM ID: 63869927	It will HALVE the number of much needed beds!!! A good and viable option is to replace BOTH the old hospitals with new ones!!		
528	27/11/17 12:24PM ID: 63869973	Both hospitals fulfil a vital local function to each community.		
529	27/11/17 12:24PM ID: 63871620	Insufficient detail on the actual facilities to be provided and too few beds. No promises on the use of the existing sites.		
530	27/11/17 12:25PM ID: 63873199	11 million could be spent improving the current hospitals. There are 47 beds at the moment im led to believe the new hospital would be 25? How is that helpful. It wont improve services if anything it will make it worse.		
531	27/11/17 12:25PM ID: 63874728	The current hospitals do very well, considering the lack of significant investment over the years. Having two locations is much better for the Forest of Dean population: at least one is likely to be quite close. I've used both hospitals over the years for Minor Injuries, as have my wife, children and mother. The halving of the number of beds is unacceptable: for old couples with limited transport options this would mean having to visit spouses in Gloucester Royal. The £11m could be spent on the two current hospitals which would keep the current number of beds and the choice of location as well as achieving most of the objectives and criteria set out in section 8.		
532	27/11/17 12:25PM ID: 63874843	The Dilke Hospital was where my two daughters were born. I have had many occasions to be thankful that we have this hospital. I do not want to see it closed.		
533	27/11/17 12:25PM ID: 63875747	There is a need for upgraded facilities but that should not mean that some health services can't still be delivered at Dillke and Lydney. There must be local facilities for local people who cannot travel to Gloucester.		
534	27/11/17 12:26PM ID: 63877530	What happens while the hospital is being built, where will it be situated, why cut the number of beds? People would use the local services if they were easily available, more information is needed to be provided to the community, not everyone knows what's avalinle, not everyone has the Internet. And with poor public transport links has this be considered with regards to the new proposed site?		
535	27/11/17 12:26PM ID: 63877576	The dilke has served my family well throughout the years with minor injuries and scans that are local, I had both of my first scans with both children there and is very convenient for all types of injuries without going to Gloucester and waiting in a waiting room for hours, the care there is brilliant and have never heard a bad word said against them. Yes I do agree it needs updating so instead of spending loads of money building a new local hospital I think they should do improvements to the existing buildings, the dilke had been around for many generations and is apart of the forest, it would an almighty shame for it not be used with all the history it has. I wish people in charge would reconsider their options as I don't think getting rid if it is the answer the dilke is very convenient for all foresters and has been for years		
536	27/11/17 12:26PM ID: 63879477	What is the point in building a new hospital that will still not be adequate to the needs of the Forest people? We need a hospital that will offer a maternity ward apart from home births (which are not many) there are no longer true Foresters. What is the point of reducing beds with an ageing population!		
537	27/11/17 12:26PM ID: 63881080	The population of FOD is increasing particularly from the recent influx of Bristolians moving here for cheaper housing For many years local people have invested their, money, time, pride, emotional links and support to the two hospitals.		

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		Spend the money on improving the two local hospitals		
538	27/11/17 12:27PM ID: 63883287	The new facility would infact be less beds than the current two, with a growing population in the Forest of Dean surely more beds not less is needed. The proposal is a lot of money yet includes nothing new such as minor surgery or birthing unit the money would be much better spent improving and upgrading the two hospitals we have. I would also fear murgung two hospitals together would cause waiting times for minor injuries to rise as there would be more people going to one place		
539	27/11/17 12:27PM ID: 63886437	<p>The point of a Community Hospital is that it is in the community. It provides services which would not justify the time taken to go to Gloucester;eg. X-rays, repeat wound dressing,etc. It also offers beds for local people who may have been undergoing hospital treatment but are now well enough to leave hospital but not well enough to go home. This particularly applies to older people who may also have friends and relatives wishing to visit them</p> <p>With reference to the Dilke Memorial Hospital, it was built by public subscription, particularly from the mining community, to provide facilities, such as a maternity suite. It stands in extensive grounds and , if the will is there to improve facillities, expand that existing facility. Similarly, Lydney hospital could be improved rather than done away with</p>		
540	27/11/17 12:27PM ID: 63887557	Because the two local hospitals have more beds combined than is proposed for the new hospital. It is very difficult for many local people to access Gloucester as public transport is poor and expensive. Not everyone in the area has a car. Centralized hospital would be OK if the number of beds is maintained or increased and has a regular, cheap public transport access.		
541	27/11/17 12:28PM ID: 63888314	Because our hospitals are a huge part of our community and our heritage and they serve our communities well. We need places we feel comfortable with to make us feel better. The dilke and lydney provide excellent health care why try and fix what isn't broken. Especially the dilke that is what makes foresters feel they truly belong you can't wipe out our identity. And cutting beds cannot be good as we have alot of elderly and we need all the beds we can to care for them properly.		
542	27/11/17 12:28PM ID: 63889781	The Dilke Hospital is absolutely necessary in the Forest of Dean. If you live in Cinderford its the first port of call for minor injuries and has been there for me on a number of occasions.		
543	27/11/17 12:29PM ID: 63890343	£11 million pounds could be spent on our existing hospitals. Cinderford and Lydney are quite far apart. Why does extra pressure and expense need to be put on patients and carers travelling to somewhere out of their local area. Where is this new hospital to be sited anyway, and what will happen to the sites the 'old' hospitals are built on? There are a lot of questions that need answering, but, the biggest one is WHY?!!		
544	27/11/17 12:30PM ID: 63892227	There will be less beds in this new hospital! What's the point In having a new hospital with less beds that suppose to replace two hospitals! The money should be spent on the dilk and lydney hospital.		
545	27/11/17 12:31PM ID: 63893756	It is easier for people to get to a choice of two hospitals.		
546	27/11/17 12:31PM ID: 63898333	<p>I would like to see the dilke hospital saved and extended on the land around. It's such a lovely venue for a hospital and the patients recovery. I would like to see the maternity back and operations done there scans X-rays and every facility that Gloucester offers. More jobs for the forest people would be available and not having to travel to Gloucester for appointments for the forest people which can take a day out of your life to get there let alone wait and be seen for appointments. If the dilke is not suitable to be built on because of land availability then perhaps the dilke or Lydney could be used as a staying hospice for the forest people a welcome building in this area. It is no good just building another hospital if it doesn't cover all these facilities which I have mentioned.</p> <p>We need better availability in the forest area for this growing area with more houses being built means more people in need of the much needed facilities.</p>		
547	27/11/17 12:32PM	Why can't money be invested to improve the two existing hospitals? Surely that is		

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	ID: 63906028	more practical and cost effective than rebuilding from scratch.		
548	27/11/17 12:33PM ID: 63906609	Depends on location!		
549	27/11/17 12:33PM ID: 63909044	Where would a single hospital be situated, and would it be easily accessible by all the Forest, having two locations ensures that most people have a reasonably local hospital.		
550	27/11/17 12:33PM ID: 63911245	<p>I don't think it is feasible to consider building a new hospital, replacing part of the Forest's current Hospital provisions with a facility that would mean people from all corners of the Forest would have to travel to one place instead of the option of having two hospitals supporting both halves of the Forest Of Dean.</p> <p>I also think it isn't at all feasible to put this idea to consultation when the NHS cannot say where they would look to build this facility. If people knew where the new Hospital was going to be put then there may be a little more support for it, as it is, not knowing where it would be is just stupid. The NHS would never put this to consultation if they didn't even have the slightest incling of where it would be built.</p>		
551	27/11/17 12:34PM ID: 63911861	<p>The number of beds need to increased rather than decreased. The lack of community beds impedes on the acute hospitals.</p> <p>They are also a part of the local community.</p>		
552	27/11/17 12:34PM ID: 63912258	<p>There is nothing wrong with the Dilke hospital which was built using money donated by miners in the Forest. Lydney unit is also well supported.</p> <p>The number of beds proposed (24) is too small and less than currently held at both hospitals</p>		
553	27/11/17 12:34PM ID: 63912350	<p>A loss of beds in this area would be detrimental to the community there is already no local elderly mental health beds within the local area we need as many beds available as possible not cutting them in half.</p> <p>Money should be reinvested into existing hospital</p>		
554	27/11/17 12:34PM ID: 63913629	Because I believe if the two hospitals close we will never end up with a new hospital in the Forest, there will always be some 'issue' for it not to go ahead.		
555	27/11/17 12:35PM ID: 63914004	Local hospitals are more convenient.Travel time is an issue for many people.		
556	27/11/17 12:35PM ID: 63914988	Centralising services means more people will not be able to easily access health care		
557	27/11/17 12:36PM ID: 63916691	<p>It would reduce options for people in terms of location. Losing the Dilke would be losing a part of our heritage, something that we are proud of.</p> <p>Update current facilities at the current sites. Why cause unnecessary upheaval?</p>		
558	27/11/17 12:36PM ID: 63919785	<p>As your proposal would reduce the number of available here it is unacceptable.</p> <p>In addition only having one hospital in the Forest would create unacceptable journey times for many residents.</p> <p>The only acceptable solution would be to modernise both hospitals.</p> <p>While you are at it you should increase the range of services available.</p>		
559	27/11/17 12:37PM ID: 63922271	Forest of Dean residents are increasing especially with new housing developments arising. It would be absurd to get rid of two venues and replace with a singular and lose out on beds in the process. However, without a real plan or location, it is hard to be able to comment on such a vague 'plan'		
560	27/11/17 12:37PM ID: 63925566	Lydney is very handy for those of us south of the area. Another hospital in the middle of the forest like Cinderford would be less useful. The geography and hence road structure in the FOD is such that Lydney takes 15 mins from Sedbury but Cinderford is an hour's drive.		
561	27/11/17 12:37PM ID: 63927004	With the population of the Forest set to increase, and with an ageing population. In combination with poor infrastructure links. The upgrade and expand the services already provided		

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562	27/11/17 12:38PM ID: 63927007	The locations of the two existing facilities are pivotal. People using the facilities would not be able to get to a third location without increasing car use. Facilities could do with improving, yes, but closure should not be considered.		
563	27/11/17 12:38PM ID: 63927613	The dilke should be expanded		
564	27/11/17 12:38PM ID: 63927731	<p>We use both hospitals and find them to be excellent. To lose both hospitals and replace with a smaller one cannot possibly benefit the people who live here. We should spend this money on upgrading the current hospitals and include a 24 hour A&E at one of them.</p> <p>The Dilke hospital was built with private money and has a covenant that it must always be used for the sick of the Forest so how dare public bodies feel they have a right to take it away!!</p>		
565	27/11/17 12:39PM ID: 63930349	<p>We do not need a replacement for two hospitals that work fine. Its a waste of £11m of NHS money. Building a maternity unit would be much more welcomed and is needed . This is what the people of the Forest want.</p> <p>I completeley disagree with cutting bed numbers - that will come back to bite the NHS. It's ludicrous ! Where are all the so- called outsiders that use the hospital going to go instead ? (more pressure on surrounding hospitals) and can they cope. The Dilke and Lydney are perfectly located to cater for our elderly population - very local . Many people may have choosen to reside nearer either lydney or Dilke for their peace of mind. Closure of the Dilke would be a really bad mistake !</p>		
566	27/11/17 12:39PM ID: 63932616	I was born at the dilke and it would break my heart to see it flattened		
567	27/11/17 12:39PM ID: 63933287	How can anyone support this proposal when it provides no details of what it will provide, what facilities will be lost (in addition to fewer beds), what the realistic and fair options are, how it will benefit the local community etc?		
568	27/11/17 12:39PM ID: 63936313	Lydney has lost too many resources to other areas of the forest despite being the town earmarked by planners for the most growth...to lose a valuable resource such as the hospital would be bad for the town and patients. Losing 46 hospital beds (both forest hospitals)and replacing them with 24 is a detrimental step and will lead to more bed blocking at Gloucestershire royal. People who need the minor injuries unit at Lydney who live in the sedbury area will have farther to travel unless the new hospital is in Lydney . Many older and infirm patients rely on visits to Lydney hospital and would not find travelling farther afield easy.... similarly cinderford patients would encounter the same difficulties. This is a money saving excercise and not in the interests of patients in the forest area.		
569	27/11/17 12:41PM ID: 63962789	<p>It would depend on location</p> <p>A new hospital should be either at Lydney or Dilk or in between</p> <p>Any other location is unacceptable</p>		
570	27/11/17 12:41PM ID: 63970617	<p>The proposed new hospital will result in a reduction in bed numbers at a time when demand seems to be growing.</p> <p>Improvements at the existing hospitals would be preferable</p>		
571	27/11/17 12:41PM ID: 63974351	The Lydney hospital is amazing and provides an invaluable service		
572	27/11/17 12:41PM ID: 63975563	<p>Money has been invested in these hospitals.</p> <p>The Forest needs the services offered</p>		
573	27/11/17 12:42PM ID: 63994917	<p>Would 11m NHS not be better spent on something other than replacing an area which has two hospitals already.</p> <p>Where is this going to be situated. I dont drive and currently live by one hospital and use frequently. How will people with limited mobility that are unable to drive get to this new hospital</p>		

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		<p>If this is also for people outside of the area to have procedures this will clog up appointments for local people born and bred here.</p> <p>Also , it's an outward disrespect for the Dilke, which came about after the minors , general public and Red Cross , to name a few raised funds and donated money.</p>		
574	27/11/17 12:42PM ID: 63997405	<p>If Tewkesbury and the Vale are anything to go by the following problems</p> <p>miu - Closed often Xray - not operated every day People - the people of these area's dislike these 2 hospitals - Design of Vale make's it hard for nurses to see when inpatients are in trouble Deaths have occurred due to the above fact, being in single rooms leaves patients at risk as no staff to observe patient and no fellow patients to alert medical staff to help many patients feel isolated and lonely this does not aid recovery and contributes to patients getting stressed and depressed. both the above are supplying less outpatient clinic's Also this is a back door opening for privatisation</p>		
575	27/11/17 12:42PM ID: 64008071	Give me detail: full costings		
576	27/11/17 12:43PM ID: 64051659	<p>Because it will mean the number of available beds will be reduced. Invest the money that will be made to build the new facility to improve the present institutions</p>		
577	27/11/17 12:45PM ID: 64097168	1 main hospital in the forest would be no good for the amount of people that live here and the wide area it covers.		
578	27/11/17 12:46PM ID: 64175016	The existing hospitals are doing a very good job and I don't think one is enough for the Forest of Dean.		
579	27/11/17 12:46PM ID: 64199131	Put the money into existing facilities.		
580	27/11/17 12:47PM ID: 64296905	Because you are reducing the current overall number of beds available. And it needs to be sited centrally in the Forest of Dean. So where will it be built?		
581	27/11/17 12:47PM ID: 64357032	option 2 please - Both hospitals in their current location are needed.		
582	27/11/17 12:47PM ID: 64359301	Why will there be fewer beds in the new building than there are currently? There are some wards no longer used in the hospitals now. I am sure both sites could be utilised better than they are being and the positioning of any new hospital will be crucial. I still can't believe the decision to position the dialysis unit in the middle of an industrial estate with very limited access by anyone without a car. Will as little thought be given to this decision ?		
583	27/11/17 12:48PM ID: 64359827	Why can't the present sites be better utilised ? Will the site for the new building be in a logical area instead of the middle of an industrial estate like the dialysis unit whoever decided to put it there needs sacking.		
584	27/11/17 12:50PM ID: 64783404	I might support it if I knew where it was intended to be located		
585	27/11/17 12:50PM ID: 68394402	What happened to 'care closer to home'? This government initiative has never been fully committed to and care continues to be centralised. The Forest hospitals run at full capacity and therefore the facilities in The Forest should be increased NOT decreased. The idea of a new hospital is fine IF it is to complement the existing 2 hospitals.		
586	27/11/17 12:50PM ID: 64835528	Local means local. Two small hospitals in the FoD is preferable to one that takes longer to reach.		

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587	27/11/17 12:51PM ID: 64846964	It is a waste of resources to demolish 2 hospitals to build a new one. The new proposed unit would offer less services than the current hospitals		
588	27/11/17 12:51PM ID: 64899437	There is so much local history tied up with the two hospitals. It will be difficult to see them go and the land solved off when so many people have worked hard to a, build them in the first place and b, support the running of them. I understand they are old buildings and a brand new facility would appear to be better, it will be difficult not to feel shortchanged in all this.		
589	27/11/17 12:52PM ID: 64957319	Both hospitals belong to the people So much money has been donated from local people to keep them open		
590	27/11/17 12:52PM ID: 64988602	It is a costly option which will give less beds to FoD residents. the suitability of both ends of the forest i.e Lydney and Dilke is far superior to a single one. If half the money that a new unit would cost was to be spent upgrading the existing ones, then it would be money well spent.		
591	27/11/17 12:53PM ID: 65023824	It works just the way it is! Everyone knows how to use it. Why fix something that isn't broken.		
592	27/11/17 12:53PM ID: 65024650	Closing nearly 50 beds for under half the amount. I don't believe that is fair for the population in the Forest of Dean.		
593	27/11/17 12:54PM ID: 65024746	Don't see why change needs to happen		
594	27/11/17 12:54PM ID: 65024861	We need it to stay local ..		
595	27/11/17 12:54PM ID: 65025409	Two replacement hospitals might be an option. The community support for both local facilities, is unlikely to be maintained with a new hospital. It makes sense that government resources are considered holistically, and removing community hospitals would be detrimental to the whole area.		
596	27/11/17 12:54PM ID: 65025938	One centralised hospital with less beds than Lydney and Dilke have to offer? I don't think so.		
597	27/11/17 12:55PM ID: 65026051	I think the money should be spent on each existing forest hospital to bring them up to date, the forest is a big place and many don't drive, our bus services are getting less regular and I believe that more people can successfully access 3 hospitals than 1.		
598	27/11/17 12:55PM ID: 65027442	We really need a bigger better hospital for the forest. Maternity, Surgery etc for us forest folk so we don't have to travel 20 miles to give birth or have a operation. Will also take the pressure off Gloucester Royal as they won't have all the forest patients as well as their own.		
599	27/11/17 12:56PM ID: 65028769	We have good facilities at both hospitals, and one hospital will mean more travel for patients in the forest area. Difficult with the lack of transport we have.		
600	27/11/17 12:56PM ID: 65031987	We need to have all three as alternatives if there is only one hospital dealing with everybody going to be a nightmare		
601	27/11/17 12:56PM ID: 65035699	The forest needs 2 hospitals		
602	27/11/17 12:56PM ID: 65037421	The Forest is a large area and South is served well by Lydney hospital as is the North by Dilke hospital.		
603	27/11/17 12:57PM ID: 65041111	I'm not sure whether one hospital would be better, if someone would state that it would be better used as in more operations and seeing specialists instead of going to Gloucester I would be in favour, but I think it would just be used as Dilke and Lydney are now mainly for elderly and no staff to deal with other things.		
604	27/11/17 12:57PM ID: 65059258	Lydney is a valuable hospital doesn't need to close to make a new one invest in both hospitals why waste it on a new building fund on equipment more staff etc Or build another one but keep the local hospital for the community easy to access in		

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		times of need and urgent care		
605	27/11/17 12:58PM ID: 65074746	If the two hospitals are closed then many people will have to travel a long way to receive care or to visit friends and relatives. Both Lydney and The Dilke hospitals are proper community hospitals serving a large population. There is no infra structure in place to enable people to get across the forest, ie there is a real lack of public transport, and just one hospital to serve the whole of the region is simply not enough. Consider upgrading both of the hospitals to provide local care for people who need it.		
606	27/11/17 12:58PM ID: 65089901	Depends on location of new services and what they will offer.		
607	27/11/17 12:58PM ID: 65118287	New facilities would be warmly welcomed in the Forest of Dean and I understand that we are one community but I think it is important to recognise that there are smaller communities inside the Forest as well. Taking away Lydney Hospital and the Dilke and then just building one replacement does feel as though you are, in a sense, grouping us all together and calling us one. This in itself is not a bad thing, but thinking of the types of patients that use the facilities and the people, friends and family that visit them replacing the smaller, more local facilities with one facility in one location seems a little short sighted.		
608	27/11/17 12:59PM ID: 65369608	It seems counterintuitive to replace two community hospitals with one larger unit. To some extent it feels as though you are putting all of the Forest of Dean together and deciding we are just the one community.		
609	27/11/17 12:59PM ID: 65419762	Short-sighted in terms of how people are going to get to the hospital. Thinking of the type of patients who will be using the facilities and people who will be going to see them, being able to access the site easily is really important. Also the two existing services are community based and so they are located in their communities, closing them and replacing them with just the one seems as though they are just grouping all of the Forest together in one community, ignoring the smaller ones.		
610	27/11/17 1:00PM ID: 65464255	the new hospital will be under funded and a basic capacity for local needs.		
611	27/11/17 1:00PM ID: 65503229	Given the funding crisis in the NHS, it highly unlikely under the present government that any new purpose built hospital will actually materialise. This is a cynical move to sell off two extremely valuable public land assets to the private sector who will make big profits in redevelopment. The ideal situation would be to put resources into the existing Dilke and Lydney facilities and expand on much needed local services. Both these hospitals are easily accessible with bus routes and parking.		
612	27/11/17 1:00PM ID: 65510642	the new hospital proposal for the development of outpatient and specialist services is realistic. The future fod wide provision and development of urgent care and the of respite/hospital to home will be very dependent on ready access and will be limited by provision in one hospital.		
613	27/11/17 1:01PM ID: 65881469	I am not sure that 1 hospital with a total number of beds being less than we have now would be beneficial. Why not use the money for the upkeep of what we already have.		
614	27/11/17 1:01PM ID: 65969463	I support much of the arguement for a new community hospital in the forest, but feel strongly that this should suppliment the existing facilities. Both the Dilke and Lydney hospitals should be improved, but not replaced totally as they are an important part of our community. Many people feel comfortable at the Dilke, whereas they don't like the modern clinical feel of Gloucester. I speak from personal experience. The friendly, small cottage hospital feel can not be re-created in a new hospital. It is a credit to the staff both present and over generations who have worked there, combined with the building and surrounds. That said, the Dilke has plenty of room for expansion - if anything we need more		

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		hospital beds in the forest (not fewer as would likely be the case if the existing hospitals are replaced). Also it would be good to see a maternity ward back in the forest. I would definitely support expansion and even renovation of the existing facilities if kept in the same locations.		
615	27/11/17 1:02PM ID: 66029694	There is no suitable location for a single facility. Wherever it is sited will disadvantage large parts of the Forest population, in terms of transport and access. I believe that there should be upgraded/super-sized health centres in the four main towns, each able to offer some beds within the community they serve. This would support equality and ease of access and provide services close to where they are needed.		
616	27/11/17 1:02PM ID: 66055397	The siting of the new hospital is not clear, but is vital if it is to be useful. A site near Lydney or Coleford would mean that people in the north of the Forest would go to GRH, putting more pressure on central services. Already putting primary services in Newent in with Tewkesbury is absurd as there are no public transport facilities between the two, thus disadvantaging older, disabled and poorer patients. The "northern quarter" of Cinderford is an option. The proposal to have fewer beds in total is illogical as population grows and GRH is full to bursting because patients cannot be discharged quickly enough. More beds should be added and these need not be for acute cases but for "convalescent" type treatment or orthopaedic recovery.		
617	27/11/17 1:02PM ID: 66115718	Travel around the Forest of Dean without a car is extremely difficult and without knowing exactly where the new hospital is to be sited, it is impossible to assess how hard it will be for people to attend appointments or visit inpatients. While the number of beds may be considered sufficient for Forest of Dean residents at present, I would not wish to see any further reduction of hospital bed numbers in view of the difficulties encountered in Gloucester Hospital when a bed is needed and in view of the ageing population.		
618	27/11/17 1:02PM ID: 66137274	The travel time between the three main metropolitan areas and their smaller accompanying towns is unfortunately further in life than it is on your ordinance map, the time it would take to get from somewhere such as aylburton to Cinderford could be completely disastrous to a patient, having local hospitals like we do now has the advantage of preserving someone's life expectancy, say for instance when my dog turned and attacked I need immediate treatment and the staff at Lydney were helpful, however I was losing a lot of blood as ear wounds do, they bleed profusely, if I had to go to Cinderford or further it could of been detrimental.		
619	27/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66172599	I feel it's going to take away services that are available in Lydney, provide a huge problem for especially the elderly and disabled in the local area who use these services. These people depend on these services and it will be very difficult to access if the new hospital is situated in the forest. The land that the Lydney and Dilke hospital are on are part of the NHS and should be kept as such. To sell this land off is totally unjust. I propose investment in both Lydney and Dilke hospital to increase services and beds. If this goes ahead we will have less beds and buildings destroyed that were bought by local people to provide health services locally. Plus huge difficulty in transport for the elderly in particular.		
620	27/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66207515	The Dilke and Lydney Hospitals serve different areas of the Forest, it would be quicker for me to drive to Gloucester than to Lydney. There would be fewer beds available in the option.		
621	27/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66218860	A single build is not conducive to the Forest layout/roads and residential areas. The best option would be to upgrade both the current buildings on their original sites.		
622	27/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66219645	The area needs more beds not less. There are 2 hospitals that are thought of very highly locally and are tied to local heritage and history. We always come out second when so called progression or regeneration start. Contractors and private business do well. The public do not. It happens time and again		

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		Make the 2 existing hospitals useful. Fix them up and allow them to do better, what they've been doing very well up till now.		
623	27/11/17 1:04PM ID: 66234155	Both hospitals should be improved for the use of the ever growing population and also expanded .		
624	27/11/17 1:04PM ID: 66300508	The care and service supplied by our existing community hospitals are excellent, both Dilke and Lydney are both local. A great deal of fund raising have been achieved by both local communities with Lydney just having a refurbished X-ray department much of which was funded by the friends of Lydney Hospital. As an OAP local public transport is non existent in the F.O.D appointments or minor emergencies are easily accessible from my existing hospital. Just as importantly for many will be a reduction in beds will result in many more families needing to traveling to Gloucester Royal.		
625	27/11/17 1:05PM ID: 66332753	I cannot support this because it would mean a large reduction in beds, and with an ever increasing amount of older people this cannot be the way forward.		
626	27/11/17 1:05PM ID: 66345429	The location of both hospitals is reassuring as they are only a very short drive away from a lot of the small forest villages, especially in an emergency when time is a major factor. Both of my children have been taken there over the years, for serious breathing problems and convulsions, and we were dealt with quickly and efficiently. My husband also had to use Dilke this year with complications after a motorbike accident and again they were able to see him very quickly, they were able to check all of his vital stats and although on this occasion they referred him to Gloucester hospital, we felt reassured. The xray department at Lynde has just had a massive revamp a with new machinery , also available at dilke, which means that if you have to have one, it needn't be a day out to Gloucester, but can be slipped into your day easily.		
627	27/11/17 1:05PM ID: 66346086	The proposed decrease in beds when Lydney and Dilke can already not meet the demand for beds.		
628	27/11/17 1:06PM ID: 66360114	unsafe		
629	27/11/17 1:06PM ID: 66369967	We feel that many years of fund raising for equipment and legacies from local people are being cast aside. There should be an active 24hr. A&E in the Forest instead of the travelling time ,lack of parking ,excessive waiting and general trauma of having to go to Gloucester at what could be a very painful time. Far from reducing bed availability,there are now a lot more households within the Forest so surely we should be increasing the amount of bed spaces substantially. We need to develop and enhance services at our current sites especially 24hr.A&E,24hr.Xray maternity services and insist that the same consultants that are at Gloucester see patients within the Forest hospitals to treat them in state of the art operating/treatment facilities,rather than us having to struggle to Gloucester/Cheltenham for treatment.		
630	27/11/17 1:06PM ID: 66382431	Lack of community beds, we need more not less. Two hospitals we have could have the money invested in them rather than leave them empty, unless of course lydney is being sold for housing development and the dike being knocked down to have more acreage to sell off the forest gets sold.. at the moment there is free parking, this would inevitably be charges in a new hospital. Forest people support our two community hospitals.		
631	27/11/17 1:07PM ID: 66466256	We the people that live here ,know what we need, we need our local hospital services, money has been put into lydney hospital, in recent years, what a waste of money that will be, just spend the money to update our local hospital services. Most people that stay in the hospital are the elderly, they go to Gloucester than come back to our local hospitals, till they are well enough to go home or go into care homes , we got bed blocking now, will be made a lot worse with less beds. partners and family having to travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham to visit people, it's not fair on the elderly partners to be travelling to the main towns to vist.		
632	27/11/17 1:07PM ID: 66475113	I believe the money should be reinvested at Lydney and dilke not building a new building		

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633	27/11/17 1:07PM ID: 66566031	At present the new hospital would have a much reduced number of beds in the forest. This is ridiculous in an expanding population. You cannot consider this new hospital on its own, you have to look at the wider picture of the whole county. We need more beds NOT fewer ! A new hospital with a minimum of the same number of beds would be acceptable		
634	27/11/17 1:08PM ID: 66635121	I think that the 2 Community hospitals need updating but it has not been specified where the new one will be as yet. You say that there is a place for it so why can we not be told. Will the present hospitals stay open until the new one is built? Sometimes we are promised an improvements but they fail to take place, as with the new Forest of Dean College which has still not been built. Also there is a nearby swimming pool that was demolished more than a year ago but so far nothing has happened so far as regards to building the promised new one. It would be very bad if we all in the Forest had to go to Gloucester or Cheltenham hospitals for treatment thus creating more traffic jams! Please be open and honest with us. The numbers of people living in the Forest are increasing greatly with all the new housing being built, so we need a new permanent hospital here. Don't let us down, please		
635	27/11/17 1:08PM ID: 66728227	Each of th hospitals is vital to the community it serves and one central hospital does not. The loss of over 20beds is a major concern		
636	27/11/17 1:08PM ID: 66793290	I believe the available beds in the Forest of Dean should not be decreased. I was very grateful that my Mother was able to get a bed in Lydney hospital. I live in Drybrook and there was nothing available in the Dilke, Gloucester or Stroud. A new hospital would be acceptable if there were more beds available. Gloucester hospital have had to close there intake of patients in the past and less beds in the Forest will leave us with no where safe facilities if the number of beds are reduced.		
637	27/11/17 1:09PM ID: 66928177	upgrade and extend the existing facilities		
638	27/11/17 1:09PM ID: 66972000	Our hospitals are situated in areas that are very convenient for the vast majority of the community, the money that is available would be better spent on modernizing both Dilke and Lydney to a standard fit for the future, we require more, not fewer beds and some of your reasons do not reflect the needs of our population. The money available may not support some of the more expensive equipment for Both hospitals so you should be able to identify them and share them between the two, after all, we have accepted this system for many years and with some modernization would certainly take us many years into the future.		
639	27/11/17 1:09PM ID: 66995259	Remove two good hospitals and replace them with one with fewer beds? No thanks. Centralisation doesn't work, ask anyone who has had to go to GRH, pay their exorbitant car parking fees, arrive early then be kept waiting way past their appointment time. I'm not interested in your expensively produced criteria, just use some common sense to meet the future needs of forest people now and in the future. .		
640	27/11/17 1:09PM ID: 67024990	Updating current hospitals would be more cost effective. The new hospital plans has less beds. Transport links in the forest are poor and both Lydney and Cinderford are two of the most highly populated areas.		
641	27/11/17 1:09PM ID: 67038414	We have two wonderful existing hospitals built and maintained with significant and ongoing amounts of money from the local community. What better way to demonstrate the deep commitment local people have? They provide a wonderful, local and effective service, avoiding the major difficulties, cost and time of travelling to Gloucester or further for many medical requirements. Upgrading these hospitals would be a more cost effective use of money and would keep patients travelling down over a single site. Fewer beds, still no maternity unit and the loss of beautiful, solidly built existing hospitals is hardly an attractive alternative. Avoid the environmental impact and loss of land resulting from a new build.		

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642	27/11/17 1:10PM ID: 67072123	We need more money invested in the existing hospitals. We need two hospital's and building a new one is just to line some millionaire builders pockets so the old sites are sold for housing! We don't want more houses in the fod, we want less...there is no housing crisis and these politicians and rich rotary club members do not have our best interests at heart!		
643	27/11/17 1:10PM ID: 67073728	Both hospitals belong to the people of the Forest of Dean. We should make provision to bring back a maternity ward to enable mothers to give birth here in the Forest of Dean The money available to build a new hospital should be used to upgrade the existing two hospitals.		
644	27/11/17 1:11PM ID: 67145689	Will be cutting down the number of beds available.		
645	27/11/17 1:11PM ID: 67215738	Because (a) the Dilke and Lydney are a local asset and paid for by the local community many years ago - to sell them would amount to asset stripping of the community (b) the number of beds is smaller than the Dilke and Lydney together (c) there is still no maternity facility - my daughter was born at the Dilke with just the local doctor and midwife in attendance. Wonderful. Pregnant locals now have to travel to Gloucester which is very stressful and puts more strain on Glos Hospital than is necessary. (d) If you are very ill, you are sent to Glos or Cheltenham Hospitals. To recuperate, you are sent back to the peace and quiet of the Dilke or Lydney where your families can visit you more easily - there is certainly no facility in the new plans to accommodate this very important process (e) Family visiting (esp for the elderly) is very difficult and expensive in Gloucester or Cheltenham esp by public transport - which is also fairly limited. (f) There is a perfectly good x ray department at the Dilke I feel that if some of the 11m was used to update the Dilke Hospital at the centre of the Forest and expand the facilities there (maybe even let the Lydney Hospital go, there is enough land at the Dilke to expand and you would not have to spend even 11m to get the facilities you feel we need. Thank you		
646	27/11/17 1:11PM ID: 67229702	The Dilke hospital was supported and built with funding from the mining industry locally, and expressly to serve the needs of their families and the local community. As a local resident I have used the A&E and physiotherapy services on various occasions, and always felt grateful that I had no need to travel further afield /into Gloucester for treatment		
647	27/11/17 1:12PM ID: 67337143	Vulnerable people without their own vehicles including older people , those with young children and those with special needs will find it even more difficult to access health care then at present due to yet more cuts. I have often used lydney's hospital as a parent of young children and also for more vulnerable grandmother.		
648	27/11/17 1:13PM ID: 67408324	Beds cut is very drastic. Demographics show that more beds will be needed for older persons.		
649	27/11/17 1:13PM ID: 67524392	It would be a shame to close Dilke and Lydney Why not make improvements where necessary within them		
650	27/11/17 1:14PM ID: 67526829	I prefer to have both hospitals and build new facilities on both. Extra services that are needed :-Maternity unit, Rehabilitation unit for PTSD, etc. I don't want to see the other hospitals go to waste. The new proposed hospital does not have enough proposed beds. These hospitals serve different sides of the forest which is good for all.		
651	27/11/17 1:14PM ID: 67526890	The geographical nature of the Forest of Dean requires more than one unit.		
652	27/11/17 1:14PM	Reduction in number of beds, doctors, nurses and services provided		

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	ID: 67527426	Increase in travel and waiting time.		
653	27/11/17 1:14PM ID: 67583742	We cannot support any option that reduces the number of hospital beds available. This is not even mentioned in your consultation booklet, but has been in the press. How can one site be nearer all the 3 main towns in the Forest ? Newent is not even mentioned.		
654	27/11/17 1:14PM ID: 67584955	I completely understand that this would be best for running costs of the NHS which are always important and I am all for a new hospital but my concerns in particular with the dilke are memories people where born here, inpatients have a lovely peaceful surrounding and I worry that that this would effect jobs which are already hard enough to come by in the forest.		
655	27/11/17 1:15PM ID: 67594007	The NHS is struggling to cope now so we should concentrate on supplying enough money for staffing and patients to receive basic care rather than spending millions on infrastructure. Most patients need simple solutions and can be rushed to a major hospital if necessary.		
656	27/11/17 1:15PM ID: 67671280	Keep the existing hospitals and invest in those		
657	27/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67763097	The two existing hospitals could be modernised on the current sites and provide more than adequate facilities and standards of care to forest patients without excessive travelling to Gloucester		
658	27/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67768338	Retrofit the dilke and lydney and employ more trained staff		
659	27/11/17 1:17PM ID: 67826155	We need to use funds to update current hospitals which we all luv and cherish		
660	27/11/17 1:17PM ID: 67829034	Concerned about there being less inpatient beds. The acute trust is overwhelmed with patients waiting for rehab & packages of care. Less beds will surely confound the problem?		
661	27/11/17 1:18PM ID: 67939992	I find it difficult to come up with a site for the new hospital that it equidistant from the main towns in the Forest, which would have a good bus service and also good mobile telephone connection. At the moment Lydney serves the A38 corridor and the Dilke covers the towns and villages on the outskirts of the Forest, both have car parking spaces but even the Dilke can be very full with outpatients clinics in the week. At the moment there are not enough beds for recuperation and end of life care, so to reduce these would be ridiculous, I know of one lady who had to go to Cirencester as all beds were full here, some relatives could not visit and those who could had a long car journey. The inner Forest roads can be treacherous during Winter months so many folk would travel into Gloucester rather than go to Cinderford or Lydney for A&E making that hospital stretched to capacity.		
662	27/11/17 1:18PM ID: 67962033	Location on different sides of the Forest is a better option. Both now give good service and would benefit from spending to update rather than spending on a new building and infrastructure.		
663	27/11/17 1:18PM ID: 67970959	I have used the dilke a few times since moving here 16 years ago regarding myself my partner and my children. It would be very sad to loose this hospital as it's right on the doorstep when u need it and people are very familiar with it. I feel very strongly that things should be left as it is.		
664	27/11/17 1:19PM ID: 67974081	It is in the interest of myself and many people who I have spoken to concerning this very important situation. I live in sling nr coleford in a small village most residents are elderly. As a 24hr carer i listen to all the stories they tell me about our local hospital and how they look after their loved ones when that are transferred from Gloucester or Cheltenham even Bristol hospital to spend there last couple of weeks or days to be with them. As some families do not have transport or due to ill health are unable to		

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		visit on long journeys. Please keep are hospital we need them both.		
665	27/11/17 1:19PM ID: 67974386	not able to offer full bed capacity as there is currently. cut in services available. difficulty for some people to get to appointments.		
666	27/11/17 1:20PM ID: 67975907	Waste of money, building a place , when we already have the facilities.		
667	27/11/17 1:20PM ID: 67976036	I agree that there definitely should be a new hospital but would hope that at least one of the existing hospitals could be kept as a convalescent hospital as I believe that your plan for a new hospital will not accommodate as many beds as our existing two hospitals and with elderly population on the rise the need for interim care before retuning a patient home I would consider quite crucial.		
668	27/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67976154	Less beds, only one location		
669	27/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67978354	Lack of public services, too far for some people to travel. Less beds than at present. Small community hospitals are better		
670	27/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67982613	Do not think Dilke should go. It is central to forest. Expand on Dilke site.		
671	27/11/17 1:22PM ID: 67993832	I am very torn with my opinions on this subject. On the one hand I understand that the current hospitals are not really fit for purpose in terms of providing modern medicine & care, however on the other hand I was born in the Dilke & would be incredibly sad to see the end to this hospital that has served locals for so many years.		
672	27/11/17 1:22PM ID: 67994456	Depends on location. Central FoD would be best.		
673	27/11/17 1:22PM ID: 67998495	More travelling for a larger part of the forest not backed up by sufficient public transport as believe it or not, not everyone has their own transport		
674	27/11/17 1:22PM ID: 68000070	The Forest is avery large area with poor transport links. There should be facilities available to treat minor injuries / x ray / physio / fracture clinic / hearing clinic locally		
675	27/11/17 1:23PM ID: 68028503	I would be concerned about people's ability to travel. It rather depends on the proposed location of the new hospital.		
676	27/11/17 1:23PM ID: 68045948	Because the current hospitals are strategically placed for the convenience of the whole forest		
677	27/11/17 1:23PM ID: 68048727	Reduction in beds does not make sense, increase in population not taken into consideration, beds at both hospitals already full yet you recommend a 50 percentage reduction how does that work.		
678	27/11/17 1:24PM ID: 68055111	It all depends where this hospital will be situated. How much travelling is involved. I am a pensioner and can drive at the moment. What happens when I may not be able to. Drive. Our bus services are almost non existent. If we need a main hospital we go to Gloucester. So I feel we need lydney and the dilk, to fill in the gap.		
679	27/11/17 1:24PM ID: 68059797	The reported number of beds in the one hospital is fewer than those available now. Consequently there will be a reduction of availability and a subsequent need to travel to Gloucester. However, public transport is patchy. This policy needs to be integrated holistically with all other facilities in the area		
680	27/11/17 1:24PM ID: 68061362	It depends where the new hospital will be situated		
681	27/11/17 1:25PM ID: 68067636	Transportation to hospital, bus routes are already subject to being stopped. Distance to hospital. Reduction of bed numbers, bed numbers should be increased not reduced. Facilities should be increased in hospitals to reduce pressure on Gloucester hospital		
682	27/11/17 1:25PM ID: 68071081	It would depend on the location of the new community hospital. Its size and the facilities it will offer.		

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683	27/11/17 1:25PM ID: 68083221	I have no knowledge of the pros and cons, or of where to find them out.		
684	27/11/17 1:26PM ID: 68095846	I find the two local hospitals very good at what they do , they make you feel like a real person .		
685	27/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68131374	It would depend where the new hospital was, ie how accessible it would be for all areas covered by the dilke and Lydney. And it would depend what facilities and capacity it would have. Without this information I cannot give a preference. Consider making improvements to the existing hospitals instead of demolition and rebuild.		
686	27/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68134078	Both hospitals serve their local populations well and two hospitals mean the elderly and those without transport are within an easy distance of one of both hospitals. Wherever you locate a single hospital it will cause hardship to people without access to their own transport and together suffering serious bleeds etc.		
687	27/11/17 1:28PM ID: 68137615	We don't need another hospital money should be spent on the hospital's we already have		
688	27/11/17 1:28PM ID: 68140128	The Forest of dean is a massive area, travel around the forest is inconvenient and expensive and not everyone can drive. Having both Lydney and the dilke, care can be provided for a large section of the forest. We also need more beds not less. The funding should be used to improve already standing hospitals rather than building a brand new one just for the sake of it.		
689	27/11/17 1:29PM ID: 68144612	as an older resident I am not sure how much longer I will be able to drive, the bus service is laughable so I will be ringing 999 for every hospital need. Out of the budget perhaps you could fund a 24 hour Dial a ride with a short response time		
690	27/11/17 1:29PM ID: 68152772	Older patients will have to travel further away. Beds will be lost.		
691	27/11/17 1:29PM ID: 68154808	When smaller hospitals are closed, the care given by a large hospital is not so personal, too many patient's not enough staff! Not enough beds to cope with winter outbreaks of illness, vulnerable elderly being sent home before they are well,		
692	27/11/17 1:29PM ID: 68155547	Area too large and transport issues for 1 hospital plus reducing number of beds will put more pressure on acute trust/other community hospitals.		
693	27/11/17 1:30PM ID: 68179746	More than happy with both hospitals as they are now.		
694	27/11/17 1:30PM ID: 68206273	There aren't enough beds in the proposed option, staff will lose their jobs (we need to keep people working rather than relying on the government), people need somewhere close to go (especially older patients and people who rely on public transport).		
695	27/11/17 1:31PM ID: 68209594	I am unaware of where the new unit will be, having not been consulted.		
696	27/11/17 1:31PM ID: 68211580	There are no details about a new hospital. How do we know a new one will actually be built.		
697	27/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68218197	Health and Social Care is a societal issue and there will be no sustainable solutions forthcoming as long as the debate is restricted to money and services. In common we imagine with many consultees, the Forest of Dean Green Party has concluded that the 'consultation' (no doubt despite the best intentions of the CCC)		

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	<p>addresses the wrong conundrum.</p> <p>Given that NHS services, in our view erroneously, are increasingly centralised, specialised, commodified, and subject to Fordian/industrial management assumptions, the key questions should be focused upon how we can provide resilient and sustainable local community arrangements which are a true partnership between citizens, communities, and the services and professionals we fund and:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are flexible in the face of the rigidities and implicit lack of capacity in the 'specialist' system • Provide necessary services as close as possible to the point of need • Promote resilience in grass roots communities • Put people and families back in control and reverse the tendency for people to be passive and 'incompetent' consumers • Assist professionals and services to be experts in supplementing, complementing, strengthening and sustaining the 'core economy' of interpersonal and economic relationships (rather than working mindlessly to make these essential assets redundant) • Challenge the notion that real care can be outsourced • Encourage politicians to attend to nurturing sustainable, self-reliant and interdependent communities instead of 'brokering' services • Attend seriously to sustainability. <p>We believe that the fundamental purposes that should have been addressed concern health and social services in the round within the Forest of Dean. The design of locally provided in- and out-patient building based services only makes sense in this context but the consultative document instead reflects the siloed realities that plague the NHS, largely reflecting an accommodation of a range of professionals' priorities.</p> <p>In our view, any credible consultation starts by sharing all the key data upon which any recommended proposals are based including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a full description of the purposes of the exercise, • full disclosure the funding available and its sources – including the extent to which capital resources associated with the current sites are implicated, • the principles that frame decision-making • In the context of an invitation to propose alternative solutions. <p>To understand the Forest of Dean it is necessary to appreciate that it is a scattering of disparate and poorly connected settlements. The loss of local employment, consumer lifestyles, and public policies that have not recognised the need to nurture communities have given rise to a loss of social cohesion, and a marked rise in social isolation and service dependency. Increasingly the professionals who serve our communities – from GP's to Community Nurses and Social Workers to Clerics - have found their work 'functionalised' and their multi-skilled and problem-solving roles controlled or abolished. As we see it, resilience is the key consideration when planning public services that serve Forest communities. A central problem resides in the assumption that health and care outcomes are essentially the consequence of specialist institutional and professional activities. This stimulates lots of demand and, in turn, rationing measures that only serve to make things worse. Sustainable ways forward are to be found if a less deterministic approach is pursued. This, we believe, begins by aspiring to invest to deliver as much as possible locally – in key settlements/GP practice areas.</p> <p>The current consultation misses the point and only serves to polarise those who, for a spectrum of reasons, care enough to participate. Instead we would recommend a settlement/GP practice (by settlement) based coproduction exercise based upon explicit and widely publicised principles which are that services that meet peoples' needs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are local by default • Help people to help themselves and each other • Attend to purpose, not outcomes • And manage value not cost. 		

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		The Forest of Dean Green Party invites Gloucester Care Commissioning Group to meet with us to explore this approach. We are surprised, given the founding rationale for CCG's, that the local/community approach to planning seems not to have taken hold. Health and Social Care is a societal issue and there will be no sustainable solutions forthcoming as long as the debate is restricted to money and services.		
698	27/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68221499	We have two perfectly good hospitals that could easily be updated.		
699	27/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68239745	A new hospital would be fantastic for the area, but I am concerned at the drastic bed reduction. It is already difficult at times to have people admitted to either hospital due to the high demand. A new hospital without bed reduction would be great.		
700	27/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68239888	The reduction in bed numbers is a grave concern. As a health professional working in this locality I know from experience it is often difficult to admit patients to either hospital due to lack of beds. This in my opinion would worsen with the proposed decrease in beds. Whilst I understand there is not a bottomless pot I think 2 hospitals would be a better option. One of the nice things about the hospital is their individuality and intimacy. This would be lost in a modern new build. As a previous worker in the trust I did not find it a problem working across 2 sites.		
701	27/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68250046	Further to travel on a complicated road network. Winter time will make the journey dangerous. Better to spend the money improving the current facilities and making them 24 hr.		
702	27/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68277045	The NHS is short of money and in crisis I have used both hospitals and found them excellent and to replace with less beds is madness when new houses are being built across the forest. Plus when people are old we don't want to travel miles to hospital and when we are at the end of our life where better than in the beautiful forest and less stress for visitors, Mrs P Billingsley		
703	27/11/17 1:34PM ID: 68290380	Because the Dilke and Lydney have served the Forest for many years and has done a very good job, if it's not broken why try and fix it. They've just spent money at Lydney with a new x-ray department and done some improvements in the Dilke. Until they improve the roads and have a decent transport system running for people who don't drive I don't think it's a very good idea, especially for the older generation.		
704	27/11/17 1:34PM ID: 68294405	One smaller community hospital in Cinderford does not support the forest communities - public transport is not the same as Gloucester or Cheltenham where there are regular bus services to the town centres etc. Whilst the proposed hospital no doubt has merit by being more modern, its capacity is smaller yet it has to cover a larger population area. I feel a better option is an acceptance of the forest geography and public transport issues, leading to redevelopment of the existing sites, or replacements with modern hospitals in similar locations.		
705	27/11/17 1:34PM ID: 68294844	The positions of these hospitals cater for all the Forest, if a hospital is to be built in Cinderford then what happens to people in Lydney and surrounding areas, the new GP scheme is an absolute joke without the people of the Forest having to lose these hospitals that are more easily accessible to people in the Forest. One hospital to cater for all of the Forest it is a joke		
706	27/11/17 1:35PM ID: 68296016	We need more beds not less and we need more community Nurses so care in the community will be there for all who need it and not a stretch resource		
707	27/11/17 1:35PM ID: 68307825	Bed blocking is a problem in the GRH. Currently this is relieved to some degree by the extra beds provided by Lydney and the Dilke (ideally used for Forest residents). The new plan is for 24 beds only, which means that the overspill patients could quite		

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		easily find themselves in Morton in Marsh. Which is 1 hour 20 minutes from Lydney by car. Allow half a day by public transport. This situation is totally unacceptable and is going to become worse as Lydney continues to expand. Lydney will need a super surgery along with a hospital to cope with the ever increasing demand from newcomers and immigrants. The Ideal solution would be to retain at least one of the existing hospitals as a convalescence home and provide a new hospital in Lydney close to the A48 and railway head. Which makes it ideal for staff accessibility, visitors, services and deliveries.		
708	27/11/17 1:36PM ID: 68324470	We will have less beds than the current provision. We have not been made aware of the siting of the new hospital and it is therefore difficult to make an informed decision. I have concerns about the future use of the Dilke hospital in the event of a new replacement hospital. Despite the claims of improved services for the community of the Forest of Dean, this does not seem to extend to providing a maternity service which is one of the most important for the area to preserve the birthrights of future foresters.		
709	27/11/17 1:36PM ID: 68345952	We see more beds not less		
710	27/11/17 1:37PM ID: 68357744	The Forest of Dean covers a very wide area and has an ever increasing population. For people already dealing with illness and their families Gloucester hospital is too far.. Replacing both hospitals with one hospital with fewer beds means more patients having to travel an hour to hospital. I fully agree both facilities need updating but I would prefer to see investment in or near both sites. It can take over half an hour to travel from one side of the forest to another, ill patients do not need the additional stress this extra traveling time will cause.		
711	27/11/17 1:37PM ID: 68366852	The proposed new hospital will have only 50% of the current number of beds available.		
712	27/11/17 2:01PM ID: 68401715	Partly. A new hospital to treat local people but we also need to keep Lydney and Dilke particularly for use as convalescent hospitals and get people out of acute care facilities. EG GRH we cannot have less beds I think Lydney and Dilke could be trimmed down and staffed by volunteers and give help and assistance to mainly elderly patients to stop "bed blocking". Years ago we used to have "convalescent hospitals"		
713	27/11/17 2:04PM ID: 68402511	I feel the new hospital will not be built		
714	27/11/17 2:09PM ID: 68402751	One hospital with half the beds for a large country area is not a good idea. Transport in the forest of Dean is not viable for such a plan. Also fewer beds is a ridiculous idea.		
715	27/11/17 2:16PM ID: 68403962	No Maternity unit How do we get there without a car?		
716	27/11/17 5:36PM ID: 68425582	It will reduce the number of beds It will place all forest hospital care in a single point of failure It is clearly just a mechanism for shutting the two existing hospitals. The money would be better spent on modernising and investing in the current sites.		
717	27/11/17 5:40PM ID: 68426525	Depends where the new hospital will be built		
718	27/11/17 7:00PM ID: 68432116	this is an absolutely ludicrous idea when we have two hospitals that could both be extended and brought up to date and as for decreasing the number of beds APPALLING !!!!!!!!		
719	27/11/17 7:54PM ID: 68437627	As far as I can tell it will reduce bed numbers, more important than so called improved services. It will also centralise which is not good. Local hospitals are better. Driving across the Forest is not going to a local hospital. The only acceptable option is to use the funding to enhance current provision within		

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		the two current hospitals.		
720	27/11/17 9:13PM ID: 68442893	The proposed £11 million pound being spent on the new hospital could be better spent upgrading the 2 hospitals which would be more cost effective and a much more pleasant setting for recuperation. There is room to greatly expand the Dilke hospital which would be suitable for the 21st century.		
721	27/11/17 9:29PM ID: 68443771	Cannot understand how a completely new option would be value for money. The existence of two sites within the Forest offers more flexibility to people. Transportation and infrastructure within the Forest is poor - only Lydney is accessible by the rail network. There are very few sites within coleford or cinderford that could support the necessary space required - especially parking and travel.		
722	27/11/17 10:17PM ID: 68446397	Totally unnecessary to build another hospital in an undecided plot when there are already two hospitals in place. The Dilke especially, is positioned in the middle of the Forest and should be expanded to incorporate the intended new clinics. Should a new hospital be built, it is obvious that the existing plots would be sold for future private building plans thereby eroding this beautiful part of the Forest. Also, it appears that fewer beds would be available in the new hospital...how can that be called progress? I am sure that these surveys are just to appease the local community as it has probably already been decided by the bureaucrats.		
723	28/11/17 7:42AM ID: 68458094	Increased population growth in the Forest of Dean coupled with the increased average age of population will require increased Hospital Support not less. Could we consider 1 new "treatment" hospital and 1 perhaps simplified site with "advanced care home" type facilities.		
724	28/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68467843	even with number of existing beds it is often not possible to obtain a bed at short notice, so how will a reduction of bed number avoid a further negative impact on this service		
725	28/11/17 10:11AM ID: 68469429	* can't support this because if it is to be in Lydney it is too far to travel from Newent area. * Could not the two existing hospitals each retain their minor injuries units but divide the other specialisms between them, so each become a centre of excellence for half of specialisms?		
726	28/11/17 10:39AM ID: 68460839	Public transport in the forest is virtually nil and unless you have your own transport it would be difficult to get to just one hospital for all patients in the forest, especially the elderly. It can be just as difficult to get to Gloucester, and the closure of Lydney's theatre for non emergency operations was disgraceful! At least it freed Gloucester to do the more urgent operations.		
727	28/11/17 10:59AM ID: 68468729	I have already completed this survey once but having now spoken to the consultation team and attended a public meeting I would like to make further comment, as I am now not so certain of my view. Foresters are naturally cynical and we have seen so many swingeing cuts in our local services over the past few years that most now think a new hospital is nothing more than a sugared version of another cut. This is borne out by the fact that bed numbers are only given a brief mention in a footnote in the booklet, not included in the Facts & Figures where they should be. The booklet 'buries' the fact that bed numbers will be halved. It says on average only 21 beds are occupied by locals but doesn't say how or even if all 24 beds will be reserved for locals. What arrangements are being made to miraculously spirit away the 25+ "outsiders" using the other beds? I'm not convinced single rooms will sort this out. Also, some people NEED company to help their recovery and some may not be mobile or well enough to make it to a community room. Nurses will not have time to ensure these people get the interaction they need. So wards are also required. I don't think sufficient account has been taken of 1) most recent planning permissions for new housing estates, for example in Lydney and Tidenham 2) no Severn Bridge tolls from 2018 increasing the numbers moving to the area from Bristol (already happening) triggering a need for yet more housing 3) rubbish public transport throughout the Forest		

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		<p>4) the difficulty in reaching a single hospital in the middle of the Forest on roads over-used by heavy vehicles (who have no other route option) and in bad condition and which can be sometimes be impassable In winter weather whilst the outskirts of the Forest are barely affected</p> <p>5) patients of Welsh registered GPs now being able to (and they will) opt for treatment in their own county</p> <p>The two existing hospitals have been well loved and supported by the community for 100 years plus - millions have been raised for them and they have been fought for before. Locals find it hard to understand why this £11m can't be spent on their buildings instead.</p>		
728	28/11/17 11:56AM ID: 68418382	Lydney hospital and the Dilke hospital have been funded mostly by the Forest people. One new hospital to cover the Forest with fewer beds is being offered!! Still no Maternity unit being offered.		
729	28/11/17 11:56AM ID: 68434032	The dilke and lydney hospitals are important to the forest people. Why build a new hospital when we already have 2 perfectly brilliant hospitals maybe instead of putting money into a new hospital that money should be spent on the dilke an lydney after all they are our heritage.		
730	28/11/17 11:57AM ID: 68433632	We should keep them they are very important to the forest people and don't see why there needs to be a new hospital when we all have 2 perfectly brilliant hospitals already maybe put the money into them instead of wasting it on a new build. The dilke and lydney hospitals are our heritage an we should keep them that way!!		
731	28/11/17 11:57AM ID: 68443638	Why close 2 perfectly good hospitals to invest money in a newly built hospital that doesnt take as many patients as the 2 hospitals combined. Why not just update the 2 we already have		
732	28/11/17 11:57AM ID: 68441161	Keep both		
733	28/11/17 11:58AM ID: 68440432	Having one single hospital in an area poorly served by public transport and with poor roads in general is extremely dangerous particularly for the most vulnerable in our society. Both hospitals are well used and are much needed. Lydney in particular is growing massively in terms of the number of homes being built and cutting services is dangerous and shows the corruption of those in charge!! This is not what local people want.		
734	28/11/17 11:58AM ID: 68439250	Removing easy, local access from key locations.		
735	28/11/17 11:58AM ID: 68437866	This is a crazy scheme at s time when the NHS is seriously under funded. We have two wonderful facilities which should be reinstated to there previous full service status, not closed down.		
736	28/11/17 11:59AM ID: 68435920	I am concerned about where any new facility would be situated . Why are only half of the present number of beds going to be available in the new hospital ? The population of the FOD is increasing therefore surely more beds should be planned for.		
737	28/11/17 12:49PM ID: 68485363	Existing hospital should be upgraded		
738	28/11/17 12:55PM ID: 68486122	It may be in a less convenient place - access in the forest / travel is difficult. Reduced beds Option 2 should be considered		
739	28/11/17 1:11PM ID: 68487139	Availability Spend money improving present hospitals		
740	28/11/17 2:05PM ID: 68489803	We want to keep the Dilke. Its the best hospital I have ever been in - stop lying and stop pushing your agenda, we know exactly what's going on		
741	28/11/17 2:15PM ID: 68493533	Cannot support such a stupid plan, when 11 million could refurbish and extend our two hospitals. The Dilke has been your target all along. You damn 11 million isn't		

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		enough to refurbish, yet somehow its going to build new - RUBBISH		
742	28/11/17 3:12PM ID: 68500041	The hospital that we have at Lydney is second to none. If something is not broken why fix it?		
743	28/11/17 4:29PM ID: 68501677	<p>I feel that we have been provided with too little information to make a decision. I am particularly annoyed at being told page 16 of the consultation document that re-providing the two existing Community hospitals would be unachievable and unaffordable, with no explanation as to why.</p> <p>On the same page a dash indicates that even the writers of the Consultation document do not know if the new Community hospital would be affordable, but they nevertheless assure us that it is achievable.</p> <p>This is nonsense. The new hospital is only going to be "affordable" if one or both of the existing sites is sold for commercial development.</p> <p>I would not buy a pig in a poke and I cannot support this "preferred option".</p>		
744	28/11/17 5:18PM ID: 68506827	Your still not giving the full details, your giving 3 locations, but its not central, your not giving details of what is going to happen to the old Hospital sites and your not giving any details on the costs involved and possible environmental damage your going to cause. This is an area of outstanding beauty		
745	28/11/17 5:40PM ID: 68509354	<p>I oppose any greater centralisation of healthcare provision than that which currently exists. Community hospitals provide a vital back-up service for the main hub centres in Gloucester and Cheltenham, relieving pressure on those centres through the local provision route. Community hospitals are also an important facility for those in our society who, for whatever reason, cannot easily access transportation facilities to more remote sites. The accessibility and range of services provided by the existing hospitals in Cinderford and Lydney have proved over many years to be a valuable and valued community resource and we must not lose site of this fact.</p> <p>The Forest population is presently expanding as the prices commanded by property in the Bristol area force many people to seek to live further from their place of work, and the proposed abolition of road tolls upon the two Severn Crossings can only serve to accelerate this process. Judged against this background it is nonsensical to propose a single new hospital facility with approximately half the bed capacity of the existing two community hospitals. If anything, priority consideration ought to be given to expanding the available bed space.</p> <p>I find it difficult to believe that the NHS has insufficient funds available to properly improve, staff and run the existing hospitals. From what I learn via local and national media, and from my own observations, I consider is more likely to be the case that the problem lies with poor judgement on the part of NHS management when it comes to the allocation and use of available funding. Far too much is expended (in my view) on non-clinical functions within the NHS, and existing resources are poorly managed so that the overall cost of providing medical services is greater than it ought to be.</p> <p>In the light of the above I cannot suggest any alternative provision that will achieve the objectives and criteria set out in Section 8, for I consider the criteria around which those objectives are based to be deeply flawed. My preferred solution would be for NHS management to go back to the drawing board, to take a long, hard look at the way in which existing finances are managed with a view to eliminating the wastage that undoubtedly exists, and then to propose a range of options directed towards maintaining and improving the levels of service provided by the existing community hospitals at Cinderford and Lydney.</p>		
746	28/11/17 5:50PM ID: 68511309	Where we live Lydney hospital is 7 miles away and when you need to go to a clinic with an elderly person it is far better than travelling 30 miles to Gloucester. Any more central hospital within the forest would be equally difficult to attend as it would take almost as much time to get there. The same applies when needing to visit a patient in hospital especially when you have to rely on public transport.		
747	28/11/17 6:15PM ID: 68513747	both hospitals are very good and need more support		

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748	28/11/17 7:26PM ID: 68517317	I understand there will be fewer beds in the new hospital which seems to defeat the issue as we don't seem to be able cope with the numbers now		
749	28/11/17 8:35PM ID: 68521086	My initial concern is that the closing of these two hospitals will not be beneficial for the elderly and infirmed that currently reside in the Forest of Dean, extra travelling will be required on a very insufficient public transport system just to enable attendance at appointments within the new desired hospital which for all intense purposes will be located around the Coleford area.		
750	28/11/17 9:56PM ID: 68525103	Existing hospitals should be retained and upgraded as they serve the communities that they are based in		
751	28/11/17 10:43PM ID: 68525896	There is no definite plan laid out for the Dilke, which was paid for by public subscription. If there is a new hospital on a new site, how will the money be found for the land for the new site except by selling the Dilke site to some hotel developer - Center parcs, anyone? I cannot support this vague plan full of optimistic promises. Definite plans need to be created and this MUST NOT involve the selling of the Dilke site.		
752	29/11/17 7:01AM ID: 68535728	Travel, the Forest of Dean is not served well by public transport, having both the Dilke and Lydney in enormous catchment areas makes it easy for both urgent minor injuries, visiting relatives and local community and social care. I don't know the sums involved but without question the money would better spent on the existing hospitals and medical staff than starting from scratch, it ALWAYS goes massively over budget and this will mean devastating cuts.		
753	29/11/17 8:50AM ID: 68540312	I feel that there are insufficient beds available in the new hospitals. I note you state that on average only 21 beds are occupied. I am not surprised at this as my partner broke his hip & was kept in Gloucester royal 3 weeks longer than necessary as there was no appropriate support to have him home. I requested a number of times for him to be sent to the Dilke but this was not granted. If people are not allowed access to the current facilities/ available beds then the numbers of beds needed is going to be artificially low! Whether he wasn't allowed because of insufficient staffing etc is a different matter. Just because the current beds aren't used doesn't mean they are not wanted or needed.		
754	29/11/17 9:03AM ID: 68540953	Both the existing hospitals provide an adequate service. As an alternative the money could be invested in modernising the current hospitals rather than building a new hospital in an undesired location		
755	29/11/17 9:22AM ID: 68543841	£11m doesn't seem nearly enough to provide an adequate facility and the new 'plans' don't seem well developed enough for anyone to be certain what is being proposed to replace the existing facilities - both of which provide great community benefit.		
756	29/11/17 10:21AM ID: 68549433	As I understand it the Dilke was built with miners' money and the NHS has no right to sell without the community's consent. With the population due to increase to over 85000 the Forest will need more hospital beds, not less. Money spent on a new hospital could be used to enlarge and update the two existing hospitals, a more economical and logical use of public monies.		
757	29/11/17 12:30PM ID: 68563512	Depends on the location		
758	29/11/17 1:40PM ID: 68570222	The forest need more beds not less, the infrastructure is already weak enough due to house building in various places in the forest.		
759	29/11/17 2:50PM ID: 68577651	See comments in section 6		
760	29/11/17 2:55PM ID: 68576457	The loss of the two hospitals in the Forest of dean would be disastrous it would also me morally wrong as The Dilk Hospital was paid for by the local miners and the promise of a new hospital would never be kept		

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		We need more funds for the existing hospitals with our growing population		
761	29/11/17 4:51PM ID: 68586958	The Dilke & Lydney Hospitals are brilliant the service we get at the moment is Great. We can see our Individual Consultants there without having to travel to Gloucester It was stated there would be an endoscopy unit of which I find strange because I have had two endoscopies in the Dilke already so what So nothing will change .You also state that there will be fewer beds that we have now .I would like to know who is the person who is making all the decisions is this person resideing in the Forest of Dean I doubt it very much. The monies would be better spent upgrading these wonderful Hospitals of which our parents grandparents & great grandparents worked in the surrounding mines & donated a lot of there hard earned money to pay for them & then someone sitting behind a desk with no knowledge of the Forest people come up with these decisions.		
762	29/11/17 4:59PM ID: 68589599	We need a hospital in Lydney to cover the south of the Forest of Dean. To have a hospital in Cinderford wither less beds is not an option as public transport is non existent.		
763	29/11/17 6:07PM ID: 68594718	I believe that due to the area covered by the forest of dean, we should keep both hospitals as they provide outstanding service in lydney and cinderford		
764	29/11/17 6:17PM ID: 68595397	As long as there are clear plans on how the new hospital will be fully utilised, without just relying upon GHFT to provide services, then I support the recommended option. The 'new' hospitals in Vale & North Cots are practically empty & do not seem to have warranted the huge investment made.		
765	29/11/17 7:47PM ID: 68602733	The Dilke serves the community very well I see no reason why it should not go on doing so if the will of Glos NHS is there.		
766	29/11/17 9:32PM ID: 68609549	Clearly, the NHS is under huge pressure financially; however, both Forest hospitals are very much needed and, indeed, their survival thus far has in a large part been secured by community fundraising and support (Friends of... etc.). Reinvest in the existing hospitals. The very least you can do is state where you want build the new hospital and what the projected profits are when you sell off the existing sites.		
767	29/11/17 10:07PM ID: 68612011	Invest in the current hospitals the Dilke and Lydney to provide more beds and a better service		
768	29/11/17 10:27PM ID: 68612377	as an older resident I am worried that When I can no longer drive the public transport will not be "fit for purpose"At present the service goes 50 yards from my door straight to the Dilke. A dedicated shuttle service would be required if the new hospital was located in Lydney or somewhere else not on the bus route		
769	30/11/17 1:48AM ID: 68619336	Because the Dilke is obviously the best place to site a new hospital; it has a large footprint and is easily accessible.		
770	30/11/17 6:17AM ID: 68623273	Upgrade both sites to encompass all requirements		
771	30/11/17 10:30AM ID: 68639602	I have read/heard that a new hospital would not hold as many beds as the current two hospitals do at present. To me this is not a good idea.		
772	30/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68644907	No closure of any hospital until the equivalent beds and 24hr new hospital is guaranteed !!!!		
773	30/11/17 11:56AM ID: 68648093	I want Lydney hospital to stay		
774	30/11/17 12:36PM ID: 68650415	I have been a friend of Lydney Hospital for several years and have made monthly contributions towards its upkeep and facilities. The friends have supported the local		

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		<p>hospital for nearly 50 years and over £2,000,000 has been donated to it by local people.</p> <p>clearly it is of great importance to the 23,000 people who live in Lydney and the surrounding villages. This number will greatly increase over the next decade when the land between town and the by - pass is filled with new housing and other buildings. The planners have already set aside the land for this in the district plan.</p> <p>Let's say another two or three thousand people become residents. The total population nearby will then exceed 25,000. Will all of them want to travel miles to a new facility, probably in Coleford whose population, including their local settlements, is just over 11,000. Everything else seems to go there!</p> <p>I imagine that the 17,000 who live in and around Cinderford feel the same about the Dilke hospital. I am sure that the people of both major towns in the Forest would much prefer it if the £11,000,000 was used to update the existing hospitals making them considerable more efficient to run.</p> <p>The Bathurst family who originally set up our hospital and the miners who helped create the Dilke, can then continue to look down on their investments with great pleasure.</p> <p>I'm afraid that the people of Newent and District have been left out of my considerations as they have a fairly fast route straight into Gloucester</p> <p>Lydney - 9259 Alvington - 736 Aylburton - 671 Blakeney - 1619 Bream - 3054 Parkend - 2194 Newnham - 970 St Briavels - 924 Woolaston - 911 Yorkley - 2701</p> <p>total - 23039</p> <p>Cinderford - 11277 Drybrook - 2548 Longhope - 1109 Littledean - 926 Ruardean - 1205 Ruardean W - 628</p> <p>Total - 17693</p> <p>Coleford - 5459 Coalway - 3178 Lydbrook - 1848 Sling - 953</p> <p>Total - 11438</p>		
775	30/11/17 12:41PM ID: 68584806	Have not seen booklet, we need hospitals of the present size or larger not smaller. Why not make more use of what we have ie a consultant comes to the dike sees 10 people. Carbon feet print 1.10th.		
776	30/11/17 12:43PM ID: 68596413	Whilst I fully support investment into a new unit to update and modernise, for me it would depend on location as to whether it would be of personal benefit.		
777	30/11/17 12:43PM ID: 68601697	There will be as I understand less beds. There are many more houses being built in the area so surely there should be more beds. Also we have not been told where the Hospital is to built.		
778	30/11/17 12:44PM ID: 68612471	I'm local to the Dilke Hospital who provide a fantastic service, having one hospital makes me concerned about being able to provide the same quality service.		
779	30/11/17 12:44PM ID: 68613334	I don't there hadn't been enough information yet		

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780	30/11/17 12:45PM ID: 68623973	Does not say were.thenew hospital will be !!		
781	30/11/17 12:46PM ID: 68629637	Local people have invested a lot in Lydney and The Dilke and it seems a waste to scrap them, If there was a plan to use these premises in some way I would be happier to a new one being built		
782	30/11/17 1:22PM ID: 68655462	Greater distances to be travelled (e.g Tutshill with expanding population from Bristol on free charge on Severn Bridge)		
783	30/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68656495	Want will 11 million provide? A want / prefer option 2. to further develop Lydney and Dilke hospitals, being a better use of resources already available and accessible		
784	30/11/17 1:34PM ID: 68657019	Less Hospital space - More people in the Forest - more travelling		
785	30/11/17 1:37PM ID: 68657153	Lack of beds in the new facility, lack of info as to location of new unit. Worry over public transport for those who don't own their own vehicle. Money better spent on upgrading the current units		
786	30/11/17 1:43PM ID: 68657717	Because our MP Mark Harper wants to sell of the Forest and we will have anything here at all		
787	30/11/17 1:49PM ID: 68658071	We could modernise one of the hospitals we already have and enlarge the building to make the hospital bigger and accommodate more patients which would save money on buying land and building new a hospital costing more money which could be spent on refurbishment		
788	30/11/17 1:52PM ID: 68658930	We need at least 2 hospitals with more beds not less		
789	30/11/17 4:19PM ID: 68671687	I believe the facilities at the Dilke and at Lydney should stay open as convalescence / post operative recovery units as well as having a new facility with more beds than are currently available.The new facility should also possess an A&E department and a maternity unit.		
790	30/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68672116	No one knows where this Hospital will be sited , So how can we support some thing that has not been decided / or as it !!!! .		
791	30/11/17 4:35PM ID: 68672939	There are several issues 1) the location of a single hospital that will ensure ease of access for people living across the district 2) the proposed bed capacity if a single hospital is built to replace the two current settings in Lydney and at the Dilke. Key points:: It is stated that the current beds are in part occupied by people not residing in the Forest district. This is given as an arguement for reducing numbers in the future. But how many Forest people are taking up beds inGloucester, Cheltenham and further afield (e.g. Southmead) for specialist care, who could benefit from a period of ongoing rehabilitation in a local hospital? The expected population growth given in the consultation document does not appear to tally with the planned housing increase in the district. There is a significant lack of logic in the reduced bed capacity. Why no birthing unit, even if run on a Monday to Friday basis? Again as the population of the district goes up it becomes increasingly unrealistic for people to have to go to Gloucester. If a single hospital if agreed then the location is of major importance. Of the three places apparently under consideration only Coleford is sufficiently centrally located within the locality. However, any location would require ease of access, both to those with cars and to those reliant on public transport, as patients and as visitors. Are there any plans to increase public transport to facilitate access??		
792	30/11/17 4:56PM ID: 68675755	The two existing hospitals should be maintained and upgraded to modern standards for health care in the Forest of Dean without the need to have to travel to Gloucester (or in some cases Cheltenham)		

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793	30/11/17 6:59PM ID: 68684197	We need two local hospitals. When a service is not available at one of them it is usually available at the other (x Rays recently). A local hospital should be close to the public it serves, one new hospital in a unknown location cannot do that. The Dilke has room for more development. The number of beds available needs to be increased for the future not decreased.		
794	30/11/17 8:03PM ID: 68688474	We need to serve the people of the Forest, we need to increase beds not take them away. Why not develop both sites? And make them great? Why do you always want to demolish everything?		
795	30/11/17 8:41PM ID: 68690599	Because of concern about the reduction of beds that would be available in a new hospital. The population of the FOD is increasing. We		
796	30/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68691841	Removing the number of beds proposed will not be a positive move. Moving the "proposed" new hospital will not help people who live in the forest. Perfectly suitable accommodation already in place, just spend the money extending Lydney.		
797	30/11/17 10:04PM ID: 68692660	Both Lydney and the Dilke have been part of our community for so many years. My children were at the the maternity unit in Lydney and it was lovely. I work at Lydney Hospital and have done for the la.st twenty years. I think both hospitals could continue to offer good services for many years to come . There has been extensive renovations at Lydney over the last fifteen years and we get so much praise for the service we give		
798	30/11/17 10:39PM ID: 68696350	Because you are reducing the number of beds from 40 to 20 and at the same time there are plans for hundreds of new homes with no consideration to their care.		
799	30/11/17 11:29PM ID: 68697728	I do not support any plan that reduces the number of hospital beds in The FoD		
800	01/12/17 10:43AM ID: 68719983	Could you not spend the money that will be used in building a new hospital be spent on existing ones.		
801	01/12/17 1:13PM ID: 68730708	As a non driver & with the local bus service as it is, I live in Bream, I would find it difficult if we did not have the Hospital in Lydney. With the plans for all the extra housing in the Forest of Dean we need both. As I believe, the number of beds in the proposed new build will be greatly reduced from their present number, it is bad enough now trying to get a bed for a relative to be brought closer to home, in some instances it is their last move. You, The Trust, have recently spent money improving the Dilke & have installed a state of the art x-ray facility at Lydney. Please leave things as they are for the good of the community, don't make changes for changes sake. When you are in need of medical attention you don't want to be waiting for hours to be seen, with the whole population of the Forest having to rely on just one Hospital it would be horrendous.		
802	01/12/17 2:40PM ID: 68739732	Expand the Dilke and repair both hospitals , these hospitals are part of the heritage of the forest . Why waste so much money on new build .		
803	01/12/17 3:36PM ID: 68743737	<p>This is not a valid consultation as key information is missing, not least location.</p> <p>If you were a householder with a growing family - would you think it a good idea to downsize by half to a new and unknown location, however marvellous the promised décor and however cost efficient it was hailed to be?</p> <p>Financially, the cost of a new build together with the costs (both personal and service) of the 50% of people who would need to receive treatment further afield needs to be factored in.</p> <p>The Dilke was gifted by local people and therefore belongs to us.</p>		
804	01/12/17 5:07PM ID: 68751689	<p>It will,have less beds, and be more difficult for people to get to. Public transport is awful. Not everyone as a car.</p> <p>Redevelop and improve the two existing hospitals.</p>		

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805	01/12/17 5:42PM ID: 68758917	Because you could do lot with the hospital like give us a new matinee unit so we could have more forest babies and for more people could be seen instead Of going all the way to Gloucester		
806	01/12/17 9:40PM ID: 68772512	Accessibility for people of the Forest and by having one hospital we will be losing beds		
807	01/12/17 10:01PM ID: 68773319	We need more beds not less!		
808	01/12/17 10:16PM ID: 68769636	People in the forest of dean have many challenges regarding hospitals. They are the poor relatives. So far to go for most treatments. The cost of travelling the stress of arranging transport and the cost plus mind boggling parking charges _ over twelve pounds for cancer operation. We need services here and beds. The powers that be have absolutely no idea what it is like to be so far away from services. The stress, the cost of travel, the times involved. What sort of people in charge cannot understand the problems. Still I suppose we must just touch our forelocks and bow down to our masters and accept second class service.		
809	02/12/17 12:10AM ID: 68776184	Investment would cost substantially more than upgrading existing facilities. Patients would have to travel further that could have an adverse effect on life. There is excellent infection control as staff enjoy working with and receiving the respect of the community. Some patients cope much better and therefore cope better with their illness.		
810	02/12/17 12:51PM ID: 68793706	We don't need a reduction in number of beds		
811	02/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68808261	<p>The greatest concern is the reduction of beds by virtually 50%. Whilst you state the MINIMUM beds will,be 24 I am sceptical that the number will,be more than 30. With the demand for house building by the Govt & the number of houses already under construction in Lydney alone I cannot see how so few beds will,be sufficient. Is it necessary to close and sell off assets given by the local community many years ago ? Why not retain one of the sites and use for end of life/ rehabilitation purposes ?</p> <p>In addition there are two properties in Grove Road, Lydney adjoining the hospital which were previously private residences. As there is nowhere at all in the Forest of Dean for supported living for adults with mental health problems I strongly recommend that consideration is given to retaining one of these for this purpose.</p>		
812	02/12/17 8:40PM ID: 68809840	There will still be no maternity unit and it there will be less beds than before which is pointless		
813	02/12/17 9:15PM ID: 68810605	<p>The NHS has no money so a new hospital is pie in the sky. Jeremy Hunt and this government would welcome selling off community hospitals, conning people into believing a new modern facility is round the corner....its called asset stripping for property developers.</p> <p>Invest, refurbish and expand on the existing facilities. The Dilke could expand with land from the FC and Lydney with land from Lord Bledisloe. Both could offer different but specialist services meaning staff would not have to travel. A new hospital in the current Brexit, no money, no staff climate is ridiculous.</p>		
814	03/12/17 10:01AM ID: 68822540	Insufficient beds in proposed new hospital. It would make more sense to invest in the current hospitals.		
815	03/12/17 12:42PM ID: 68827622	To much money for little or no gain, nothing wrong with what we have		
816	03/12/17 2:23PM ID: 68830693	I live in Tutshill and for people like me living in the Sedbury/Beachley/Tutshill area we consider ourselves to be the forgotten corner of the Forest of Dean. Currently we use Lydney Hospital as there are good road links and bus services to Lydney. If a single hospital were created in Coleford or Cinderford it would mean longer journey times on dangerous roads and no bus service for those relying on public transport.		

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817	03/12/17 2:45PM ID: 68830703	I believe that both the Dilke and Lydney hospitals are there to support separate communities as the area of the Forest of Dean covers such a large area. Transport proves extremely difficult in our area and to reduce the hospitals to one would make that situation even worse, with some local people being excluded from your proffered option of only one hospital. For me personally I firmly believe community hospitals should do what the name implies, there to support that community but now you want to enlarge that community area and make it virtually impossible to service all local residents in the Forest of Dean with one hospital. Again experience shows me that residents on the Welsh boarder villages have never been supported by Forest of Dean council. We have no transport links, dial a ride or even meals on wheels in this area and I'm sure if you take up your option of one hospital it will not be located for our use.		
818	03/12/17 5:47PM ID: 68836434	Distance is an issue. Without knowing where the potential new hospital would be, I can't support any decision to close the current Lydney Hospital. My main concern is the loss of the minor injuries unit, which I have often had to make use of for my children.		
819	03/12/17 6:04PM ID: 68837293	The number of beds currently proposed for the new hospital is smaller than the number that the two existing hospitals provide. One of the supposed reasons the information booklet cites for a new hospital is to avoid patients needing to be placed in Gloucester or even Cheltenham. How is that likely, if there are going to be fewer beds?!		
820	03/12/17 9:20PM ID: 68844339	no guarantee that the number of beds will not be reduced we need more beds not less, spend the £11m on the current hospitals and recruiting more staff		
821	03/12/17 9:54PM ID: 68844422	The proposed option is putting forward the idea of fewer beds. This is totally unacceptable. Whichever way you try to cut it; fewer beds makes a lesser service. Also the plans for a new hospital are very vague - in fact there don't seem to be any plans! How can we approve of something we when don't know what it is? Basically we are being asked to approve of an idea - and an idea which is offering less than we already have! It all sounds incredibly half baked!		
822	03/12/17 10:27PM ID: 68845741	The Dilke hospital as enough ground around it to enlarge, this Hospital. What if we loose a few tree's. There would be two ways from Gloucester for all specialist to visit the Dilke for appointments, to cut traffic going into Gloucester for patients killing two problems with one stone. Also because the Dilke is nearly the centre of the forest area, it would be equally for everyone to travel. Cancer patients have to travel now to Stroud, Dursley, Cirencester or Cheltenham to see Specialist for appointments. A lot of people have no cars and Amulance cannot cope. So come on show some back bone and get your house in order.		
823	04/12/17 12:58AM ID: 68849402	Leave the hospitals alone. Transport in the local area is not good. 48 beds to 20 is a terrible idea for an area that is vastly growing in population.		
824	04/12/17 10:16AM ID: 68867431	Distances are already great between hospitals, we need more small community hospitals not one big one!		
825	04/12/17 10:42AM ID: 68869487	Because you will flog the land for houses supported by Mark Harper MP		
826	04/12/17 10:50AM ID: 68870679	We need both hospitals in the forest. Proposed new hospital not large enough 24 beds instead of 47		
827	04/12/17 11:05AM ID: 68871449	Need for more beds and keep the hospital Dilke Memorial and save more money and get more Doctors and Nurses		
828	04/12/17 11:09AM ID: 68872441	A vain glorious attempt to justify someone's pay grade. Lets have more financial accountability in the NHS		
829	04/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68872761	Community hospital needs to be central to the Forest. Based ay Lydney is as far away as Gloucester. With better management both sites are viable but understand one could be a cost saver. It would have to provide a lot more facilities		

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830	04/12/17 11:23AM ID: 68873123	Expand on existing hospital at Dilke, local miners money was taken from their wages, for future generations. We need to invest now, to take the strain of four main hospitals, with all the new housing states that have been built around Gloucester over the last 30 years, it obvious that COMMUNITY HOSPITALS need to expand to meet the needs of healthcare into the future		
831	04/12/17 12:17PM ID: 68878518	The current hospitals at Dilke and Lydney are essential to the local community. I have used both on numerous occasions for myself , my partner, my children and my parents sometimes we have been referred to Gloucester Royal sometimes we have been treated at the local hospitals. We have fundraised for equipment over the years that we believedo would secure the future of these hospitals and benefit our future generations.		
832	04/12/17 12:40PM ID: 68880185	Instead of creating a new single hospital at great cost investment should be made in the existing facilities. The most important factor is location and maintaining or increasing the current number of available beds at The Dilke and Lydney Hospitals must be preferred over a single site.		
833	04/12/17 1:41PM ID: 68885614	FOD needs a diagnostic and treatment centre on the Lord Varzey model not a community hospital that will be undercapitalised and starved of revenue income because the commissioners prioritise acute secondary care. A community hospital project is the easiest means of divesting current NHS estate and degrade the service to the Forest by increments.		
834	04/12/17 1:44PM ID: 68886599	Just make what we have better		
835	04/12/17 2:20PM ID: 68887254	One Hospital in the Forest of Dean would mean people having to travel further to get treatment, I don't think that the NHS realise the area of the Forest Of Dean.		
836	04/12/17 2:23PM ID: 68890608	Such a large area with limited transport. Need two hospitals		
837	04/12/17 2:27PM ID: 68891043	Less beds, make no sense		
838	04/12/17 3:12PM ID: 68895236	If it means cutting beds at a time when the population in the Forest is projected to grow [new housing developments], and get older...where is the sense in that!		
839	04/12/17 3:28PM ID: 68896637	Increase the bed capacity within the FOD and enable people to have better care nearer to their homes. The distance between Glos and Forest is too great and the current facilities too small. With increasing house building and all year round tourism, more comprehensive minor injury care required and better bed base.		
840	04/12/17 4:28PM ID: 68901960	Due to the poor transport links for the elderly and the reduction in beds		
841	04/12/17 6:41PM ID: 68914277	Making one single hospital would mean urgent care is moved further away from the majority of people who live in the Forest of dean. This is extremely worrying for the most vulnerable in society particularly very young children, the elderly and those without access to their own transport (public transport is very poor in the forest!).		
842	04/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68918338	Section 9 summarises the options assessed but there is insufficient information/evidence to determine if the assessment result was robust. This is simplistic presentation of the evidence for change. How was the options assessment assessment robustness tested and by whom. The plans for a single hospital are vague so how could the options assessment be robust. The circumstances for returning to a review of the overall strategy are not presented. It cannot be possible that the two hospital option assessed that weakly to never envisage this scenario. No consideration of the services provided in Ross, Monmouth or Chepstow, for example, seemed to have been taken into account. Some services could be provided from Gloucester provided the planning of appointments and provision of transport could be better integrated. It does not take a day to get to Gloucester and back, as stated in the report. It can take that long to get from one side of the forest to the other on public transport but this is not mentioned. On Sundays, transport would be impossible so expect to get many more emergency response calls for non-emergencies which puts		

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		those in need at greater risk.		
843	04/12/17 8:11PM ID: 68914041	I am not against building one new hospital if it is in a convenient location for patients both from Lydney and Cinderford and accessible at all times particularly in the winter. I am totally against the reduction in bed count which almost always turns out to be a retrograde step. In view of non acute orthopaedic patients and their visitors having to travel further to Cheltenham now, I believe more beds should be available for local patients who have longer than expected stays post surgery.		
844	04/12/17 8:14PM ID: 68915523	Because of the local infrastructure and landscape of the F of D one hospital would not be able to serve the community adequately. I believe that Lydney should have a new hospital on its current site. The road should be closed that runs between the two Lydney sites which would give a large area for the new hospital to be built and still allow access for the emergency vehicles. At the Dilke, some of the land sold off for housing and the facilities upgraded including use natural resources for electricity, such as wind turbines, ground source heat pumps, air source heat pumps, air to air heat pumps and solar panels this would dramatically reduce the fuel bills if used on both hospitals.		
845	04/12/17 9:01PM ID: 68922358	Can't support this option because the new hospital will have fewer beds, and your projection of future population is unrealistically low. Employ all staff for both centres , don't duplicate specialisms, and save other operating costs by using batch production methods.		
846	04/12/17 9:56PM ID: 68926093	I think the decision has already been made about one hospital. it will be interesting to know the location. You say that you will take into account the bus route of the forest, but Considering a lot of villages do not have a regular bus service or none at all, the location should be seriously considered.		
847	04/12/17 10:22PM ID: 68927663	It would depend on where the proposed new site is going to be and what facilities are going to be there, how easy it will be to access etc		
848	05/12/17 7:56AM ID: 68939296	there is no central point in the forest that has easy access. Bus services are not very reliable and if you dont drive you need easy access. I also cannot understand why the number of beds are being cut, surely we need more not less		
849	05/12/17 9:20AM ID: 68945489	The number of beds are significantly reduced. Your objectives are extremely obscure. My preference would be to invest in updating existing facilities		
850	05/12/17 9:30AM ID: 68945937	There is an absence of facts and figures on which anyone could form an opinion		
851	05/12/17 9:45AM ID: 68947831	I consider the money should be spent on the up keep of the two existing hospitals. I do not accept this is not a viable option		
852	05/12/17 9:54AM ID: 68948277	Travel to a new hospital (not very good public transport)		
853	05/12/17 9:57AM ID: 68948266	In my opinion reducing the number of beds by half is unacceptable, it is also disgraceful and disrespectful to the many volunteers who have worked tirelessly to raise money over the years to help keep these hospitals open, especially one person in particular the late Mr Melville Watts. Invest the money set aside for the new hospital into the present hospital and carry out the necessary works/renovations required.		
854	05/12/17 9:59AM ID: 68949196	Invest 11 million into existing hospitals		
855	05/12/17 10:20AM ID: 68949437	There isn't enough information available on how the preferred option was decided. no proper financial justification including all support / developments necessary, only interested parties opinion (GPs, Gloucester Care Services, Clinical Commissioning) are presented. Other Health Organisations should have been consulted earlier. How was the criteria scored or weighted to make decision - was affordability given too high a weighting?		

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856	05/12/17 10:34AM ID: 68952036	1st I do not believe in a new hospital with less beds (ridiculous) is necessary with 2 perfectly very good hospitals already here within easy reach for every Forester. With less beds, where are the people discharged from Gloucester and Cheltenham hospitals go, are they expected to go with (great expense) to care homes? Spend the money on improving the hospitals we already have here. Is it true, that they are not allowed to sell the Dilke Hospital? From a very concerned Forester , born and bred		
857	05/12/17 10:40AM ID: 68952890	A new hospital would be good for better local services but it must maintain the current number of beds or more. Houses being built so more people		
858	05/12/17 10:57AM ID: 68954456	Because the new option does not offer enough beds		
859	05/12/17 10:57AM ID: 68954046	A. No Indication of site of new hospital. Easier to go to Gloucester from Mitcheldean than Lydney B. Reduction of beds available - need more not less C. No A&E at new hospital D. Reduced Services offered by new hospital - No maternity ward		
860	05/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68955953	Improve and modernise the Dilke		
861	05/12/17 11:17AM ID: 68956171	We need a new hospital for treatments e.g endoscopy but still need the other two hospitals as twenty four beds in a rapidly increasing population are not enough		
862	05/12/17 11:28AM ID: 68956983	Proposed 26 beds is insufficient. People from outside of the area may still be sent to the new hospital. £11 million spent sounds insufficient for a wide ranging capacity / needs hospital		
863	05/12/17 11:38AM ID: 68958417	How can I decide on this as there is no information as yet on what a new hospital will provide		
864	05/12/17 11:44AM ID: 68959026	Need to know more information of what the hospital would have to offer		
865	05/12/17 11:51AM ID: 68959300	do not agree with a reduction in beds, we should be looking to increase to at least 60 beds, the population is growing, planning is already granted for at least another 1400 homes (circa 3000 residents)		
866	05/12/17 12:04PM ID: 68960131	Because of the intention to decrease the number of beds in the Forest of Dean		
867	05/12/17 12:22PM ID: 68962397	I was the last person to access the fracture clinic at Dilke - nobody knew this was happening. Also my 2 children were one of the last to be born at the Dilke 32 years ago. Every decision is done by STEALTH Will hospitals be shut before a new one is built that is my fear		
868	05/12/17 12:34PM ID: 68963759	because the hospital to be built is too small for area. (no change only improvement)		
869	05/12/17 1:35PM ID: 68969853	you are taking away our heritage, our parents collected for these hospitals back before I was born in 1939		
870	05/12/17 1:37PM ID: 68970023	due to the lack of public transport two hospitals are needed one each side of the forest		
871	05/12/17 1:39PM ID: 68970294	Its such a large area and the public transport is so poor that a large portion of the public wouldn't be able to access a hospital one side or the other of the forest		
872	05/12/17 1:50PM ID: 68968022	There is no central point to build another hospital in the Forest of Dean, transport within the forest is difficult enough now to have to get to a community hospital from Cinderford, Mitcheldean, Littledean to say Coleford/Lydney would be near impossible for the majority of the communities of the communities within the FoD and vice a versa. having had to use the Dilke hospital A&E department myself, this hospital has been a vital and critical place for my family, I was taken back to the Dilke after my son was born. my youngest son was extremely Asthmatic as a child and on many		

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		occasions we had to go to the Dilke to get immediate life saving treatment for him. Recently my little Grandson was taken there with burns to his hand and there quick response saved his hand from operations		
873	05/12/17 1:55PM ID: 68971804	Both hospitals has given excellent treatment to everyone in my family for all my life, so spend money on them NOW		
874	05/12/17 1:57PM ID: 68972041	I think Lydney and Dilke should be kept and expanded. There is plenty of room at both sites. We need more not less beds and a maternity part		
875	05/12/17 2:01PM ID: 68972234	proposal represents insufficient level of service and resources for the FOD community		
876	05/12/17 3:47PM ID: 68982221	Leave the hospitals as they are,lots of money has been donated to our hospital ,a lot in memory of the deceased.you wont gain any respect from the local population.Tell the big wigs leave well alone.		
877	05/12/17 3:58PM ID: 68982400	There needs to be enough beds & facilities for local residents in different areas down sizing is not an option in our rural area		
878	05/12/17 7:09PM ID: 68997548	How are people going to travel to new hospital		
879	05/12/17 9:48PM ID: 69005646	Less beds in new hospital. Why not keep one old hospital for bed with the new hospital		
880	05/12/17 10:14PM ID: 69006485	It's in the local community's best interest, to invest and grow what we already have.. rather than knocking it down .. wasting valuable funds, building a new hospital with fewer beds does not make sense. We desperately need a maternity unit too .		
881	05/12/17 10:26PM ID: 69007484	Keep both and spend the money on improving them.		
882	05/12/17 10:28PM ID: 69007530	Less beds , no maternity unit , glos royal a long way to travel too		
883	05/12/17 11:09PM ID: 69005756	I am unable to support this as both hospitals play a very important role in the community, the staff are excellent as is the care. Moving in to one building would make local care harder to access and take away part of our heritage that we support well and use well. At the moment both buildings can be expanded if necessary and both are on good bus routes which is essential for access, promoting independence and makes it easier for people visiting.		
884	06/12/17 8:24AM ID: 69023240	Because the Forest is a unique part of the county and doesn't need turning into another North Cotswold Hospital, Vale Hospital etc...and I have worked in these hospitals which I think are under utilized and don't offer a full breadth of services to warrant such a spend and bastardization of the unique Forest landscape		
885	06/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69033344	There seems to be a deliberate policy of not supplying sufficient information so that an informed and proper decision can be made about the NHS needs in the Forest of Dean.		
886	06/12/17 10:33AM ID: 69036938	As I am not a FOD person, I have no idea how much this change will effect the public.		
887	06/12/17 10:51AM ID: 69038546	there would be less beds , so why not put the money into the maintenance of exiting hospitals		
888	06/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69037308	Because the number of community inpatient beds will be reduced. The population is increasing, while bed numbers are decreasing, therefore demand for hospital care will rise which will have a knock on effect with other services within the community. The community hospitals will be under more pressure especially in the winter months if there is an outbreak of infections or/flu viruses.		
889	06/12/17 12:20PM ID: 69043447	Your preferred option does not provide for the rapidly expanding population of the Forest especially in the Lydney area where the reduction of the cost of using the		

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		<p>River Severn Crossing will encourage more people who work in Bristol to move to this area, to take advantage of the cheaper housing.</p> <p>The best option would be to build a new hospital but to modernize and maintain the Lydney and Dilke sites to provide all health and social care services necessary for people in the Forest. This is especially important to achieve your second objective. This will require a certain amount of flexibility in the way in which you assess the cost of a new hospital . The people of the Forest of Dean do not want an all-singing, all-dancing posh building that half of them cannot access.</p> <p>I would advise you to delay the decision about this development until after the next General Election when we will probably have a Labour Government will will set about rebuilding and providing a proper health service.</p>		
890	06/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69050850	We don't want you to remove these facilities, local people use them, people who don't have the finances or ability to travel to your proposed new build. Keep these hospitals working please, thank you!		
891	06/12/17 12:52PM ID: 69052555	Centralising downsized available help, if unavailable then nearest other options are Gloucester, Chepstow, cheltenham or Bristol which are all a great distance away, how are non drivers to get to these, especially those who have mobility issues, or with children in hospital, increased travel costs for these if you run out of beds in new hospital with less beds		
892	06/12/17 4:03PM ID: 69072486	<p>Would prefer two new hospitals and more beds as population of Forest is growing quickly.</p> <p>We definitely NEED more than 24 beds!</p>		
893	06/12/17 4:36PM ID: 69075776	The possibility of Lydney and the Dilk being closed to raise the money and then the new hospital not being buit leaving the Forest with no hospital		
894	06/12/17 5:10PM ID: 69077987	<p>The new hospital cuts back on beds a daft decision when more and more houses are being built in the Forest and their is already pressure on beds. People are living longer so there is a bigger demand for beds , building one hospital in an are where their is almost none existent public transport , the elderly may have no access to cars and or alternative transport.</p> <p>The community have poured millions in to Lydney Hospital (no info on the Dilke) and that support and investment is being thrown back in our faces to satisfy some master plan.</p> <p>The decision of course has been made and our views are not worth a jot .</p>		
895	06/12/17 10:47PM ID: 69094443	Reducing from two hospitals to one is not a gain, however you spin it. This is a growing area whose population will become larger in the coming years. It needs increased hospital capacity.		
896	06/12/17 10:55PM ID: 69094304	<p>The Forest needs to retain easy to access medical provision. At present the two hospitals do just this. Choosing one site which could service the entire area would suit no-one and I fear would mean the cutting of beds and a scaled-down service at a time when so much extra housing is being built. Our ageing and longer living population means that community services will need to be expanded.</p> <p>Using the identified budget to update both hospitals would ensure a continued coherent service to the community.</p>		
897	07/12/17 9:11AM ID: 69107630	I cannot support this option as it means a cut in available beds in the "new" hospital. This will not prevent patients having to travel to Gloucester and elsewhere (as you claim)> It would be better to retain the Dilke and Lydney hospitals and build a new one. Don't try and scare people with a lack of finance for this idea		
898	07/12/17 9:33AM ID: 69108844	<p>not enough information in booklet, staff at your events can not answer the questions asked (choose of site). The Forest is difficult to access during bad weather, (staffing) living accommodation for staff. Nurses usually have families and would they really be "interested in a community "facility" here?</p> <p>If they have no family there is a acute shortage of "affordable homes" and on an NHS salary this is the only way that a nurse could afford to live here. We have been informed by your representatives at events that (when?) the new hospital is opened the two present hospitals namely The Dilke and Lydney will immediately close, when</p>		

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		<p>questioned on how they planned to do this without having to operate all 3 for a change over period, as you cant shut 2 overnight and open one the following morning, fully staffed, do you intend brand new equipment, fully installed, patients transferred from both hospitals, into half the number of beds, no reasonable answer was given!</p> <p>On the subject of beds, 50 is a more realistic figure, the area is expanding with housing quite dramatically and your projected figures are way out (single rooms) a few yes, but will this mean that patients are confined to their beds if not how do you intend to monitor their safety i.e falls if by CCTV you are invading their privacy when they have visitors, and a curtain pulled round the beside area is infinitely preferable, plus in a ward the patients keep an eye on each other, the company of other people aids recovery, solitary confinement is detrimental, the reason for individual rooms has been given as infection control, if you have 25 rooms occupied for this reason, then sorry but you have an epidemic! which will close the hospital, then where does this leave the rest of the population of the forest.</p> <p>Having been told that the "NO votes" are being disregarded, perhaps disregarding this whole consultation should be considered, and come back when you done the appropriate ground work</p>		
899	07/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69110025	At the meeting at the Belle Vue centre on December 2nd, the NHS reps said they had the money to build the hospital in the Forest of Dean, so no need to sell off the Dilke to fund the project		
900	07/12/17 9:39AM ID: 69110358	Only support if the new hospital were to be built in Lydney. Other sites mentioned totally out of the question		
901	07/12/17 9:41AM ID: 69110478	Need to increase bed numbers Poor public transport Need to improve facilities for convalescence		
902	07/12/17 9:47AM ID: 69110639	The money spent on the two existing hospitals would be more beneficial than building a new hospital I worked at Lydney hospital for 13 years and it was almost refurbished the time I was there. So what advantage would a new hospital have?		
903	07/12/17 9:50AM ID: 69111163	Decreasing bed numbers Unaware of new location (main road preferred) Access to some areas of the forest are impossible from here		
904	07/12/17 9:58AM ID: 69111845	Decrease in bed numbers and unaware of new location, it could be further afield, main road preferred for easier access		
905	07/12/17 10:01AM ID: 69112083	We will get less beds worse service invest in what we have		
906	07/12/17 10:05AM ID: 69112382	Big reduction in bed spaces, increase in housing (Lydney, Cindeford) use proposed funding to update existing sites!! (where population density is)		
907	07/12/17 10:09AM ID: 69112884	not enough beds, older people needing more care, we have no beds in Chepstow hospital, we live in Sebbury which is the south of Gloucestershire so our 2 hospitals ARE NEEDED		
908	07/12/17 10:17AM ID: 69113638	I feel that the preferred option will not meet the demands of the forest residents unless a new community hospital can provide the full 47 beds, currently in use		
909	07/12/17 10:23AM ID: 69113188	no information provided as to location (relevant to patients without own transport). No info as to exactly what services will be provided Money better spent on upgrades to existing facilities with more outpatient clinics to stop travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham Reduction of hospital beds		
910	07/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69114606	Unless I know where and what exactly is involved I cannot agree		
911	07/12/17 10:48AM ID: 69115546	I am not convinced that enough financial information has been given to support the new build compared with extending and modernising Dilke and Lydney hospitals. Is the new build dependant on the sale of existing hospitals		

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912	07/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69117003	The Dilke and Lydney BOTH belong to us. They are not for SALE or DEMOLISHMENT		
913	07/12/17 11:00AM ID: 69117446	Strongly against reduction in beds in the FOD and against combining the Dilke and Lydney hospitals in one location.		
914	07/12/17 11:04AM ID: 69117789	KEEP DILKE WE NEED IT		
915	07/12/17 11:16AM ID: 69118059	If the two hospitals are currently doing what they are intended for, why would you wish to close them and build another one		
916	07/12/17 11:30AM ID: 69120809	Simply because the number of beds provided under the new scheme is not enough. We need more beds not less		
917	07/12/17 11:35AM ID: 69121102	Not enough beds, No public transport, Too far away needs convalescent facilities Needs fracture unit		
918	07/12/17 11:39AM ID: 69121561	Some of us not have any family Some do not have own transport Money should be used to improve both Lydney and Dilke Hospitals		
919	07/12/17 11:43AM ID: 69122027	A single hospital would make already difficult transportation even more difficult. Fewer beds in one hospital, vague promises of what services might be available cannot be better		
920	07/12/17 11:48AM ID: 69122395	I can easily reach both Lydney and Dilke hospitals Via public transport (or walking to the Dilke) You have not given enough information to vote on. you claim (ref section 10) that there is an available site - Tell us!!!		
921	07/12/17 11:54AM ID: 69122850	Lack of beds, 11 million won't be enough - invest the money in both hospitals		
922	07/12/17 12:01PM ID: 69123420	We do not know the location of the new hospital, so it is difficult to make an informed decision. I am concerned about the reduced provision in number of beds, also about the future use of the existing hospitals, if the original covenant is not adhered to		
923	07/12/17 12:08PM ID: 69124239	Redeveloping eg. add another level to existing superb community hospitals already in the forest		
924	07/12/17 12:16PM ID: 69125014	It does not make sense that you want to replace 2 much loved and excellent hospitals for a smaller one with half the number of beds. We have a growing and ageing population so we need more beds. Over the last 30 years, the number of hospital beds in the forest have already more than halved. These are our local hospitals and it is essential that we keep them.		
925	07/12/17 12:24PM ID: 69125839	you are proposing to reduce the beds, it is too far to travel, required regular public transport service. The existing hospitals MUST be retained for convalescent		
926	07/12/17 12:26PM ID: 69126579	Concerned about loss of bed space, believe option 2 in my view is still the better option		
927	07/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69126706	Concerned about loss of bed space, believe option 2 in my view is still the better option		
928	07/12/17 12:42PM ID: 69127614	This is putting the cart before the horse - should be saying where a single hospital would be before expecting answers to other questions		
929	07/12/17 12:44PM ID: 69127890	Improvement / updating of existing hospitals		
930	07/12/17 12:48PM ID: 69128003	Decrease in bed numbers and location of new hospital. Access to Coleford / Cinderford from here is impossible for non drivers		
931	07/12/17 12:49PM ID: 69128251	I would support the preferred option only if we decided to build in Lydney. Other sites discussed would be totally inaccessible from Sedbury		

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932	07/12/17 12:51PM ID: 69127907	The FOD is so geographically diverse and transport links are so poor that one location may mean that access is difficult for those at the edges of the district. You can't just jump in the car and speed along a dual carriageway to get to Cinderford from Sedbury, it's an hour's drive along meandering lanes. Lydney is much easier to access from the south of the FOD. In an emergency we in the south can be really stuck.		
933	07/12/17 12:53PM ID: 69128414	They need to be improved and extended - they serve each community very well		
934	07/12/17 12:58PM ID: 69128902	The Dilke could be extended and updated. Its location is very suitable and central		
935	07/12/17 1:02PM ID: 69129231	Decrease in bed options plus location		
936	07/12/17 1:04PM ID: 69127099	Yes I agree in principle for a single Forest hospital but it would depend where the hospital was located and how many beds there was going to be and if these or a portion of beds would be reserved just for Forest of Dean residents.		
937	07/12/17 1:08PM ID: 69129346	Living in Bream it would be difficult to get to any where else than Lydney I do not drive. A reduction in beds would not be an option, getting a bed at Lydney or Dilke hospitals for a relative to be closer to home is difficult now		
938	07/12/17 1:10PM ID: 69129859	Can walk to Dilke. Your "available site" is not published		
939	07/12/17 1:14PM ID: 69130047	Closing 2 working hospitals and replacing with single unit with fewer beds makes no sense		
940	07/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69130862	Need more information		
941	07/12/17 1:23PM ID: 69131005	depending on where a new hospital would be built, if not Lydney, for example then it would probably be just as quick to go direct to Gloucester Royal Hospital		
942	07/12/17 1:25PM ID: 69131209	because of decrease in bed numbers and unaware of new location. Access to some areas of the forest are impossible from here		
943	07/12/17 1:29PM ID: 69131397	New hospital needs to have at least same amount of beds as Dilke and Lydney put together. No cuts in beds. Lydney and surrounding area growing fast		
944	07/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69131709	The 2 local good hospitals are in ideal locations for the area - both have surrounding nearby land that could be used to accommodate any modernisations to meet criteria (especially bed numbers) and could use local builders. Lydney has a enlarging population, needs definite larger hospital status especially when the severn bridge charges go Lydney on A48 is more flexible and direct access to Southmead and Gloucester		
945	07/12/17 2:30PM ID: 69137759	Because it means reduction in the number of beds available when all indications are that the requirement will rise		
946	07/12/17 3:27PM ID: 69141231	Transport in the Forest is very poor. The elderly will find great difficulty in getting to a hospital out of their locality. This will also incur further costs to travellers. Out of normal hours travel is virtually impossible. Thanks to local people Lydney hospital has been extended and well supported financially by the local population purely because they want a local hospital. Similarly the Dilke hospital has been well supported by the local population of Cinderford and surrounding areas.		
947	07/12/17 4:37PM ID: 69130392	Both the Dilke Hospital in Cinderford and the Lydney Hospital have the uniqueness of being able to instill a confidence in the patient's through the staff at all levels being friendly and exceedingly knowledgeable. The fear factor of visits as an outpatient or a stay in these hospitals is radically diminished, unlike other large hospitals i.e. Gloucester and Cheltenham, where I, personally, have encountered poor treatment and hygiene is not on the top of the		

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		agenda, borne out by PALS bombarded with complaints. Lydney and the Dilke are not so institutionalised and the pride in these areas are paramount within their high principles and deserved affection shown by the locals, and from farther afield when they attend either of these hospitals. The fetes and donations express the loyalty of the locals for their respective hospitals and with the expansion, of Lydney in particular it is more important than ever to retain and invest in the existing hospitals. The fabric of both is versatile and can be readily adapted to incorporate any updates required to satisfy any modern procedures.		
948	07/12/17 5:55PM ID: 69154726	I think it depends very much on ease of accessibility to everyone in the forest. I know there are emotional attachments to the original sites but this in itself is not a good enough reason to maintain both if a single site is more practicable overall,		
949	07/12/17 6:26PM ID: 69157417	The dilke & Lydney hospitals are part of the local heritage. Replacing them will undoubtedly mean redevelopment of the sites which is unacceptable		
950	07/12/17 7:50PM ID: 69162188	need to build a hospital within one mile of Lydney and use the two existing hospitals for "halfway house" patients and minor treatments. The new hospital should have a minimum of 100 beds available.		
951	07/12/17 8:58PM ID: 69165685	Reducing the number of beds available in an already overstretched nhs is unacceptable especially when the CCG's are paying for alternatives in the private sector, such as pushing patients into nursing homes who do not have the skills to deal with the levels of complexity in the health requirements of many patients.		
952	07/12/17 9:54PM ID: 69168492	Not enough beds and too much money.. the hospitals we have can be updated for less money		
953	07/12/17 11:05PM ID: 69171540	The community itself raises a lot of money for these hospitals. We don't have enough beds as it is so how is having a smaller one better. What happens in adverse weather when hospital is yet again further afield.		
954	07/12/17 11:23PM ID: 69171221	This should have been a county wide consultation. Removing 20+ Inpatient beds will have impact on other county sites such as GRH. Gloucestershire Care Services has had document difficulties in recruiting community nurses, how can you provide a safe alternative service in a community setting given these difficulties. Again FOD residents will end up in GRH, CGH or one of the other community hospitals. On the same subject, primary care has been starved of resources, how realistic is it to expect GP's to be able or willing to pick up this extra set of responsibilities? It is false to pretend that a shiny new building will enhance recruitment, changes to rota's had the biggest impact on GCS staffing levels not the buildings the staff worked in. The sites should be refurbished and the current level of beds retained or increased to reflect the anticipated rise in population size across Gloucestershire including in the FOD.		
955	07/12/17 11:36PM ID: 69171396	It is essential to have local access to out patients and to visit hospital patients. We need more beds locally. Elderly and mental health in-patients need to see friends and family. At the moment some are currently in hospitals which are inaccessible to their friends.		
956	08/12/17 12:12AM ID: 69173390	Build a new hospital (s) first and then you could close an old one. If the present one is in the wrong place or not fit for purpose BUILD a new one !!! WE are not stupid. WE know what your game is !! The government has cut the NHS funding despite the lies they tell to the contrary and you are just playing their game. THE GOVERNMENT AND THE MULTI NATIONALS WANT A FULLY PRIVATISED NHS !!! WE DONT. THE NHS BELONGS TO US. REMEMBER THAT !		

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957	08/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69182051	it does not make sense to close 2 hospitals to have less beds. we are happy to keep the 2 hospitals. the people of the forest have collected a lot of money through the years for the hospitals.. my advice lass chiefs and more indians i say keep the 2 hospitals.cut down on people walking round doing nothing with there clip boards more money to put back in the hospitals we are very proud of our hospitals. KEEP OUR HOSPITALS....		
958	08/12/17 10:25AM ID: 69192586	The Forest is badly connected, especially for those without transport. Increased centralisation of services will not work without massive increases in public transport (which are unlikely). We need a root & branch review into the provision of these services - see Forest of dean Green Party submission. We need to move away from simply commissioning services into Community Resilience supported by professionals.		
959	08/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69195359	We should be seeking to expand bed provision not reduce it. The health and care services are under extreme pressure due to the Tories ideological imposition of austerity.		
960	08/12/17 10:59AM ID: 69196142	Think the forest can maintain the current two hospitals but they need new sites and MORE beds NOT less Elderly pop with high rates of lung conditions that are prone to worsening in winter months..as part of coal mining history Current hospitals are local..shouldnt re.site to cinderford which is harder to get to especially if it snows ...lydney less prone to snow because of its location.		
961	08/12/17 12:56PM ID: 69197790	I am unable to support this option because :- A new location has not been identified, although one of the existing sites might be chosen. I support a possible development of the Dilk site - its almost located in the center of the Forest with reasonably good road access except for the area northwards towards Newent. This would entail the sacrifice of a few hundred trees, perhaps considered more important than the development of extended hospital facility. No cost estimates have been published for new and development of both the Dilk and Lydney sites.So, how can an informed decision be made ?.		
962	08/12/17 12:59PM ID: 69207977	I am only willing to support this option once the new community hospital has been built. I can see the old hospitals being closed and then nothing		
963	08/12/17 1:11PM ID: 69208750	In a rural area two hospitals are better than one. Half the amount of beds is certainly not enough, especially with all the new housing developments		
964	08/12/17 1:15PM ID: 69208951	There is insufficient information as to a new proposed single hospital. Location? Loss of beds. FOD topography warrants 2 hospitals		
965	08/12/17 1:21PM ID: 69209405	Decrease in bed numbers, plus location which is unknown. As from this area, Coleford and Cinderford are a no no. Keep Lydney and The Dilke open, spend money on them		
966	08/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69210038	We should look at refurbishing the present hospitals and updating equipment. There is a danger that a new hospital will not provide as many beds and location is a big issue		
967	08/12/17 1:35PM ID: 69210307	Could the old building at the Dilke be knocked down and that area be redeveloped to accommodate the facilities required?		
968	08/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69209867	Until we know where a new hospital would be built I cannot say I support this option. If a hospital is built at Cinderford or Coleford it would make it very difficult to get to from my home in Tutshill.		
969	08/12/17 1:52PM ID: 69210842	It depends whether the provision of a single new hospital will support the needs of the community now and into the future. We do not want a reduction In the provision of local services. Travelling to other hospitals in the county is not very easy for everyone and other factors need to be considered such as accessibility to a new hospital, including the public transport infrastructure to support changing travel needs.		
970	08/12/17 1:59PM ID: 69211912	In your proposal there is no maternity unit, are half the existing number of beds, no guaranteed minor injuries unit		

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		Spend the £11 million ear marked for new project to support modernisation of existing facilities		
971	08/12/17 2:02PM ID: 69212373	This "option" does not meet the needs of the area. you have not given an adequate or acceptable option		
972	08/12/17 2:10PM ID: 69212817	The forest of Dean is too large an area for one only hospital to be easily accessible form all parts of the forest. People from Woolaston / Sedbury area unable to get to Drybrook / Ruardean area for example and vice versa		
973	08/12/17 2:12PM ID: 69212635	I am unable to support this option because the medical/surgical needs of the Forest population will increase and this option offers less provision. In particular, there needs to be more availability of beds for care of the elderly (control of longstanding medical problems, rehabilitation, respite etc.). I know from experience with my mother how important being close to home is to a sick, elderly person. The design of such a facility also needs to allow easy access to the outside world, fresh air, views etc. Country people are badly affected by enclosed, sterile spaces. To this end, I would suggest that all such care is concentrated at The Dilke and that everything else is based in Lydney thus avoiding problems with staff working across 2 sites.		
974	08/12/17 2:14PM ID: 69211342	We have tow local existing hospitals in the Dilke and Lydney that are cherished with a passion by the people of the Forest of Dean, who have raised large sums of money to help establish and then maintain them throughout their existence. This valuable work continues to this day and cannot be ignored. I support the continued development of the existing hospitals, which would no doubt be able to be upgraded to provide the same facilities as the proposed new hospital for significantly less than the cost of providing it. This to include a maternity unit. NHS Gloucestershire and other stakeholders need to recognise that with a government led growing local population (new housing developments underway at a number of local sites, including Lydney) will put greater demands on local healthcare, necessitating an expansion of facilities, not a reduction.		
975	08/12/17 2:34PM ID: 69214178	Too few beds in new hospital. Not convinced this hospital will give us much more than we already have with Dilke and Lydney		
976	08/12/17 3:42PM ID: 69219931	Our 2 hospitals have served the Forest people extremely well with wonderful staff working at them. These people give the service we need not the buildings that they are working in. Why not spend the money on bringing them into the 21st century. The Dilke, in particular, is in a beautiful location with it's woodland surroundings and has spare land adjacent to it. Where better would you like to recuperate or even spend your last days certainly not in a built up area of a town.		
977	08/12/17 4:10PM ID: 69222652	Not enough beds Two hospitals running at full capacity. There is room for expansion on both current hospital sites Not enough information given about new hospital or what will happen to Dilke and Lydney		
978	08/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69223870	Less beds. Less convenient for some. Consider increasing bed numbers to equal or exceed current position across the forest.		
979	08/12/17 7:20PM ID: 69233320	The most important thing about a new hospital or keeping two hospital sites is the number of hospital beds available. There is no way that the number should be dropped to 24 beds when the population is rising. We need at least the present 47beds if not more. It is very important for people to be cared for near their homes when discharged from Gloucester or Cheltenham hospitals.		
980	08/12/17 7:30PM ID: 69232958	The reasons put forward for a replacement hospital are not sufficient to convince me of its merit. The two existing hospitals serve their communities well and are accessible. It is interesting that no location has been put forward for the proposed single establishment which would serve the area and be accessible		

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		Funds have been used already to refurbish the Dilke and it would seem a better and more efficient use of the proposed monies to invest in the existing TWO hospitals. The idea that fewer beds would be acceptable is erroneous as more hospital beds are required according to the Royal College of Surgeons. Investment in the present establishments would meet the criteria set out in Section eight of the Consultation document.		
981	08/12/17 7:53PM ID: 69232968	<p>I am pleased you have stimulated a debate about health and future needs in the Forest of Dean however I don't feel that the information given enables an informed opinion.</p> <p>Whilst I can agree that both Lydney and the Dilke have been trusted servants of health care over many years and have come to a crossroads into the future. The announcement of £11 million for a completely new modern hospital has to be viewed with concern if it involves the loss of any bed capacity.</p> <p>With the proposals for social care and hospital care still being part of a purgatory it is not at all clear how life and an increasing -based on all estimates of population growth- but yet to foresee impact of abolition of the Severn Tolls- or the imposed increases in house building which take no attention of need but champion the market place despite evidence that separate communities are not what makes well being thrive .</p> <p>Each of the recent consultations emphasizes the need for communities to embrace and engage health and well being with services being delivered increasingly in the home or community settings- this would argue against a large dominant structure against the network of a caring rural environment- but the advances in treatment now available must not be denied the Forest population of any age, whether it be birth, illness, dementia or hospice.</p> <p>Your document as in previous STP exercises does not offer a clarity in how it makes claims nor offer like against like yet asks direct questions you require to be answered- ie no costs on running Lydney/Dilke v cost of new hospital....</p> <p>I am influenced by unanimity of health professionals in the need to move forward with a new facility but cannot trust the promises made about future investment in the NHS. The Dilke especially with its setting is a Forest 'home' for anyone in need of rest and healing .</p> <p>Myself and my family are strident defenders of the NHS and see its role as the health of the nation - how can you respond and give credence that this consultation will listen and include the views you have asked for in your decision making.</p> <p>It is no surprise but the silence of our Forest MP does not give confidence that the debate will be properly reported and local opinion valued..</p> <p>None of us know the care and services we will require during our lifetimes- the fear and extreme lives that the past generations endured made the investment in the district that became the Dilke and Lydney hospitals so it is not a nostalgic gesture to want to retain their influence in the well being of the Forest- the environment we share is so much of life here, and must not be diluted by services that enable that balance of life and nature to be lost.</p> <p>I am a Londoner now living in the Forest for 30 years, I choose not to live in a city with the scale and pace of urban challenge. The Forest is often a poor neighbour of services, its geography provides its own challenge of access and connection- but it sustains a quality of life hard to question- this, the wanting to live here because you belong is a sense of well being and welcome that measures the features that we may take for granted....</p> <p>Value people as individuals- it's more possible in small isolated communities- Gloucester and Cheltenham and Stroud are as distant culturally as they ever were when Forest people had no cars or railway links- think people always people not the temptation of grandeur in place of quality.</p>		
982	08/12/17 7:59PM ID: 69235388	Unhappy with the reduction of beds for the area - the argument that people from outside the Forest are using the beds does not stack up, as the reverse is also happening and Forest patients are going to other community hospitals		
983	08/12/17 8:35PM ID: 69234916	Because the population of the forest is steadily rising, as is the percentage of elderly and a new hospital with only half the current number of beds is inadequate. Plus the extra travelling involved, if a new hospital were at Lydney or Coleford people from Cinderford are unlikely to use it for minor injuries as timewise not much different to		

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		going to Gloucester, which would put more pressure on Gloucester. Poor local transport services anyway. Would new parking be free? I cannot believe the staffing issues, am sure there are many highly skilled local nurses who would prefer to work at Dilke or Lydney rather than face the traffic into Gloucester and high cost of parking: the 2 hospitals have been kept deliberately short of staff funding. The radiologist shortage is national. New hospital is more an exercise in cutting costs overall, staff as well as beds. Have used Dilke a number of times over the past 5 years and have been impressed with building improvements there, staff have all been very caring despite obviously short-staffed.		
984	08/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69241016	I do not support the closure of the Dilke and Lydney Hospitals. I would prefer the site at the Dilke to be expanded and modernised. You cannot close the Dilke as it is in a central location in the Forest, and it was funded by the Forest miners - it has a unique part in Forest history and community. If you threaten to close it, we'll stop you.		
985	09/12/17 3:36AM ID: 69245233	The towns populations are continually growing with major housing development being undertaken. The proposed reduction on the size of beds for a community hospital seems ridiculous, taking into consideration the rapid growth of population in the future and current over crowding issues' within the hospitals and at Gloucester Royal Hospital, our nearest general hospital.		
986	09/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69250508	Because we need all 3, the Forest population isn't getting smaller, people are not less ill and we are going to need more and more facilities for the older population as families don't look after each other.		
987	09/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69250641	Too few beds. Not enough concrete information on location. Lydney is a fast expanding town and needs it's own hospital.		
988	09/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69251815	Once the public / NHS land is sold, it is gone forever - with the beds. Invest in what we have, and stop privatisation.		
989	09/12/17 9:51AM ID: 69252094	Loss of beds. Loss of convenience. Transport problems. Invest in the current hospitals.		
990	09/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69258731	I'm unable to support this option because I find the dilke hospital and Lyndsey hospital are both excellent and two outstanding hospitals and I feel that we don't need a new hospital and I would miss the dilke hospitals annual fete that I they put on every year with lots of people supporting this event. I propose a different option and I propose that we keep both hospitals but build another doctors surgery or clinic.		
991	09/12/17 3:13PM ID: 69259351	<p>It is impossible (and perhaps foolish) to support an option about which so very little information is given.</p> <p>It is evident from all the materials provided and from my conversations with HCPs at consultation events (and informally), that the local Commissioners do have alternative sites well in mind. This leads to a sense, which pervades the whole consultation effort, that a) decisions have already been made, regardless, and b) there is a certain and unacceptable level of disingenuousness about this whole consultation process.</p> <p>The FODD is home to a population which includes a higher proportion of those whose educational attainment is significantly lower than county and national achievement levels. Reading a comparatively lengthy and complex booklet is simply beyond the capability and/or interest and/or sense of personal agency of too many Forest residents. This relatively large disadvantaged cohort represents a major proportion of those whose healthcare needs are greatest and who will be worst affected and possibly even further disadvantaged by the wrong decision. I am very concerned about this de facto exclusion of a large number of people from the decision-making process. (Personally, I found the omission of a detailed map of the District and existing/possible provision locations to be inexcusable.)</p> <p>Having said that, I agree that healthcare provision in the District is in clear need of systems, equipment and facilities/estate modernisation, for better management and</p>		

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		<p>far better joined-up working between all health and social care providers. As someone who has become quite seriously disabled (i.e. awarded the highest levels of both components of PIP) after a lengthy career including senior/advisory roles with local and central government, it is evident to me that a large amount of local NHS resources are wasted through these shortcomings.</p> <p>Equally, the nature of the FODD, and one of its charms, is that there is little centralisation, little urbanisation. Towns and villages are scattered and the population is well used to travelling c. 3-5 miles to access specialised shops, services, facilities etc. QED, the Forest is highly resistant to urbanisation. This new centralised hospital could well present significant difficulties and barriers for many, not least in terms of travel and associated costs. And please don't even think about car park charging as a way of offsetting build costs - that would certainly guarantee an increase in patient no-show! (Coleford introduced a very reasonable 20p car park charge a couple of years ago. There was a significant number of people who refused to pay it and went elsewhere to shop. Anecdotally, shopkeepers attribute a fall in customers/revenue and the closure of a supermarket to this 'tiny' parking charge.) You might also find that the call on very local healthcare services would actually increase. There's a reason why both the Dilke and Lydney Hospitals have been so well supported by Foresters over many decades: they're in the right places for those who need them!</p> <p>On a personal note, I had appointments at both Lydney and the Dilke hospitals this week. Driving to Lydney is a real trial for me. It's put me out of action for the rest of the week. There are significant knock-on effects of what is for me now a long-haul trip, socially, financially and, above all, in terms of my health. Like many others in a similar situation, I would need to access e.g. Arriva transport - free of charge to me - if the new hospital were more than c. 5 miles away. Have these hidden costs been factored into the costings? Or the health-eroding stress of finding someone to take me? Or the more damaging stress of simply not being able to function well enough to cook meals for myself for the rest of the week etc etc.? Please consider also the cost of necessary upgrading of the emergency ambulance service and GP and ancillary services which would all need to be geared up to serve those who are unable or resistant to travelling far, and in order to interface with a new, centralised system.</p> <p>Thus, and especially because there is no information about the new hospital's location, features and plans, I lean towards another option which would focus on improving what already exists rather than building a new, centralised hospital. Centralisation rarely improves management acumen, staff functionality or joined-up working. It usually increases bureaucracy and depersonalisation, erodes or removes community and staff ownership, and permits a lower sense of responsibility amongst staff - all of which have material and other (though less prominent or obvious) costs further down the line. Most often such centralisation shifts these hidden costs onto the service user and thence to other services which are then required to fill the gaps. The service user's experience of the service overall is not necessarily improved.</p> <p>I find it peculiar that 'environmental sustainability' and not *improved patient outcomes* are 'at the core' of the design and the project. Is this political correctness to help secure funding? Surely, the whole project should hold improved outcomes for patients as the core, primary priority ? Otherwise, what's it all about really?!</p> <p>Neither was I impressed by the photos of the new hospitals elsewhere in the county. The Forest doesn't do 'grand' or 'pretentious' or 'imposing' or lurid colour schemes!</p>		
992	09/12/17 3:31PM ID: 69265161	<p>The Forest is a large, rural area. We live in Tidenham and to get to Lydney hospital is quick and easy for us, especially as Chepstow hospital no longer has a minor injuries department. With two children, aged 14 and 10 I have visited Lydney on numerous occasions since Chepstow closed - once when my younger daughter got paint in her eye and was screaming in pain, and once when I trapped her fingers in a door and thought i had broken them (thankfully I hadn't). In both cases, Lydney hospital staff dealt quickly and competently with the problem and in both cases driving to Gloucester or Newport (as we are close to the border) would have taken longer and caused more distress as well as adding to the burden on A&E. I've been to the</p>		

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		hospital myself when I trod on a rusty nail and taken a neighbour there when she sliced the top of her finger off. I've also been referred to the Dilke hospital for ultrasound, a journey that was much easier than going to Gloucester. These are genuinely community hospitals and are a lifeline for the people of the Forest of Dean. They also have hugely committed friends groups who raise money for them, easing the burden on the NHS. Please invest in these hospitals rather than pulling them down and centralising services.		
993	09/12/17 4:22PM ID: 69266661	The provision of excellent accessible care for inpatients and outpatients should be paramount in a rural area like the Forest of Dean with a lack of suitable and timely public transport will make reaching a central health care centre as difficult as getting to Gloucester the consideration of providing improved services within the existing two sites should be considered it seems to me that as usual the people of the Forest of Dean are getting a second rate service people who are cared for within their own environment with access to regular visits from family and friends are more likely to make a better recovery		
994	09/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69266970	Don't think it will be big enough or offer range of services the Forest needs. The "minimum" no of beds proposed seems a figure plucked from the air - it should be at least the same number as now, & probably more. The notion that the new hospital will be purely for Forest people is patent nonsense. It'll be impossible, & probably illegal, to restrict access to an NHS facility on grounds of residence. Patients will be moved to wherever there are vacant beds, as now.		
995	09/12/17 4:32PM ID: 69267291	You have not provided enough information about potential site options for me to make an informed choice.		
996	09/12/17 4:42PM ID: 69267652	You should invest in local services for local people and retain these two hospitals. I am certain that some efficiencies can be made in staff Rota's to improve efficiencies without the radical option of closing these resources.		
997	09/12/17 6:15PM ID: 69270637	As long as services are stil the same or better. I gave a disabled daughter and having community hospitals is a must, wehave used them on many an occasion and have been very happy with the care given		
998	09/12/17 6:38PM ID: 69270946	Loss of total number of beds available in the area. Difficulty of access from distant parts of the area (wherever the proposed hospital is built). Closure of hospitals that have had that have been supported financially and otherwise by local communities over many years for the use of local people.		
999	09/12/17 7:12PM ID: 69272353	The Forest of Dean needs two hospitals - it is a large area and there are not enough beds as it is. Reducing the hospitals to one with farer fewer beds would be a big mistake. People do not want to travel large distances to go to hospital or to visit relatives in hospital		
1000	09/12/17 7:38PM ID: 69272711	Lydney is growing fast and Gloucester hospital will not be able to handle the amount of people that are going to be moving here. the new hospital is going to have few beds than Lydney and Dilke put together, which just does not add up. My husband and I spend weeks in Lydney hospital last year and we could not wish for better treatment, where as in goucester the treatment we had was very poor. There is a lot to be said for these two hospitals being kept as there are. The N H S did not build them it was the miners money that done this, the N H S was not about then.plus there will never be a place that very one would agree to for a new hospital to be built. Also old people that is me as i am 71 years old if i have a minor injury i have only to get someone to pop me up to Lydney hospital, where i have never had to wait more that 20 minutes to be seen where as Gloucester Hospital that could be hours before you see a doctor and much harder to get to. So i am asking nicely HANDS OFF OUR LOCAL HOSPITALS		
1001	09/12/17 8:06PM ID: 69273525	I understand the logic of wanting Forest ing a new facility for all of the economic reasons but I am unsure if a brand new location would retain the continuity that health care should have. I am concerned that any new facility would cater for a perceived new relationship between clinicians and patients that would have ability to pay at its core. After all it is easier too charge people if they can see a shiny new building. I am aware that government thinking is along these lines and have been for a number of		

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		<p>years ... but in my view that will not meet the needs of local people, many of whom could and would pay, but many more would not.</p> <p>Continuity with the rich heritage of the NHS, especially in the forest would provide a link with the founding belief of the NHS which is treatment free at the point of use.</p> <p>Shiny new hospitals, like Southmead, have many merits, but I cannot help feel that they owe more to a hotel than a place of care and treatment.</p> <p>It is for these reasons that I am unsure of the need for a completely new solution.</p>		
1002	09/12/17 8:39PM ID: 69274042	With fewer beds available for the enormous need, not just in the Forest of Dean. A state of the art building with fewer beds will never make up for the sense of community and care already wonderfully provided by these two existing hospitals. It's staff that's needed not sophisticated technology and isolating individual rooms for patients.		
1003	09/12/17 8:44PM ID: 69274455	I believe more beds are needed for our growing population. There is not enough detail in the booklet to explain how having less beds than we currently have at Lydney and Dilke combined is going to be sufficient. It's easy to say less beds will be needed because people from Gloucester and other areas won't be using the beds but how is this going to actually work in practice?		
1004	09/12/17 9:25PM ID: 69275796	re-develop/re-provide two community hospitals		
1005	09/12/17 9:41PM ID: 69276030	I understand the Dilke and Lydney need to be sold to fund the 1 hospital option. I am against any other development of the Dilke site as it is within the Forest Boundary and should not be developed in any way other than its present use. I believe there is enough room to re organise the site if needed. It serves the East side of the Forest and would make an excellent beds for recovery site. Wherever 1 hospital is sited will only suit half the Foresters.		
1006	09/12/17 11:08PM ID: 69278337	Reducing the number of beds by half is not a viable option ,considering the number of new houses due to be built in the Forest.		
1007	09/12/17 11:26PM ID: 69276227	The whole presentation fails to prioritise the needs and desires of patients in the area. The whole system is for the benefit of patients and nobody else. General satisfaction of Lydney Hospital in its present state is very high and far higher than that with the major hospitals in Cheltenham and Gloucester. Efforts should be made to increase the range of services at Lydney along with patient demand and all consideration of closing this hospital should be abandoned.		
1008	09/12/17 11:54PM ID: 69279078	The consultation document and the public meeting that I attended did not give me enough information to make a considered decision. The document does not lay out the number of beds that a new hospital would have and the public meeting said it would be less than half of both hospitals have currently. I visited Lydney today and it was full, if the Dilke is the same where would these patients go.		
1009	10/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69288111	I am worried about loosing services and about accessibility of the hospital. Both hospitals should receive better funding		
1010	10/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69288956	We will end up with too few beds. The population of the Forest is increasing dramatically so it makes no sense at all. After paying NHI contributions all my working life it is very unfair for family members to have the responsibility of caring for loved ones when they are ill equipped to do so. Hospital beds should be available for this.		
1011	10/12/17 3:08PM ID: 69299170	I'm fine with the concept of a completely new hospital for the Forest, able to provide up-to-date medical services some of which aren't currently available here -- no problems there whatsoever. What I vehemently disagree with is that it has to involve the closing and, presumably, selling-off, of the two existing community hospitals we have, particularly in my case the Dilke, which provided sterling palliative end-of-life care for both my parents a few years ago. My mother in particular spent her last days in a room of her own at the Dilke, with a beautiful beech tree immediately outside her		

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		<p>window (prior to this she'd been in a communal ward: a bit noisy, granted, but she had women of her own age to talk to). I visited her every day -- I don't drive, but the Dilke is only about half an hour's walk through the woods from our Cinderford home -- and the last day of her life was spent bathed in glorious autumn sunlight coming into her room and with the beech in beautiful "fall colours". Would the new hospital be able to supply this kind of Dean beauty if it's in a grimy town setting? I would prefer the new hospital to be built with all the new improvements as detailed in the Consultation Booklet, BUT with the Dilke and Lydney kept as satellite hospitals, able to absorb and cater for the needs of any large-scale health emergency. That the new hospital might only have 24 beds -- half of the total the two existing hospitals offer -- strikes me as extremely risky. It's immaterial that, as the Booklet insists, only 21 of the current 47 available beds are in use on average. We are faced with a large increase in people coming to live here in future years, which will increase demand, particularly since many will be elderly retired people. There is predicted to be a sizeable upsurge in diabetes, obesity-caused illnesses, and drink/drugs problems in years to come, and we are going to be living with the threat of major terrorist atrocities for years to come as well. Similarly, with the likelihood of a new nuclear power station a few mile downriver from the Dean, how capable would we be of handling a sudden multiple-casualty emergency with so little ward provision in the envisaged new hospital? Some treatments cannot be dealt with through home visits and the like; we need enough in-ward facilities to cater for an area of fast approaching 100,000 inhabitants.</p>		
1012	10/12/17 4:50PM ID: 69302265	<p>The NHS Trust has just spent thousands of pounds updating BOTH Lydney and Dilke hospitals, then announce the closure of BOTH hospitals, after spending yet more precious money on building a new hospital what idiot or idiots came up with that gem !!. Most of the people managing the finances of the NHS Trusts have little or no idea of financial responsibility, I know I have had personal experience of their performances over and over again and seen their blatant wastes of money.</p>		
1013	10/12/17 6:21PM ID: 69307478	<p>Invest money in the exciting hospitals we already have the dilk has been apart of this community for years I have two small children who have both been treated at this hospital instead of traveling to Gloucester royal i and my husband have be treated and also a lot of our family both my man and gramp had end of life care here close to there home and felt safe and content.</p>		
1014	10/12/17 6:41PM ID: 69307490	<p>the Dilke Hospital should remain open as a minor injuries unit & also for palative care, Gloucestershire Hospital services are already over stretched without closing two More local Services, Cheltenham & Gloucester Both have A&E units, it's long overdue that the Forest of Dean should have a Suitable A&E & Hospital Service that is able to offer the Same Range of Surgery's and treatments as the C&G Hospitals patients having to travel from the Forest of Dean to Cheltenham and back daily is Appaling, also when Cheltenham & Gloucester A&E's close People with urgent medical needs are sent even further Afield Such as Cirencester & Bristol for Treatment.</p>		
1015	10/12/17 7:09PM ID: 69309218	<p>The bed provision is too low. Transport hasn't been considered. Forest of Dean is too broad for just one location. Cinderford, Coleford and Lydney will all compete for the preferred location of one facility. Railway station at Newnham for glos would help solve some issues. This proposal would see a decline in quality of care.</p>		
1016	10/12/17 7:35PM ID: 69310360	<p>Two hospitals needed to support Forest of Dean area</p>		
1017	10/12/17 8:00PM ID: 69311181	<p>Shouldn't be decreasing the number of beds at a time of an ageing population and the problems of 'bed blocking,' in the larger hospitals.</p>		
1018	10/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69314391	<p>Think we need 2 to cover the large area</p>		
1019	10/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69314382	<p>I am Jedi and visit the Forest regularly. The Dilke is close to Jedi Central And is sacred.</p>		
1020	10/12/17 10:00PM	<p>With a growing population in the forest area we will need more beds and easy access</p>		

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	ID: 69314609	to hospital for treatment-far better to spend the proposed sum on improving and updating the current hospitals, also maintaining a minor surgical capability to help cut waiting lists at the larger hospitals. With the poor public transport in the forest less well off families and pensioners will struggle to attend hospital when required. GRH waiting times for A&E and clinics are extremely long surely dealing with minor cases will help cut these.		
1021	10/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69316550	Reducing the number of beds when there is a growing population is poor planning. Existing sites are both in good condition with under used resources such as mothballed Operating theatres. The forest needs a mother and baby unit.		
1022	10/12/17 11:05PM ID: 69317517	The current hospitals serve the wide forest area very well.		
1023	10/12/17 11:29PM ID: 69318153	Because I believe this will mean less beds overall and because the Dilke is prime location for myself and my family, if location was to move to Lydney for example then I might as well travel to Gloucester. I have young child and baby to consider so would love for Dilke site to remain.		
1024	10/12/17 11:42PM ID: 69317743			
1025	11/12/17 1:22AM ID: 69319269	Land and buildings already exist in Dilke and Lydney Hospitals. There is plenty of room to expand the Dilke Hospital and the car park area. The population is increasing all the time and more facilities will be needed not less.		
1026	11/12/17 7:04AM ID: 69323472	My grandparents were freeminers in the forest and they made sacrifices to donate money to help build the Dilke hospital, furthermore, with the NHS being in such dire need of cash and charging exorbitant rates for prescriptions so much so people are risking going without medication because they cannot afford it, there seems to be no point or need to close hospital which have stood the test of time and nursed most of us foresters from the day of our birth and for some to the day of their death. Leave the forest hospitals alone and spend the money on the staff and patients. Absolutely disgusted at this blatant waste of money on the part of the NHS.		
1027	11/12/17 8:56AM ID: 69328043	The Forest is an area with problematic road networks in adverse weather conditions; having a singular location for medical assistance could lead to loss of life. If either of these building are no longer fit for purpose than two equally spread apart health hubs should be considered. Or build one new one and keep one old one. The Forset needs investment into the health of it's inhabitants not a cut back.		
1028	11/12/17 9:30AM ID: 69330283	money could be invested into the two existing hospital equally - better to have access for those remote areas of the forest of dean as not everyone has the transport to travel and too dangerous/long to walk. Prefer to have an older building with more accessible care locally, where money can be invested into maintaining/updating and into staff budget.		
1029	11/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69333644	We need Lydney and Dilke hospitals, if there are funds for a new hospital, why not upgrade Lydney and the Dilke		
1030	11/12/17 10:27AM ID: 69334747	1) Don't know location 2) Taking into account the increasing population on Lydney area alone, the reduction in beds is unacceptable. No significant advantage in procedures and treatment. No A&E, No Maternity facility		
1031	11/12/17 10:42AM ID: 69335774	2 hospitals are essential to ensure access. If you don't understand this, then you do not understand the difficulties on transport in the FOD. This all highlights the need to retain or increase the number of beds available. From the feedback / questions / comments that I have heard at public meetings and else where, if you ignore this, you invalidate the consultation process		

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1032	11/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69337414	The forest would be better off keeping the two hospitals as both been upgraded through out the years to Health and Safety standards		
1033	11/12/17 11:09AM ID: 69337984	Existing hospitals have had money spent on them by public donations as well as NHS		
1034	11/12/17 11:19AM ID: 69339225	It would appear the new hospital would have only half the beds of the two existing hospitals (minimum 24 beds) Minimums have a habit of becoming MAXIMUMS. In 2025 over a quarter of the forest population will be over 65. So you intend to decrease beds whilst the need for beds is likely to rise - NOT COMMON SENSE		
1035	11/12/17 11:30AM ID: 69340070	<p>I admit that I have always been a great support of the Dilke Memorial hospital. I was however open minded when I attended one of your meeting and read this booklet. But I am not convinced by the evidence before me or in the soundness of the plans for a new hospital.</p> <p>One area really worried me : the proposed number of beds for inpatients. Surely it is folly to drastically cut bed numbers when in your own words, the population is growing and you estimated 4443 more older people by 2025. I was once an inpatient at the Dilke a few winters back and the wards were full</p>		
1036	11/12/17 11:42AM ID: 69340956	I feel the Forest of Dean area needs as now TWO hospitals whether it be the existing ones or TWO new ones. Either use the money available to modernise the existing buildings or fund more money to build two hospitals		
1037	11/12/17 11:53AM ID: 69342024	<p>I do not support the proposals put forward for the building of a new hospital for the Forest of Dean.</p> <p>I feel that the 11 million pounds that is quoted as the sum available for the building of a new unit would be better spent improving and updating the present hospitals. My guess however is that these funds will only become available if and when the present sites are sold and will therefore be free for updating existing hospitals</p> <p>The proposals are seemingly designed purely as a cost cutting exercise and will not provide a service that is superior to the existing services.</p> <p>The residents in the Forest deserve something far better than what these proposals would provide, the loss of hospital beds is a ridiculous suggestion. A growing population and ageing society demands the opposite and the provision for an A&E department is something that we should be aspiring to provide together with other departmental testing units which are only available at the present time in Gloucester or Cheltenham</p> <p>There are also lots of unanswered questions, the decision where any new hospital would be built could cause enormous friction between the two existing services. The suggestion that this could be in the woods in the so called "Northern Quarter" at steam mills is beyond belief!!</p> <p>The future use of the existing sites, their market value and the use of this is also a great concern when much of this has been funded over the years by the friends and committees of both hospitals</p>		
1038	11/12/17 12:04PM ID: 69342976	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. It has already been established that the topography of the Forest of Dean necessitates the provision of minimum of 2 hospitals2. Reduction in the number of beds at a time of considerable population increase is not acceptable3. Cost of a new hospital would far exceed cost of refurbishing two hospitals		
1039	11/12/17 12:13PM ID: 69343900	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Topography of Forest of Dean necessitates maintaining 2 hospitals2. Reducing the number of beds should not be considered, with population increasing, people are living longer and requiring more health care		
1040	11/12/17 12:41PM ID: 69344749	Firstly, in my opinion, this public consultation is a complete and utter farce. There is little doubt from the context of your literature that the decision to construct a new hospital in the forest with vastly reduced facilities has already been decided and therefore ask the public for constructive comments, no matter how relevant or valid, is a complete and utter waste of everybody's time and effort		

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		<p>A new hospital facility costing £11 million which does not provide for maternity, operating theatre, only urgent care plus a reduction in bed numbers from 47 to 24 all so say offset by the provision of an endoscopy facility, which is mentioned several times in your package as if it is a much needed facility - in reality it is a fringe element of no real consequence or urgent need which in any event can be provided by a portable unit negating the need for in site provision.</p> <p>By comparison the existing hospitals in the past did provide maternity, operating theatre and level of treatment over and above urgent care. In addition a local ambulance park and rapid deployment facility existed at Lydney - NB a recent 111 phone car, necessary because of all the symptoms of a heart attack, resulted in an ambulance arriving 3 hours later! some service!</p> <p>The proposed reduction in beds from 47 to 24 is unbelievable, so say decided because the existing beds are occupied 50% of the time by patients outside the forest. How many patients from the Forest occupy beds in the GRH? What a pathetic argument!</p> <p>With regards to maternity, a female spokesperson on your "travelling bus" said although the midwife provision serving the Forest area is up to capacity, the midwives prefer "home visits" because they enjoy travelling around the forest. Another reason for not reinvesting in Lydney is so say because its a Victorian building and hard to clean. Question? How many patients have become ill or contracted some infection due to this so called problem?</p> <p>The sole argument that could be levied to justify a new location is that Doctors, Consultants, Nurses, etc would be located at one single facility. What a slender argument this is, what problems for instance are evident at present with current procedures?</p> <p>A new hospital would only be justified if it provided all the facilities expected in a new hospital including all the facilities previously provided by the existing hospitals. your proposal fails hopelessly short of this requirement. The paucity of the same means in reality a new facility need not be there . The Forest people, in the main, want desperately to update and retain the two existing hospitals with a re investment figure greatly less than the £11 million. Some people might say that retaining the existing hospitals would be going backwards - in reality backwards would certainly be better than that proposed. In conclusion you must reconsider your proposal and provide the people with what they want, need and deserve otherwise what is the purpose of the public consultation exercise?</p>		
1041	11/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69348547	Both hospitals were built by and for the local communities. Therefore every effort should be made to keep them. Elderly patients feel at home in our community hospitals which must have a bearing on their stay and subsequent recovery. Local public transport inter forest is very poor		
1042	11/12/17 1:12PM ID: 69349148	Money better spent on more nursing homes instead. Ridiculous to reduce overall beds in both hospitals. Need more beds. Will the new hospital have an A&E?		
1043	11/12/17 1:16PM ID: 69349570	beds from 47 to 24!!! Ridiculous. Where going to be built? Somebodies going to lose out		
1044	11/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69349990	Because the forest of Dean may be without a local hospital for years. While a sale of old hospitals - ask local people to support and keep old buildings and ask for volunteers - people locally with help		
1045	11/12/17 1:26PM ID: 69350568	Dilke could very easily be enlarged with several units specializing in several needs. I would think the hand, there would be cheaper and easier to obtain		
1046	11/12/17 1:42PM ID: 69352689	Upgrade existing facilities		
1047	11/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69353060	upgrade existing facilities		
1048	11/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69353642	Option 2, on the same sites. Poor Roads, Poor Transport, growing population means one facility is not reasonable or accessible		
1049	11/12/17 1:57PM	No thought for the next 100 years. Let alone the present		

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	ID: 69354254			
1050	11/12/17 2:18PM ID: 69357048	The geographical positions of the Dilke and Lydney hospitals are well placed to serve the local population. I would prefer the money available to be spent upon developing and extending the existing hospitals		
1051	12/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69401654	There is not enough information on which to base an informed decision. Consultation booklet is rubbish. Not heard any persuasive arguments from NHS / CCG at presentations. How on earth do you expect people to make a decision when we don't know where the new hospital will be, what services exactly it will provide, and most importantly how many beds. I remain highly sceptical that 24 beds is enough capacity. At the outset, I was open minded, wanting to base my opinion on evidence and what I read / heard. I would like a new hospital BUT NOT if it is too small and care is worse than it is now		
1052	12/12/17 9:15AM ID: 69402860	My preferred / ideal option would be 2 hospitals kept open but I understand that governments like homes / families cannot spend money they have not got		
1053	12/12/17 9:31AM ID: 69404481	1. Inadequate information. No definite location. No figures to back up your contention that current situation not feasible. Fewer beds in "new hospital". no explanation where section 4 figures come from - could be wrong. 2. Impossible to suggest other options without more info		
1054	12/12/17 9:40AM ID: 69405841	As we live on May Hill, the Dilke hospital is so much more convenient for me and Lydney would be too far		
1055	12/12/17 9:42AM ID: 69406336	I understand why we need to change but am concerned about reduction in beds. I think a new hospital could be ok		
1056	12/12/17 9:56AM ID: 69406496	Although stated a community hospital would be no more than 30 minutes in a car, what happens if you are unable to drive through medical problems or do not drive - how often would public transport run? I would propose that the Dilke and Lydney hospitals remain open for each to specialise in different areas. Eg. Dilke could hold the equipment for investigation of symptoms (clinical) whilst Lydney handled x rays / bones etc		
1057	12/12/17 10:12AM ID: 69408049	I am unable to support this option as I believe that the two existing hospitals should be improved with more facilities and staff instead of spending money on a new hospital		
1058	12/12/17 10:28AM ID: 69409275	Local - needs to be local There is no central location in the forest that has good road access		
1059	12/12/17 10:35AM ID: 69410665	I believe we need a new community hospital on one of the existing sites with more beds		
1060	12/12/17 10:45AM ID: 69411350	1. Don't know location 2. Reduction in number of beds this is unacceptable 3. No significant advantage in procedures and treatment		
1061	12/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69411998	redevelop existing sites		
1062	12/12/17 11:11AM ID: 69412690	I am unable to support this preferred option because of the unrealistic reduction in beds. I am also not fully persuaded that destroying the buildings we have and building a new hospital will be the best use of the money available. When I am in Cheltenham general I often wonder how they make their original building viable. it appears to be more antiquated than the Dilke or Lydney hospitals. Why not one hospital on two sites? It wouldn't take as long to travel between Dilke and Lydney as it does between GRH and Cheltenham General		
1063	12/12/17 12:26PM ID: 69316455	i go to the dilke alot as injur myself throe epilisy cant drive how am i surpose to get any where else		
1064	12/12/17 12:26PM ID: 69314648	The Forest of Dean by its mere infrastructure needs two hospitals, but with the growing housing in Lydney and beachley I believe Lydney has the strongest		

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		infrastructure need and accessibility option,		
1065	12/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69313962	<p>- THE PROPOSED NEW HOSPITAL PROVIDES NO EXTRA SERVICES OVER AND ABOVE WHAT IS ALREADY AVAILABLE AT LYDNEY AND DILKE</p> <p>- THE DECREASE IN BEDS IS UNACCEPTABLE, EVEN MORE SO AS THERE IS AN EVER INCREASING POPULATION WITH THE PROPOSED NUMBER OF NEW HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS IN THE REGION OF 5000 IN THE NEXT 5 YEARS. THE ESTIMATED RISE IN POPULATION SHOWN IN THE CONSULTATION IS THEREFORE COMPLETELY INADEQUATE AND DOES NOT TAKE INTO ACCOUNT THE AMOUNT OF HOUSING FODDC ARE HAVING TO AGREE TO.</p> <p>- AS A CONSERVATIVE ESTIMATE 5000 NEW HOMES WOULD EQUATE TO BETWEEN 15 AND 20 THOUSAND EXTRA PEOPLE IN THE FOREST, WITH HALF THE NUMBER OF BEDS AT PRESENT PROPOSED THIS CREATES AN EVER INCREASING PROBLEM AND IS TOTALLY UNACCEPTABLE.</p> <p>- THE ARGUMENT IS THAT THERE ARE PEOPLE OUTSIDE OF THE FOREST IN THE FOREST HOSPITALS, BUT THERE ARE A HIGH NUMBER OF FORESTERS IN HOSPITALS OUTSIDE OF THE AREA</p> <p>- LOCATION. CURRENTLY THERE IS NO CONFIRMED SITE. THIS WOULD NEED TO BE CENTRAL IN ORDER TO BE EASILY ACCESSIBLE TO PEOPLE IN ALL PARTS OF THE FOREST</p> <p>IN PRINCIPAL WE ARE NOT AGAINST A NEW HOSPITAL, HOWEVER WE OBJECT TO THE AMOUNT OF MONEY BEING SPENT FOR NO ADDITIONAL SERVICES AND LESS BEDS, CONCERN OVER LOCATION AND THE LOSS OF TWO HISTORIC BUILDINGS WHICH WERE BUILT AND PAID FOR BY FORESTERS. THIS FACT SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN CONVENIENTLY FORGOTTEN.</p>		
1066	12/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69308502	<p>If less beds are to be available as is the speculation, this makes no sense considering the increase in population. The taking away of 2 hospitals in two separate towns which currently provides two sets of facilities, will cause people - especially the elderly - to have to travel further creating more stress and financial burden with possibility reliance on public transport which can be difficult.</p> <p>Both are local and well-relied-upon community hospitals, which hold high regard in the forest area. Those at the end of life would rather be close to home in a place they know which is more personal.</p> <p>If the plan is that the new facility will be within 30 mins travel, Gloucester Royal already fulfils this criteria for some people.</p> <p>Can we not provide a new hospital while keeping the others running so providing a wider range of medical services for all and providing extra employment and opportunities?</p>		
1067	12/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69307588	Not enough beds.		
1068	12/12/17 12:28PM ID: 69307079	Refurbish what we currently have		
1069	12/12/17 12:28PM ID: 69276706	This decisions seems like a fait accompli, and does not take into account how people access the facilities. Also the smaller number of available beds is worrying. We are basically being asked to accept a lesser deal.		
1070	12/12/17 12:29PM ID: 69262812	So many people use these hospitals, the nearest would be Gloucester and is already so over crowded		
1071	12/12/17 12:30PM	The towns population within the Forest of Dean are continually growing, this is		

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	ID: 69245148	evident from the new housing developments. A community hospital needs to be able to support the community, reducing bed numbers will not provide adequate resource. The nearest general hospital is Gloucester which also suffers from 'over crowding'. Further consideration and planning should be undertaken to ensure the facility/ facilities, is/ are fit for purpose now and for the future.		
1072	12/12/17 12:30PM ID: 69241262	given the geography and population one hospital is simply not enough		
1073	12/12/17 12:31PM ID: 69234918	Because I know nothing about it despite being a resident		
1074	12/12/17 12:32PM ID: 69227671	Because I don't trust them.. it'll shut lydney and dilke then they will say there is no money for new hospital		
1075	12/12/17 12:33PM ID: 69213270	Not enough beds in new hospital. Not convinced this is the correct way forward, and would take 3-4 years to build.		
1076	12/12/17 12:34PM ID: 69190052	Think these two hospitals should be upgraded but left as two that way more of the community can access one or the other depending on which part of the forest they live		
1077	12/12/17 12:34PM ID: 69189253	Stop diverting our NI and tax' s to the Privatisation of our NHS and the rafts of management for PRIVATISATION. The cut the owners, shareholders and corporate lawyers get - is basically stealing from the NHS. Once the land is gone it is gone forever , so the short term game is wasted. We have lost around 27 Hospitals alone in Gloucestershire, with associated Doctors and Nurses etc - no wonder we have a constant bed crisis in Gloucester and Cheltenham Hospitals - no community beds for patients to go to. - every new build replacement made half the require size, bed wise. It does make one wonder whose pockets are being gold lined ?		
1078	12/12/17 12:35PM ID: 69181001	A new hospital is required in both Lydney and Cinderford. The forest of dean is already crippled by it's exploding population with no infrastructure to support it. One hospital will not be enough and mean more people will have to travel to get to it on our crumbling left to ruin roads. What about the severn bridge going toll free??? There will be an influx of people wanting to move here as property prices are cheap compared to over the bridge. One hospital will not be sufficient.		
1079	12/12/17 12:35PM ID: 69179604	Because I believe this would limit services available in the FoD.		
1080	12/12/17 12:35PM ID: 69178847	Further centralisation will Reed the total amount of beds, increase distances patients and families have to travel and increase already enormous pressure on Gloucester and Cheltenham Hospitals.		
1081	12/12/17 12:35PM ID: 69173374	I believe e the two existing hospitals are well loved by all of us who live here and do not need to be replaced		
1082	12/12/17 12:36PM ID: 69173115	Will the new hospital have an operating theatre, I can't drive to Gloucester so small ops would be a great idea		
1083	12/12/17 12:36PM ID: 69170899	Because I think it's just a ploy and we will be left with less than we now. These hospitals are part of our heritage and should remain for the forest		
1084	12/12/17 12:36PM ID: 69165334	The loss of beds in an already pressured nhs is unacceptable especially when the nhs is spending money using private sector beds as a way of meeting demand.		
1085	12/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69160670	The Forest has large expanses without urbanisation with a pitifully poor public transport service. A Hospital at each end enables people to access their local hospital without having to travel several miles through the Forest to receive treatment. Alternative to the one proposed new facility could be a stepped plan of refurbishments of existing hospitals to make them fit for purpose or create two new in their place.		

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1086	12/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69157134	The dilke and Lydney hospitals are part of the heritage of the area. Can facilities not be improved and invested in?		
1087	12/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69151475	Because both hospitals are doing fine and run by totally diligent staff. We do not need to change because some 'einstein' thinks we could save money !!		
1088	12/12/17 12:38PM ID: 69146208	With the population increasing in the Forest we need to retain existing Hospitals and build a new one. We cannot build a new hospital which would give us fewer beds than we already have.		
1089	12/12/17 12:38PM ID: 69129808	Both the Dilke Hospital in Cinderford and the Lydney Hospital have the uniqueness of being able to instill a confidence in the patient's through the staff at all levels being friendly and exceedingly knowledgeable. The fear factor of visits as an outpatient or a stay in these hospitals is radically diminished, unlike other large hospitals i.e. Gloucester and Cheltenham, where I, personally, have encountered poor treatment and hygiene is not on the top of the agenda, borne out by PALS bombarded with complaints. Lydney and the Dilke are not so institutionalised and the pride in these areas are paramount within their high principles and deserved affection shown by the locals, and from farther afield when they attend either of these hospitals. The fetes and donations express the loyalty of the locals for their respective hospitals and with the expansion, of Lydney in particular it is more important than ever to retain and invest in the existing hospitals. The fabric of both is versatile and can be readily adapted to incorporate any updates required to satisfy any modern procedures.		
1090	12/12/17 12:38PM ID: 69127837	The Dilke is a wonderful hospital, supporting the people of the forest and always providing good service.		
1091	12/12/17 12:39PM ID: 69104281	Why get rid of the existing Hospitals, they could easily be upgraded.		
1092	12/12/17 12:39PM ID: 69095930	Save both the hospitals		
1093	12/12/17 12:40PM ID: 69089507	It seems a bad idea in several ways. 1/ it reduces the number of beds available altogether which with an aging population seems ill-advised. 2/ It moves the accessibility of the hospital out of reach to local people, many of whom are elderly and rely on public transport which is being reduced. 3/ Although the two existing hospitals are elderly themselves, they are well situated to serve the community. Any replacement needs to be as accessible and at least the same capacity.		
1094	12/12/17 12:40PM ID: 69083944	THE SUGGESTION OF REDUCING THE NUMBER OF BEDS BY HALF IS REDICULOUS. GIVEN THE LARGE NUMBER OF HOUSES BEING BUILT, WILL MEAN THE POPULATION WILL INCREASE. IN ADDITION NO ACCOUNT SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN TAKEN OF THE AGING POPULATION, IF THEY WERE TO BUILD A NEW HOSPITAL IT MUST BE IN THE LYDNEY AREA BECAUSE THATS WHERE MOST OF THE PEOPLE LIVE. IN ADDITION TO THIS, LYDNEY HAS 8 QUALITY CONSULTING ROOMS FOR OUT PATIENCE INCLUDING A FULLY EQUIPPED HEARING SERVICES ROOM WHICH MEANS THAT ELDERLY PEOPLE DO NOT HAVE TO TRAVEL TOO FAR.		
1095	12/12/17 12:40PM ID: 69082912	Simply opening a new facility will not ensure good healthcare in the Forest if it does not have enough beds; this seems to be the most contentious issue.		
1096	12/12/17 12:41PM ID: 69040326	Reduction of number of beds within an ageing population. Loss of jobs for staff. Keep hospitals as they are at the moment.		
1097	12/12/17 12:42PM ID: 69005254	The Lydney and Dilke hospital are both a big and valued part of the community. They are well used and valued and the staff at both sites are amazing and a real benefit to the community. Having both hospitals allows our family members to be treated in our communities and personally I have found the care for both my family members and		

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		my self to have been better at the Dilke and lydney then up in Gloucester. Please continue to support and invest in both hospitals there is room for expanding both if necessary.		
1098	12/12/17 12:42PM ID: 69001506	Where will it be? Will it just be a 'cottage' hospital or will it be a fully operational hospital?		
1099	12/12/17 12:42PM ID: 68993153	Use the money to upgrade theDilke and Lydney		
1100	12/12/17 12:43PM ID: 68989515	SPEND THE MONEY ON THE DILKE ETC , IF ITS NOT BROKE DONT FIX IT ,		
1101	12/12/17 12:43PM ID: 68989061	Leaving both hospitals alone as they are.		
1102	12/12/17 12:43PM ID: 68984822	S THE SAM IF A DECISION IS TAKEN AGAINST THE WISHES OF THE LOCAL POPULATION, ANY NEW HOSPITAL MUST B CLOSEST TO THE MAJORITY OF THE POPULATION, THAT IS IYDNEY, TIDENHA, BEACHLY, ST.BRIAVELS AND BREAM		
1103	12/12/17 12:44PM ID: 68976953	The closure of both Lydney and Dilke would result in fewer in-patient beds being available, which is unacceptable. My father was recently in the Dilke Hospital for nearly 1 month, and the care and support he received there was second to none. All of the staff were friendly and professional and 'took the time to care' - something I have not seen on the wards of Gloucester Hospital. My father, who lived in Lydney, did not mind being in the Dilke Hospital as he was able to remain in the Forest of Dean (where he was born and brought up), and family and friends were able to visit the local hospital daily, which meant everything to him (and us, his family). There are no comparisons between him staying in the Dilke and in the Tower Block of Gloucester Royal Hospital. Please keep both Lydney and Dilke Hospitals open. It means so much for the people of the Forest of Dean, especially the elderly, who have difficulty travelling to Gloucester.		
1104	12/12/17 12:44PM ID: 68971680	I feel we need to have the same number of beds in the New hospital. A new hospital would be great with extra beds and good transport links.		
1105	12/12/17 12:44PM ID: 68938691	Because building a new hospital with a reduced amount of beds is not a solution When all this will do is ship people off to gloucester instead		
1106	12/12/17 12:45PM ID: 68938217	I feel closing two sites to make one is is wasteful resources. furthering the distance to seek help in some cases. can improving the sites we have.		
1107	12/12/17 12:45PM ID: 68933759	Too few beds		
1108	12/12/17 12:45PM ID: 68924001	I do not think 1 hospital will benefit the whole of the Forest of Dean. It will mean even longer journeys for residents, as the roads in the forest are not major ones. Until residents are told the location of the proposed new hospital, I do not think we can make a decision. I think two hospitals work very well as they are at different places in the forest which makes them more accessible for residents.		
1109	12/12/17 12:46PM ID: 68921429	The access of two community hospitals in the Forest benefits I believe more than just one.		
1110	12/12/17 12:46PM ID: 68921399	The number of beds is to reduce. Employ all the staff for two-site working. Don't duplicate specialists.		
1111	12/12/17 12:46PM ID: 68915816	Because of the infrastructure and landscape of the Royal Forest of Dean one hospital in the forest would not serve the whole forest without causing many shortfalls and time problems in an emergency to the population as a whole. I believe the answer is to build a new hospital on the current Lydney site but remove the road that runs between the two sites enabling a large area to be built on as one		

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		unit. Access can still be gained from both directions for emergency vehicles. That the Dilke hospital be used in a similar way but used as an accident and emergency as now and due to the growing aging population used mainly as a local convalescent hospital to prevent bed blocking in larger hospitals such as Gloucester Royal. Some of the grounds of the Dilke could be sold off to pay for the hospital to be upgraded regarding using natural power sources, wind turbines, Ground source and air source heat pumps and solar panels. These resources if used in both hospitals reduce the electricity bill for both sites dramatically.		
1112	12/12/17 12:46PM ID: 68905495	Smaller, more local community hospitals mean greater flexibility and choice for the patient and families. Closing smaller ones to make way for one will not necessarily mean more beds - and that is what is need in the community.		
1113	12/12/17 12:47PM ID: 68883262	There needs to be two options for the forest. the population is ageing and need local services. The Dilke is a historic place in the forest and should remain as it was meant to provide for the foresters. Transportation in the forest is also difficult for people, to amalgamate services to one site will make it more difficult for people to get help and to support relatives who are receiving treatment or are in the end stage of life. It is vital that services remain accessible.		
1114	12/12/17 12:47PM ID: 68871442	I will only support this option with the same amount of beds that we currently have. you mention about people occupying the beds from other localities however this also works vice versa. I work in adult social care and have had some of my service users placed in out of locality hospitals due to forest ones being full.		
1115	12/12/17 12:47PM ID: 68870919	You don't say where this new hospital will be ????		
1116	12/12/17 12:48PM ID: 68870550	As the reason for the closing of the two hospitals is to effectively to save money, the resulting replacement hospital will never supply all the facilities provided by the existing two hospitals. Simple facilities such as ease of parking, access to facilities within a reasonable time frame will all be jeopardised by the single small unit.		
1117	12/12/17 12:48PM ID: 68865251	yes we need a new larger hospital but one that can deal with serious emergencies and accommodate inpatients this would take the strain away from Gloucester but we need to keep the other two open for less serious emergencies. We need to keep in mind the area is growing and i believe we need to consider this in all future planning. Stop taking away our resources we need to grow with the community many people cannot travel freely around the forest as there is a major transport issue. If we have only one hospital in the forest that many wont be able to get to then the strain on Gloucester would be a lot worse. Use your heads people its easier to get a bus to Gloucester from Lydney than it is to get from Lydney to Cinderford and vise versa.		
1118	12/12/17 12:48PM ID: 68849341	Leave the 2 hospitals alone. They are vital to this area. 47 beds are a necessity. Reducing them will be catastrophic for the area		
1119	12/12/17 12:48PM ID: 68848914	I support a new facility but only if it a) keeps the same number of beds and there are b) guaranteed better provisions of children's clinics and services in the forest.		
1120	12/12/17 12:49PM ID: 68847460	I am not informed enough about the proposal		
1121	12/12/17 12:49PM ID: 68839021	Insufficient number of beds to serve the Forest population		
1122	12/12/17 12:49PM ID: 68831957	Community hospitals need to be "in the community", not miles away. It is important that inpatients can be easily visited by their families and carers - isolation causes delays in recovery and in some cases, recovery becomes a long term care issue.		
1123	12/12/17 12:50PM ID: 68831310	This option would be centralising the facilities too much, meaning that in an area without much public transport that it would be much harder for patients to access the resources. The present arrangement suits this area far better, and is much easier to access		

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		In my opinion, the resources earmarked for the potential new build would be much better utilised by updating the existing facilities.		
1124	12/12/17 12:50PM ID: 68824993	One community hospital will make access to health care more difficult and I cannot support a reduced number of beds overall. The Dilke and Lydney have both had improvements recently and I'd much prefer the two sites to continue to be invested in. There is also an important history to the Dilke site which should be respected.		
1125	12/12/17 12:50PM ID: 68824387	A place the size of the forest of dean needs two hospitals in my opinion, we need more beds not less.		
1126	12/12/17 12:50PM ID: 68823094	Insufficient information regarding the proposed hospital		
1127	12/12/17 12:51PM ID: 68820183	Poor public transport network within the fod district. If would be easier for many to go to GRH on the bus. Use planned budget to upgrade existing community hospitals.		
1128	12/12/17 12:51PM ID: 68813659	Any option that would reduce the number of beds rather increase them for the growing population in the forest is shortsighted and doesn't take the growing need into consideration. Furthermore with only one hospital, locals would have further to travel in area where the transport infrastructure is limited at best		
1129	12/12/17 12:51PM ID: 68813523	Because the proposed new hospital does not have identical or greater capacity than the two existing ones. It has less beds.		
1130	12/12/17 12:51PM ID: 68809901	The Forest of Dean needs to retain and invest in the existing facilities of the Dilke and Lydney Hospitals. The NHS under this government and health secretary Jeremy Hunt has no money so to suggest there will be funds for a new facility is pie in the sky. It sounds like sell off the two existing hospitals to property developers...ie good old asset stripping and then patients will have to find their own way to overcrowded under resourced hospitals in Gloucester and Cheltenham.		
1131	12/12/17 12:52PM ID: 68805720	Local hospitals mean that we don't have to travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham for treatments and to see consultants. We need more beds not less so development of Lydney and Dilke I would feel would be preferable to me.		
1132	12/12/17 12:52PM ID: 68802353	Nothing wrong with the 2 we have. Less beds as well when there should be more provided.		
1133	12/12/17 12:52PM ID: 68801348	Keep open the Dilke and have a new hospital to replace Lydney		
1134	12/12/17 12:53PM ID: 68785432	As far as I understand you do not have a specific site yet. A new site must be accessible by bus and with plenty of FREE parking. There should be more beds not less as we have to consider a growing population.		
1135	12/12/17 12:53PM ID: 68783944	Existing hospitals already updated at huge costs. Not enough beds planned for new hospital. Location of new hospital not revealed (or uncertain?).		
1136	12/12/17 12:53PM ID: 68775723	Both facilities offer local support and are well run. Travelling through the forest in adverse conditions puts patients at risk. Investment could be effective at both sites would be more cost effective and provide a level of care that supports patients' needs.		
1137	12/12/17 12:53PM ID: 68769298	Spend money on existing hospitals, excellent locations		
1138	12/12/17 12:54PM	This is not a true consultation as there are not enough facts given to make an		

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	ID: 68743018	<p>informed choice.</p> <p>Key missing information is location and a binding commitment to build a new hospital.</p> <p>If you were a householder with a growing family, would you think it a good idea to downsize and move to an unknown location, however marvellous the promised décor???</p>		
1139	12/12/17 12:54PM ID: 68729051	I would possibly be in favour of there were going to be more beds to accommodate the amount of people. There are plans for hundreds more houses to be built in the Forest of Dean and fewer beds in hospitals is not acceptable.		
1140	12/12/17 12:55PM ID: 68713500	<p>The proposed new hospital would need to reflect the needs of the community, at present it does not.</p> <p>The reduction in beds is an obvious problem, I have first hand experience of a family member yo-yoing back and forth between GRH and Lydney. Her care at GRH has been appalling, at least at Lydney she has been treated with with dignity and respect. She is now awaiting a bed to become available and yet the proposed new building would have less beds. Is there going to be a financial surge to the forest for social packaging to assist more people within their own home? I think not.</p> <p>If building a new hospital and amalgamating the services, it needs to be sufficient to reduce the workload on GRH, it should be proactive in the treatment it provides and something the Forest of Dean is proud of.</p>		
1141	12/12/17 12:55PM ID: 68706384	There is a very limited local bus service in the Forest as it is, currently the Dilke and Lydney hospitals are on a main route. Also closing both hospitals will reduce the number of overall beds available to local residents. The Dilke hospital is in a lovely rural setting and there appears to be enough space for it to be extended and updated.		
1142	12/12/17 12:55PM ID: 68706207	<p>Reduced number of beds, we still do not know where the new hospital will be wherever it is will mean more travelling for some people.</p> <p>Consideration should be given to upgrading the existing hospitals which provide excellent service to the community.</p>		
1143	12/12/17 12:55PM ID: 68698732	Because the current two hospitals offer a great service for the Forest of Dean area and the cost of a new hospital could be shared to enhance both these establishments.		
1144	12/12/17 12:56PM ID: 68691167	As we have an increased aging population it doesn't make sense to reduce two hospitals to one. We need more beds not less .I would suggest that rather than building one new hospital we keep the two we already have and spend funds to improve existing buildings.		
1145	12/12/17 12:56PM ID: 68683366	We need two hospitals in separate locations, if the service I require is not available at one local hospital then generally it is available at the other (recently X-ray service). Also a local hospital should be 'local' at the moment the two hospitals are close to a large proportion of the public in the Forest of Dean. The number of beds proposed in the new hospital is also very low, we need more beds for the future not less. There is certainly room at the Dilke for future development.		
1146	12/12/17 12:56PM ID: 68682615	Because the new hospital will be a Dementia Unit as GCS and Together Trust have merged, so there will be no beds for community patients anyway.		
1147	12/12/17 12:56PM ID: 68679532	<p>'Option' implies choice between alternatives. 'Consultation' seems to consist of asking for a response to decisions that have already been made. Will we, the consumers and the taxpayers, be offered a choice of sites for example?</p> <p>I think one of the important functions of such a hospital would be a minor case A&E facility such as Dilke has provided. (I don't know if Lydney offers this) It saves the journey to Gloucester, the long waits, the parking cost and problems and it must take the pressure off the city's A&E. The suggestion that the new hospital might offer 'urgent care' is not very precise. What does that mean?</p>		
1148	12/12/17 12:57PM ID: 68675336	Enhance both Hospitals		

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1149	12/12/17 12:57PM ID: 68649341	i feel that existing hospitals be updated with more facilities rather than building another with less bed capacity than currently available at Lydney and Cinderford		
1150	12/12/17 12:58PM ID: 68649163	I do not believe it will meet the needs of the local community. Many elderly people in the Forest have very limited access to transport. Our two existing hospitals are far more accessible to them. There will not be as many available beds in the new unit. This means that there will be less availability for people to be transferred back from GRH to somewhere more local for family and friends. With the best will in the world there is not enough home care available to see many of these patients discharged back into their own homes. The local people have raised THOUSANDS of pounds in order to keep our two hospitals running and up to scratch. What a waste of time and effort (and a slap in the face) I for them if these hospitals close and leave us with fewer beds.		
1151	12/12/17 12:58PM ID: 68562911	It all depends on the location		
1152	12/12/17 12:59PM ID: 68561073	Depends on the location of the proposed " New Community Hospital"		
1153	12/12/17 12:59PM ID: 68538744	It depends on where the site is. How accessible it is. & how many inpatient beds it has. You state that only 21 beds are mainly in use in the two hospitals. Why then was I unable to get my partner into the Dilke after he broke his hip and was ready for discharge but couldn't come home because of all the steps. I asked numerous times for him to be transferred to the Dilke after his op but the answer was No! It's no wonder all of the current beds aren't used if people can't access them when they need too.		
1154	12/12/17 1:00PM ID: 68527718	At the moment people from outside the forest use the hospitals. you would not be able to stop this with a new hospital and there would be less beds. The population of the forest is rising not falling. Invest in Lydney and the Dilk Hospital.		
1155	12/12/17 1:00PM ID: 68522894	These hospitals were given to the forest people for the forest people. Our birth right to be born in the forest has already been taken away from us. There is nothing wrong with the Dilke or Lydney hospitals		
1156	12/12/17 1:00PM ID: 68522565	I am not convinced that the proposed new facility will provide the level of health care coverage required in a growing community. The population of the forest of Dean is likely to increase significantly in the next few years when the abolition of charges on the Severn crossing takes effect. Your projected population growth appears to be based on historic population growth and does not take this significant event into consideration. Replacing the two existing facilities with a unit little bigger than one of them seems inappropriate and inadequate.		
1157	12/12/17 1:01PM ID: 68518861	It sounds like a step back with less beds surely we need more beds and an emergency service in the forest as the population is growing with all the new housing being erected		
1158	12/12/17 1:01PM ID: 68500671	the current hospitals serve the needs of those living in the Forest. Why waste money building a centralised single unit that will inevitably have a smaller capacity than the existing ones provide just to make you job easier.		
1159	12/12/17 1:01PM ID: 68495765	Don't know enough about it.		
1160	12/12/17 1:02PM ID: 68495936	don't know enough about it.		
1161	12/12/17 1:02PM ID: 68490866	Because these hospitals belong to the foresters and we get personal care from the staff.		
1162	12/12/17 1:02PM ID: 68489041	It depends where it would be situated, we have two hospitals each within easy reach by most districts. Just one hospital could be too far away from say Newent area.		
1163	12/12/17 1:03PM ID: 68480231	where would the new hospital be sited public transport from places like tutshill with an increasing population from bristol and even more when the bridge toll is free		

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		..lydney also has an inceasing population citing in lydney would not take into the cinderford area . this new hospitalappears to have less beds than existing hospitals		
1164	12/12/17 1:13PM ID: 69427002	not enough beds in the new hospital we need more beds. 60 years ago there was 80 beds between Lydney and Dilke with 400 birth and 500 operations annually. Until we get a decent hospital with enough facilities it will not alleviate the larger hospitals at Glos and Cheltenham		
1165	12/12/17 1:24PM ID: 69428296	The current 2 hospitals give easy access to the facilities provided. The local beds should be used more efficiently. IE after my knew replacement I could have been moved to a local facility closer to home		
1166	12/12/17 1:27PM ID: 69428846	preferred option only half the present number of hospital beds at Lydney and Dilke		
1167	12/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69429186	I support the need for one modern and manageable hospital, however the decrease in community beds when the local population will definitely increase is a major to me		
1168	12/12/17 1:32PM ID: 69429464	I have had to take advantage of the services at the Dilke and my wife was helped by them following a heart attack. The services appeared adequate and any problems appear to be the management of available staff		
1169	12/12/17 1:37PM ID: 69429793	Perfectly adequate as it is especially if hospitals are extended - with two hospitals available it means more jobs and more beds. It will also be less money used with extensions as opposed to a new build		
1170	12/12/17 2:47PM ID: 69431539	<p>I am providing this extra information that could not fit in your spaces for comment because the issue is so so important AND because your consultation booklet community hospitals in the Forest of Dean (CHIT FOD) was so disgracefully worded to direct, to even mislead members of the public, tax payer or not.</p> <p>I and others I speak with CHIT FOD are angry that we were not consulted in the view - seeking of Sept 2015 - May 2016. A properly wide view seeking would have given you a different basis from which to produce CHIT FOD. AND now foresters will be excluded from CHIT FOD unless they attend libraries in a browsing fashion or other places similarly not in the daily / weekly / monthly plan through life of many many people. Even then they will not see CHIT FOD if it is not on display.</p> <p>We read and hear of 24 beds only in the FOD if a new hospital is forced on us via this very tendentious CHIT FOD</p> <p>It is so important to hear on the news today (7th December) that the bed use in the UK has reached 99%. It has been reported on the news in the past that bed use has gone over the safe use of approx. 85%. A Letter to the Forest of Dean and Wye Valley Review this week highlights the "kings fund" saying:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In 2016 / 17 overnight general / Acute bed occupancy averaged 90.3% and regularly exceeded 95% in the winter, well above the level many consider safe THEN 2. Proposals put forward in some Sustainability and Transformation plans (STP) to deliver reductions in the number of beds are unrealistic AND 3. The BMA has raised concerns about hospital bed stock in England (and other parts of the UK) <p>ALSO 4. The Royal College of Psychiatrists warns of a "national Crisis" resulting in more patients needing to be sent out of area for treatment. Currently levels of occupancy mean the average hospital in England is at risk of being unable to effectively manage patient flow, leaving it vulnerable to fluctuations in demand.</p> <p>To illuminate the poverty of analysis applied to the FOD's hospital provision for the future, just to consider the 2.8 beds per 1000of the population that appertains in the UK. Assuming that if a new hospital only ie without the Dilke and without the Lydney hospital, is intended for the southern half of the FOD then it will in 2025 be for 44,037 people applying for 2.8 beds / 1000. it would need to provide 124 beds. But we understand that only 24 beds would be provided! NB that if those 44,037 people were in France then there would be provision of 269 beds and if they were in Germany then bed provision would be at least 357 beds.</p> <p>So in 2025 the FOD would need the Dilke and the Lydney hospitals plus the putative new hospital AND STILL BE APPROX 50 BEDS SHORT!</p>		

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	<p>So one is led thereby to the best future for the FOD which is to keep the 47 up to 50 beds via Dilke and the Lydney hospitals AND to their already available building facilities of beds and care plus admin and reception, add updated medical facilities. The money a new hospital would need for building facilities of beds and care plus admin and reception could be better used to provide even more of these up to date medical facilities, but not the fuss with where to put a new hospital but provide the up to date medical facilities at each of the Dilke and Lydney hospitals. The beds would already be there for pre and post op care. There is enough land / buildings for extension at the Dilke and Lydney hospitals - even if it meant one of the 2 would provide some modern facilities and other one would provide the remaining modern facilities.</p> <p>In the past it has been pointed out to the friends of the Dilke that the 2 hospitals are needed because of the unhelpful layout of settlements and road network in the FOD. so the future of the Dilke and the Lydney hospitals remaining and each having these up to date medical facilities would cater to the modern medical future with twice the number of beds that the option of a new stand alone hospital would provide. At a later date extra pre and post op care beds could be provided, AND these could be at other locations in FOD, at appropriate locations for the population not living in the proximity of the Dilke and Lydney hospitals - 3 of these each with 25 beds would be providing the 124 beds clearly needed under UK bed status. NB although that would not be satisfactory for France and Germany! your section 5 of CHIT FOD is very adequately covered by this way ahead</p> <p>Re CHIT FOD section 1, we are asking you to more than consider, we are asking you to enaction the approach of the Dilke and Lydney hospitals remaining and each having these up to date medical facilities AND as and when funds are available provide ultimately 3 appropriately located new pre and post op care hospital type bed (25 beds) facilities.</p> <p>re CHIT FOD section 2 - challenges and benefits, then clearly challenges are there to be tackled and benefits follow. NB Above the front door of Cheltenham hospital is a date of 1886. (it might be 1868?) yet Cheltenham General Hospital has had much money thrown at it AND to some extent money has been put into the Dilke and Lydney hospitals by the NHS at appropriate political times, as well as we the public funding these hospitals</p> <p>Re CHIT FOD section 3 - Then this suggestion is improving on its plans and it has been pointed out that the public would have loved to have been a part of the STP in order that it was better representing us the public</p> <p>re CHIT FOD section 4 - in addition to points made above I encourage you to look at the possibilities of even more people in FOD by 2025. NB with immigration the immigrants are providing more births than the population prior to the mass movement of people aiming for the UK. Also NB that there is much, much land at Lydney being mooted as future housing provision.</p> <p>Re CHIT FOD section 5 - Then clearly maintaining and even increasing the number of beds provided in the FOD would address the 6 headings to an even more advantageous standard most definitely rather than the odd option of reducing bed numbers to 24! The close to home aspect would be so much better under the scheme of keep Dilke and Lydney and add 3 more hospitals of 25 asap, when new political positions arrived at, for pre and post op care and community care. As foresaid, the 3 would be other than at Lydney or close to the Dilke and therefore close to home</p> <p>Re CHIT FOD section 6 to 8 - It is so obvious that our suggestion of Dilke and Lydney plus 3 would cope with all needs. It just needs the will. The £11 million could be so much better spent not having to build what is already available, namely the Dilke and Lydney building facilities of beds plus admin and reception, but just adding updated medical facilities at the Dilke and Lydney.</p> <p>Re CHIT FOD section 9 again it is surely that the Dilke and Lydney plus 3 option is a much better option we are making available to you</p> <p>Re CHIT FOD Section 10 - this also is obviously made easily solvable by our Dilke and Lydney plus 3 option.</p> <p>Re CHIT FOD - section 11 as for CHIT FOD section 10 - in fact there's a financial saving as it would be so easy to satisfy the people of FOD with the plus 3 aspect. NB we find the Dilke and Lydney serve the people of FOD eminently well</p> <p>re CHIT FOD section 12 - put our Dilke and Lydney plus 3 option suggestion to the</p>		

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		people with our assistance so it's potential is fully recognised and propagated Re CHIT FOD section 13 is attached - One comment is that for those of us who have the advantage of wisdom of age and wise to the way things can and should not be enforced. But have not the undermining skills of computers (NB yes computers do have their uses) are disadvantaged by a date such as 10th Dec 2017 as it is a Sunday and the actuality is that FREEPOST for that day means posting at the latest by 6th December 17 in order to be fairly sure of hitting the 10th AND another comment that many of us make is that the questions are very very tendentious and pushing the assumption that a single hospital is the only way		
1171	13/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69497069	It would depend where the new one is to be sited. Either present site would be acceptable but not one further away than the Dilke. Also, there must be enough beds, as may as there are now.		
1172	13/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69511914	Anyone can see what you are pushing is not taking us into the future but is a retrograde step. Two hospital are essential to the Forest. The Dilke especially is ideally sited for the Forest. Your spurious claims about more people in the Dilke being from out of the area is as ?????? people from Gloucester etc are sent to the Dilke people from the Forest are sent to Gloucester that's stupid in the extreme. 20-24 beds is no use to us. No theatre, no maternity. How is that state of the art?		
1173	13/12/17 1:36PM ID: 69514652	The plans are ludicrous in the extreme. We would have less than we have now. We know you have wanted to shut our hospital for decades. You've been devious and dishonest. The Dilke is special and unique. You people are more wrong than you can imagine but you don't care do you?		
1174	13/12/17 1:46PM ID: 69517178	the 11 million should be sent on our 2 hospitals . Its not going to build a new one as you well know. you'll sell the sites and then get us to pay the shortfall. stop lying and stop pushing your agenda on our kids in school.		
1175	13/12/17 1:51PM ID: 69517906	You are forcing what you want on us. We don't want this new build and certainly not on any of your proposed sites. The NQ? Do us a favour that site is an Aberfan waiting to happen and you know it.		
1176	13/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69518471	How can you call replacing two fantastic units with one that offers no maternity no theatre as moving into the future? That bit fit for the past - stop lying to us stop pushing your agenda in our school. Leave the Dilke alone.		
1177	13/12/17 2:37PM ID: 69520001	Common sense tells us we need more beds. You propose fewer beds. The Forest needs two hospitals you propose one. We need a maternity unit and an operating theatre. You propose neither How is this moving forward? You are offering less than we have		
1178	13/12/17 3:09PM ID: 69524456	Having looked at every aspect of this proposal I can honestly say the ????? met with full???? dishonest ?????? This is clearly all going through the motions you are ??????Your proposal doesn't make sense and don't ??????		
1179	13/12/17 3:29PM ID: 69527695	I find it despicable that you have kept these plans secret even from your own staff at the Dilke. I had a young nurse in tears who found this out in the newspaper the NHS is covert and sly in it operation. The Dilke is in a ???? spot peaceful and conducive to aiding such peoples recover. It is sited in the centre of the Forest for a reason. Recently my 3 year old nephew was rushed to GRH ???he had a 4 hour wait in the A&E. the Dilke is 15 mins from his home. GRH Newent and Coleford over half an hour. Friends grandson suffered an acute breathing episode and was taken to GRH by the time h arrived and was seen ??????The Dilke for them is 10 mins away. Newent & Coleford half an hour		
1180	13/12/17 4:04PM ID: 69531730	Utter madness my child was very unwell the nurse at the Dilke stayed on till he got well. he was seen in minutes. ???? Your state of the art is rubbish no theatre, no maternity. fewer beds		
1181	13/12/17 4:16PM ID: 69532684	there is no honesty in your ?????? you've had already and we have no trust in you. I know several health professionals who all warn not to trust you. this process has been dishonest and I believe is ??????Hands off our Dilke		
1182	13/12/17 4:41PM	If you have 11 million burning a hole in your pocket use to extend and improve the		

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	ID: 69533764	Dilke it is beloved by us. It is an ideal place on a good road that never congested and centre for the Forest. The site was chosen as the best when it was build and it still holds if you are ill you want to see trees and wildlife not concrete around you.		
1183	13/12/17 4:45PM ID: 69535763	this is all nonsense. Use this money to extend our hospitals. you are making ludicrous decision and forcing them on us.		
1184	13/12/17 5:04PM ID: 69536015	Why has there clearly been no will to fund and equip the Dilke properly? Its clearly been a ???you closure plan. The only sensible option is ensure that the wonderful hospital ???should be. It is peaceful there, warm friendly and caring just what one needs in a hospital you are very vague in your use of state of the art. Its a nice term that means nothing. Fund the Dilke properly		
1185	13/12/17 5:15PM ID: 69537442	Why can't you stop trying to destroy our hospitals? Use the money to extend the Dilke. How much did you spend on these booklets? How much are you idiots paid?		
1186	13/12/17 5:33PM ID: 69538184	your consultation is a sham you made your decision this is a lie. you are just ticking boxes. stop lying to us- we need to keep our hospitals we don't want your pie in the sky. 11million wont build anything. We'll get lumped with the other 20-30 million it'll really cost. I you sell of the sites you ??? to sell our Forest		
1187	13/12/17 5:52PM ID: 69539270	Firstly the dishonesty of the process. you had ??? plans to close the Dilke so we cannot trust you, its ?? you are hell-bent on getting your own way. The Dilke is in the perfect location its a fantastic hospital. Use the money to extend it rather than close the Dilke and build some other unit ??????you are ????? again to us and we know it. Why are you so set on closing OUR hospital		
1188	18/12/17 1:14PM ID: 66340353	N/A		
1189	18/12/17 1:31PM ID: 68518324			
1190	19/12/17 2:44PM ID: 68624819			
1191	19/12/17 2:44PM ID: 63884716	III		
			answered	1191
			skipped	1799

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Do you think that any of the options explained in the consultation booklet (section 9) have a greater impact on either you, your family, or other Forest of Dean residents?

							Response Percent	Response Total
1	Yes						49.15%	1105
2	No						25.22%	567
3	Don't Know						25.62%	576
Analysis	Mean:	1.76	Std. Deviation:	0.83	Satisfaction Rate:	38.23	answered	2248
	Variance:	0.69	Std. Error:	0.02			skipped	742

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Please tell us what this impact would be?

			Response Percent	Response Total
1	Open-Ended Question		100.00%	909
1	12/09/17 2:26PM ID: 63832558	The new total proposed number of beds at the new facility is unrealistic, as there is a shortage of community beds in the county currently, necessitating people travelling for miles for the next available bed on a regular basis.....I am fully aware this is the case through the nature of my work.....lately for the GP out of hours service, and currently as a Patient Transport driver. The amount of beds should not be reduced.		
2	12/09/17 2:40PM ID: 63834497	Please see previous comment		
3	12/09/17 2:57PM ID: 63835189	I believe a new hospital on one site is the best way forward as it would be more efficient use of money,provide a better service for local people and visitors to the area (using the MIU) and be a very pleasant purpose built unit to work in. I think one unit would be better for people to use for instance x ray and OPD.		
4	12/09/17 3:04PM ID: 63835864	would not have to travel to Glos so much for appointments or to visit relatives.....this can be difficult, visiting hours are quite limited and not easy if you have children (they are as children come out of school and tea/bedtime). create more local employment.		
5	12/09/17 3:26PM ID: 63837910	My elderly relatives rely heavily on the Dilke.		
6	12/09/17 3:39PM ID: 63838287	I think that it would end up like the Community Hospital in Chepstow where they went from a building which was run down with great staff and available to all, building a new hospital which now has a very limited service and everyone expected to go to Newport for any NHS services. It's now just a ward for elderly, a minimal physio and a x-ray dept which doesn't have appts. There is no minor injuries now. This is what will happen in the FOD. You've been trying to close the hospitals for years to centralise everything in Gloucester and Cheltenham. There is a brand new state of the art x ray in Lydney which you will not staff. Why will it improve with a new hospital in the centre of the forest for which there is no public transport to and will be difficult to get to in winter ?		
7	12/09/17 3:50PM ID: 63839738	As stated earlier		
8	12/09/17 3:59PM ID: 63840479	Further to travel, both are very good hospitals		
9	12/09/17 4:21PM ID: 63841417	Yes Option 3 but only if you resolve the accessibility issue i.e. how the public are going to get there is they do not have a car!		
10	12/09/17 4:29PM ID: 63842479	Having to travel further. Less choice.		
11	12/09/17 4:32PM ID: 63842446	Thesession hospitals A&E are not open long enough hours as it is. Try living in the F.O.D and getting to Gloucester in an emergency		
12	12/09/17 4:32PM ID: 63842037	Given the transport infrastructure in the Forest and the proposed increasing population of Lydney, the proposal to build a single community hospital to cover such a large area is ridiculous. I have friends that already need help getting to appointments and your suggestion of a single unit would make this problem a lot worse.		
13	12/09/17 4:36PM ID: 63843232	better access to local health care - not relying on the acute hospitals.		
14	12/09/17 4:42PM ID: 63843217	More people having to travel to GRH which is already overloaded		
15	12/09/17 4:54PM ID: 63842875	Closure of the two existing hospitals and referring people to other hospitals across Gloucestershire- yes this is ok for people that drive but public transport is poor and would mean many people have to travel further for hospital treatment. Minor injury		

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		<p>units in the district are invaluable. Gloucester is a considerable drive away and closure of forest hospitals will have a knock on effect for the rest of the county.</p> <p>Due to the rural nature of the district only offering a single community hospital will mean further travel - but this is better than no hospital at all.</p> <p>Only doing the minimum maintenance provides the people of the district with unadequate hospital provision.</p> <p>A single community hospital must take all aspects into consideration when deciding location etc.</p> <p>What would be best for the community? It has to be more than monetary/strategic/compliance!</p>		
16	12/09/17 5:00PM ID: 63843878	It is most important that we keep a Hospital in the Forest. Travelling to and from Gloucester/Cheltenham is expensive and time consuming for the community. Also GRH and Cheltenham are very busy hospitals, and to have a modern facility in the Forest would relieve pressures on both of these units and would ultimately save money.		
17	12/09/17 5:00PM ID: 63843937	Closing both and providing only community services would be hugely detrimental		
18	12/09/17 5:07PM ID: 63844862	One single hospital will be less accessible to some residents in the forest.		
19	12/09/17 6:02PM ID: 63847296	Less beds available More travel for patients - who by their nature as this point are unwell .Nit everyone has a car		
20	12/09/17 6:15PM ID: 63847129	This is a really confusing question, one which I think not many will understand and it will give you a funny result on your survey! A really badly thought out question.		
21	12/09/17 6:36PM ID: 63848413	As old age pensioners I think it is very hard if you need a hospital bed to have to go all the way to Gloucester. It is very stressful for family having to travel all that way to visit. Life would be so much easier if there were local beds available. I think it is disgusting to cut the number of beds, they should be increased.		
22	12/09/17 6:39PM ID: 63848858	New hospital will have to be centralised eg where the Dilke is now		
23	12/09/17 6:47PM ID: 63848727	I would not want myself or a member of my family to be turned away from my local hospital due to lack of bed space. I can access Lydney hospital relatively easily, and the same is true of family members living near Cinderford who can access The Dilke. I am concerned that a new hospital would not have adequate public transport links from all areas across the Forest.		
24	12/09/17 6:50PM ID: 63849628	Working		
25	12/09/17 7:03PM ID: 63849735	As a disabled adult with 2 young children it isn't always possible to head to a centralised unit. Waiting times for appointments would be longer. Beds would be less		
26	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63849552	I have close family members who rely on the easily accessible facilities at Lydney Hospital - eg access to a nebuliser - we have used x ray facilities at The Dilke and Lydney. We have accessed the consultant clinics and physio. We need some joined-up thinking to enhance what we have in the most cost effective way,		
27	12/09/17 7:38PM ID: 63851510	Minor injuries would lose out		
28	12/09/17 7:48PM ID: 63850947	As a family that works any additional travelling time would be problematic for us. Currently the Dilke site is convenient but a single location in Lydney or Coleford would		

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		not be. Distances across the Forest may not be far but the road infrastructure is such that travelling from one side to the other takes time.		
29	12/09/17 7:57PM ID: 63851785	Ensure that location is accessible as the forest can be remote for those without their own car, public transport is not accessible by all and the major centres, cinderford, coleford and Lydney are not easily linked by public transport at regular times. The plans assume that people drive or have access to cars		
30	12/09/17 8:12PM ID: 63849252	I do not agree with the 'Options Appraisal' analysis explained in Section 9 - it is highly subjective and skewed towards a new facility. Where is the evidence to back up these claims? The 'Options Appraisal' completely ignores the fact that it would be very possible to provide new models of care and better standards of facilities, for example, by investing in the existing hospitals. This is an extremely poor example of analysis, it is unscientific in its presentation and it is not backed up by a rigorous body of evidence.		
31	12/09/17 8:41PM ID: 63854205	want Option 2, PROVIDED it is on the SAME SITE		
32	12/09/17 8:44PM ID: 63853741	Easy access to a wide range of the widely spread community within Forest of Dean as a whole		
33	12/09/17 9:05PM ID: 63854756	Alot of consultant clinics no longer available at forest. No extra clinics suggested in consultation document. Endoscopy was previously at Lydney hospital so just reintroduced back to the forest. Bus services within forest would need to improve to enable access to site of new hospital. If hospital is closed because of infection as per every winter at some point previous had 2 hospital		
34	12/09/17 10:09PM ID: 63858217	Cutting beds will affect many people in many ways. Still no maternity ward thats not moving forward thats going backwards		
35	12/09/17 10:11PM ID: 63858542	I would prefer the site to be on the old Dilke site as easy to reach from Coleford and Cinderford		
36	12/09/17 10:35PM ID: 63859618	Option 2 would have the best impact for myself and the people of the forest. We cannot keep losing our heritage, we will be just like the rest of the country soon, and what a sad day that will be.		
37	12/09/17 11:09PM ID: 63861117	It should be a community hospital		
38	12/09/17 11:37PM ID: 63861643	Our hospitals. Leave well alone Mr Harper		
39	13/09/17 12:15AM ID: 63862263	Unable to get to a central hospital. The personnal touch would be lost - just look at Tewksbury and Dursley. Less services would be provided. It is doubtful if a 24 hour MIU will be provided. In most cases it would be a trip to Gloucester for A&E services. 111 service is a waste of tax payers money as it has untrained people answering the phone. Many now call 999 instead.		
40	13/09/17 6:39AM ID: 63866330	If there was only one community hospital in the Forest, how could non drivers reach it at night? Taxi provision in the Forest at night is dire. If you want to drink in another town, you have to pre book a taxi. So moving to a single location will mean people calling ambulances more often, at extra expense to the health provider. As you have pointed out, there will be an increase in the elderly population. Are you really expecting them to travel across the Forest by bus, when they used to have a hospital close to them? So far no specific location has been named so how can people object or support that decision?		
41	13/09/17 7:49AM ID: 63868059	worse care we pay more for less.		
42	13/09/17 8:12AM ID: 63869020	If the only hospital is not on a bus route or is in a place not serviced by a bus some members of m family and community would struggle to access the services.		
43	13/09/17 8:32AM	less beds meaning less chance of local people being close to home when care needed		

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	ID: 63869885			
44	13/09/17 9:11AM ID: 63871612	N/a		
45	13/09/17 9:41AM ID: 63873543	As per my previous post. You will be destroying the forests history for money and land.		
46	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63873739	If the Dilke and Lydney are closed we will have to go to Gloucester for any services that the new hospital doesn't provide. Gloucester is an expanding city and putting more pressure on its hospital. We will find it more difficult to get appointments and will have to wait for longer.		
47	13/09/17 11:00AM ID: 63878442	.		
48	13/09/17 11:17AM ID: 63879954	Relative in Lydney can currently walk to the unit when suffering an asthma attack (so unfit to drive). Dilke hospital very convenient for me and you never have to wait for long, unlike the main hospital in Gloucester.		
49	13/09/17 11:48AM ID: 63882171	Should there be less beds this could cause problems in the future		
50	13/09/17 1:40PM ID: 63890632	It is likely that this will make it more difficult to access local healthcare.		
51	13/09/17 2:43PM ID: 63895325	Building a brand new hospital in the forest would hopefully bring faster emergency health care without having to travel 25 miles away to gloss . It would provide more jobs and it wouldn't cost as much to maintain and keep warm as the older buildings need places like the Dilk to either stay open for elderly patients like a care home or be turned into a nostalgic place of memories like a museum not be left to waste away .		
52	13/09/17 3:34PM ID: 63899550	A fracturing of the community. One site with fewer beds and no maternity is not a better option.		
53	13/09/17 3:45PM ID: 63898452	One hospital would make travelling more difficult, especially as available land will be on the outskirts of the towns		
54	13/09/17 4:27PM ID: 63902862	As we don't know where this new hospital would be or exactly what facilities and services it would provide, how can this question be fully answered.		
55	13/09/17 4:29PM ID: 63903591	Moving forward I agree that a new community hospital is vital. I would like to see more outpatient appointments being held closer home, and being able to have x-rays, endoscopy locally would be brilliant.		
56	13/09/17 4:39PM ID: 63904166	Loss of local hospital.		
57	13/09/17 5:04PM ID: 63906173	Traveling to one site would be an issue as bus routes are not the best But better services would be good for the whole community		
58	13/09/17 5:05PM ID: 63901967	As a pensioner, I use the facilities at both the Dilke and Lydney Hospital fairly often. I attend physio for two separate conditions, and I also take my elderly neighbour for leg ulcer treatment at both hospitals. Whilst I have no objection to either one replacement hospital or two newly built hospitals, it needs to be clearer what facilities this would give us.		
59	13/09/17 6:24PM ID: 63909528	Your taking away two hospitals that offer great care and replacing with a hospital that is smaller, less beds no maternity unit.....how can this not impact??		
60	13/09/17 6:25PM ID: 63909392	We need to up grade so it will be more efficient modern so there fore the cost would be less to run the hospital .we would not have to go to Gloucester which would save time and money		
61	13/09/17 7:27PM ID: 63912052	I believe the future of specialist services will not be offered whilst we have 2 community hospitals that are not fit for purpose		

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62	13/09/17 8:26PM ID: 63914633	I can't drive to Gloucester ,I live in Cinderford and Dilke is perfect ,if not I can drive to Lydney but Gloucester is too much		
63	13/09/17 9:25PM ID: 63916911	Again loss of location options, upheaval to services whilst building etc takes place. Sad loss of heritage and important historical site.		
64	13/09/17 11:06PM ID: 63920277	Increased journey times.		
65	13/09/17 11:35PM ID: 63920870	Ummm this is a rural area and we need these places? Live here and find out for yourself.		
66	14/09/17 1:24AM ID: 63922328	My mum was termnally ill at Gloucester Hospital...we needed to see her everyday for 2 months. The effects of travel fuel and parking costs almost broke us financially this was nothing compared to the heartache of seeing mum recieve the impersonal and cold heartless support so far away from home. We were unable to take her home but had the option of getting her close to home at the Dilke. Our darkest days became a lasting memory of mum smiling again in her last days and knowing she was back home in the forest just just 10 minutes drive to be with her. During her last days all of her family were able to visit her and with a window by her bed she was able to breath fresh air and see the trees and beauty of the Forest where she was born. Robbing families of the above opportunity in such awfull circumstances is just unthinkable and in addition I am certlan of authorities creating parking charges higher fuel costs and heavier burden on families and patients which is simply not acceptable. .		
67	14/09/17 7:28AM ID: 63926308	Grater distance to travel less choice longer waiting times		
68	14/09/17 7:33AM ID: 63926268	Back to the bad old days of having to go to Gloucester for all services.		
69	14/09/17 9:25AM ID: 63930983	As a HCP, I worry that even though we have a bigger (maybe better), hospital in FOD, the MIU's will continue as they always have i.e. calling 999 for anything and everything - the nurses etc at the MIU's need more training in cannulation, reading ECGs etc... otherwise, lets have a full time Paramedic (or Specialist Paramedic with prescribing skills) on every shift - also the MIU should be open 24 hours a day as at the moment they call 999 if they are nearing the end of their shifts!		
70	14/09/17 11:21AM ID: 63939072	3 would make services easier to get to were the new hospital in a location easily accesible by public transport which currently neither the Dilke or Lydney are.		
71	14/09/17 12:09PM ID: 63939309	Travelling for services outside the Forest. Any cuts in services provided already would have an impact especially an emergency service. Would welcome an increase in health services especially as we age. Concern this is a cost cutting exercise and reduction in provision of clinical services would still mean travelling to Gloucester or beyond.		
72	14/09/17 12:48PM ID: 63944750	In the last couple of months I have had appointments at Lydney for my eyes (and then referred to Gloucester for two further appointments and had a MSKAT assessment at Lydney whilst now having physio at The Dilke. I had physio at Lydney previous but this wasn't helpful. It can be confusing as to which appointment is where. What would be great is if the new hospital could have a hydrotherapy pool as I have had this at Southmead (where I am under neuro-surgery and endocrinology) and was very beneficial.		
73	14/09/17 1:40PM ID: 63948470	Travelling to another site difficult bus routes already not good enough		
74	14/09/17 1:49PM ID: 63948568	The dilke is central and a popular hospital		
75	14/09/17 2:42PM ID: 63952450	Reduced access to hospital services.		
76	14/09/17 5:12PM ID: 63964533	Losing choice and quality and ease of treatment		

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77	14/09/17 5:59PM ID: 63968751	Less beds than at present - so what's the point?? No maternity unit which has a great impact on the Forest residents		
78	14/09/17 7:11PM ID: 63969521	Local Public transport limitations would make travel between Lydney and Cinderford difficult! At present you have to travel to Gloucester then Cinderford!		
79	14/09/17 7:12PM ID: 63971892	If the new Hospital isn't based near Lydney (the largest population center) it would involve a significant travel time to visit - indeed you may as well go to Gloucester		
80	14/09/17 11:29PM ID: 63979940	A single hospital may cost more, provide fewer services, and be harder to reach for some people.		
81	15/09/17 6:13AM ID: 63985013	For example my grandmother was in hospital over Christmas 2016 and we finally got her moved to lydney and her recovery seemed to excel in this period. It is amazing the difference a smaller and more homely hospital can make to someone's recovery.		
82	15/09/17 9:05AM ID: 63988810	A new single faciity would make health care less accessible to my family.		
83	15/09/17 10:09AM ID: 63992530	I live in Gloucester and we don't have a community hospital. I know from personal experience that patients from the city are sent out to both the Dilke and Lydney hospitals for aftercare. I would have thought that was a good enough reason not to close these hospitals, in fact a third one should be built, at Gloucester!		
84	15/09/17 11:39AM ID: 63998442	Firstly, this information is biased. You speak of the possibilities of rebuilding on either site. Or finding a new one. I am strongly opposed to spending money or 11m of NHS/ tax payers money to, A, knock down two good buildings, which have history in our community, and B, spend tax payers/NHS money to buy a new site , which will have no environmental impact, or desecration to our forest. It all seems like a waste of money to me.		
85	15/09/17 5:15PM ID: 64021966	Fewer bed numbers and loss of historical public investment as well as harder and longer distances to visit		
86	15/09/17 5:30PM ID: 64021854	Whilst I am a pensioner that still drives, if easy access to local hospital facilities is removed I would need on day to reconsider where I live.		
87	15/09/17 5:36PM ID: 64023411	Redevelop existing provision and retain tradition		
88	15/09/17 5:53PM ID: 64024246	Closing both hospitals would be massively detrimental to the community, but the new hospital would likely improve services and is the best option		
89	16/09/17 7:39AM ID: 64043076	The reality is that for anything important and specialist in terms of health care, we go to Gloucester and / or Bristol. Community hospitals are an anachronism...most of their services could be done in revamped, town based surgeries in Forest towns.		
90	16/09/17 8:47AM ID: 64044676	The service in the Forest of Dean would be reduced making it more difficult for people especially vulnerable people to access NHS treatment.		
91	16/09/17 10:14AM ID: 64047530	Slower treatment		
92	16/09/17 1:34PM ID: 64053266	The impact of doing nothing puts all residents at risk of poor healthcare Closing both is not a real option - there has to. Be a hospital in the Forest Two sites would dilute the services and facilities		
93	16/09/17 7:26PM ID: 64066039	Again if only one site it would impact upon those having to use public transport to get to the middle of the forest if not based in lydney. Also due to the transport links lydney is more accessible. Additionally we have issues if it snows and individuals are unable to get to the one site- especially if based in the middle of the Forest of Dean where it is more hilly and roads not accessible.		
94	16/09/17 9:16PM ID: 64069417	Locality of the new hospital.		

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95	16/09/17 11:21PM ID: 64072552	Further to travel for appointments, to visit friends. Less chance of a bed if needed so then would be sent to Gloucester which is 40 minutes from where I live.		
96	16/09/17 11:23PM ID: 64072558	Out patient services, x-ray facility, beds.		
97	17/09/17 9:47PM ID: 64099652	A single hospital would not be so accessible		
98	18/09/17 8:20AM ID: 64108046	Local sensitivity around the history of the sites, in particular the Dilke & this should be reflected in any future development of the old sites following the completion of the new hospital.		
99	18/09/17 11:55AM ID: 64121359	I have already explained that the NHS is shifting too far from being a provider of good health care in the community		
100	18/09/17 12:46PM ID: 64124887	Concerned where the new hospital would be built		
101	18/09/17 12:51PM ID: 64125502	A new community hospital in the centre of the Forest of Dean (speech house area) would be more beneficial but must provide suitable number of beds (47 beds at present)		
102	18/09/17 1:25PM ID: 64126922	I think it should have more services minor operations chemo should be available but think you should offer more beds ie at least 35		
103	18/09/17 1:27PM ID: 64127510	Better care provision in modern surroundings on one site.		
104	18/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64128248	it would mean a lot of traveling for appointments and care and may not have any access to beds		
105	18/09/17 4:12PM ID: 64141189	Doing the minimum will not benefit staff or residents, as the premises are not fit for purpose: money down the drain. Closing both existing community hospitals and providing more community based care will negatively impact residents, as having a local 'out of home' option is important, and put far greater pressures on the existing short staffed community services redeveloping 2 hospitals will not negate the current staffing issues		
106	18/09/17 4:35PM ID: 64143135	I think we should have more beds not less people need beds in a hospital not sent out in the community when they can't manage		
107	18/09/17 4:37PM ID: 64141579	Even if you built a new hospital people would still have the issue of getting there far worse than being able to get to Glos Hospital, as for example: there are no buses from Mitcheldean to either Coleford, Cinderford or Lydney so the distances issues is not relevant. To me this seems to be a NHS issue rather than a FOD Issue as you are talking about being able to staff it etc across 2 hospitals as it is now, Well bring back community district nurses, health visitors etc so that people can have home visits. Building the new hospital will not help the Forest born population as you have stated that no maternity aspect would be available.		
108	19/09/17 9:24AM ID: 64170482	Option 2 - sounds a much better option - it also ticks box number 9 - as acceptable to the community, and I think the fact that it is the only option that ticks box number 2 - "Improve local access to services" has to be a major point, who is the hospital for - the local community - so who has it got to be most suitable to - the local community - and as you have said this ticks that box.		
109	19/09/17 9:55AM ID: 64174459	Don't want Dilke to disappear		
110	19/09/17 10:00AM ID: 64174752	1. for work reasons as I work in the community office, I would hope it brings the services together 2. services available to my family, particularly my grandmother. I would hope the service would offer more options to her		

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111	19/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64174038	To have no hospital would greatly impact on us as a family as we would then have to travel to Gloucester for out of hours services and I do not feel that this is acceptable, especially as I have a young family and feel the MIU service is invaluable.		
112	19/09/17 10:04AM ID: 64175156	If a new hospital is built other than in Cinderford, the time to reach it will be greater		
113	19/09/17 12:33PM ID: 64185055	I feel it would enhance the care of my family by not having to travel to Gloucester. It would provide a more joined up service so reducing anxiety.		
114	20/09/17 3:14PM ID: 64286596	Totally agree we need a new Hospital for the Forest, as soon as possible rather than trying to maintain older hospitals		
115	20/09/17 4:54PM ID: 64294863	Transport is a big issue in the Forest of Dean. The site of the hospital will have a big impact on the population		
116	20/09/17 6:56PM ID: 64301284	Option 4 , care, where practicable and safe should be provided close to home and minimise the chances of having to travel long distances which causes additional stress		
117	21/09/17 8:58AM ID: 64323773	Better services for patients and hospital staff		
118	21/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64327875	Must make sure all services provided in existing hospitals are available in any new hospital		
119	21/09/17 10:07AM ID: 64328287	Public Transport		
120	21/09/17 10:15AM ID: 64328838	Having a new hospital in Lydney would not be ideal for myself and others from this side of the Forest. A greater number on this side than population of Lydney?		
121	21/09/17 10:18AM ID: 64329493	If a new hospital is built to replace both Lydney and the Dilke, it has to be of easy access to all people of the Dean. Not all people have personal transport so therefore a bus service will need to be provided		
122	21/09/17 10:24AM ID: 64330362	Option 3 is best as it would mean local services that are accessible		
123	21/09/17 1:39PM ID: 64343992	GRH is distant and over stretched. The care falls way short and that given at the Dilke for physio for instance, is an entire day, at the Dilke its a couple of hours		
124	21/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64345773	Closing the Dilke would make it much harder for me to access physio and other treatment		
125	21/09/17 2:25PM ID: 64349409	Anew hospital would provide for my families needs in the future		
126	21/09/17 2:35PM ID: 64349703	My mother has been diagnosed with terminal cancer. Whilst she has expressed a desire to spend her final days at home, if that is not possible I feel comforted that there is a community hospital within easy reach of where I live where she may be able to stay. I do not want her to have to travel to Gloucester where it would take longer for me to reach, should I have to travel there at short notice, and I believe that a local facility could give her more personal care in her final days.		
127	21/09/17 4:07PM ID: 64357379	Hopefully it will be easy to access any day of the week, unlike the Dilke, by bus. It should make it easier for out patient visits and a lot to visit in patients. The bus service needs to tie up, even on a weekend.		
128	23/09/17 11:57AM ID: 64441282	<p>The home element of community services would be inefficient and costly. Services that couldn't be offered in the community or at home would require patients to travel out of the Forest. This is the worst option.</p> <p>Two new hospitals would be the most convenient to access, I have used both in the past. However, I would prefer to have one that is more efficient and provides more value for money.</p> <p>If there is to be only one hospital, most people would have to travel further. Therefore</p>		

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		it is essential that frequent public or hospital provided transport is available to the new hospital.		
129	23/09/17 12:17PM ID: 64441660	By not having a up to date facility near by it would mean having to travel to either Cheltenham or Gloucester which from Lydney would take over 30 minutes to get too and extra costs financially. I think having a new one locally would be off good benefit & towards development of new housing in the forest due to increase population growth.		
130	23/09/17 12:30PM ID: 64442436	Would prefer a hospital within easy reach locally due to long term health issues		
131	23/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64442541	Would like a hospital near home to far to travel to Gloucester		
132	23/09/17 1:24PM ID: 64441507	Mostly where the new hospital is located due to lack of public transport.		
133	24/09/17 1:07PM ID: 64478754	I think it is essential that we have a community hospital in the Forest of Dean. A good quality urgent care service fully supported by X-Ray and diagnostics is really needed.		
134	24/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64488807	Not enough beds to maintain the current demand.		
135	25/09/17 9:11AM ID: 64504036	hopefully it would save a lot of people having to travel to glos chelt,or hereford.provided they increase the proposed number of bed's and have increased attendance of consultants to enable people,(especially the elderly) to receive a more stress free service.i think any facility should have at least 40 plus bed's and be able to provide the same services as the larger hospital's.i also believe that the closer to the main hospital's the facility is built,the better as time saves lifes.		
136	25/09/17 11:05AM ID: 64512980	I want to be able to access the car I need locally without having to travel or stay in Gloucester		
137	25/09/17 11:10AM ID: 64513471	I believe that a new hospital would be the best option for all parties. The hospitals we have are dated		
138	25/09/17 11:24AM ID: 64514421	Please remember bus routes etc when deciding an location for the new hospital. Coleford would ne my choice		
139	25/09/17 11:25AM ID: 64513980	Further to travel.		
140	25/09/17 12:10PM ID: 64518742	Option 4 - a very negative impact on my family. Important to have local provision		
141	25/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64520383	I will soon be working at one of the Forest Hospitals, and in addition I live in the Forest locality.		
142	26/09/17 3:11PM ID: 64604243	Further to travel to a hospital if it is located in a central position.		
143	27/09/17 4:02PM ID: 64673255	redevelopment of either site. The cost to find a site if you don't use either lydney or dilke. Dilke was funded by the minors and citizens of the forest. it belongs to us and is a complete disrespect even suggesting building over it. The cost of building a new site. all waste of nhs and tax payers money.		
144	27/09/17 4:48PM ID: 64676133	Travel to the hospital likely to be very difficult. Public Transport is very poor in the Forest		
145	27/09/17 5:06PM ID: 64677892	option 4 would be difficult for many people - if people had to attend other hospitals across Gloucestershire especially those who rely on Public transport		
146	28/09/17 9:51AM ID: 64708751	i'm currently an in patient in the Dilke, spotless, lovely clam home from home calm setting. Wonderful staff		
147	28/09/17 1:50PM	We must say yes to the new hospital scheme. We need to keep a facility and the		

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	ID: 64729796	current ones are not fit for purpose for either patients or workers		
148	28/09/17 1:52PM ID: 64730172	No 3 gives us a proper 21st Century hospital and associated services		
149	28/09/17 2:05PM ID: 64730994	Too far away. The Dilke side is central and peaceful		
150	30/09/17 3:22AM ID: 64830210	I agree that it makes financial sense to have only one hospital for the forest of Dean but location of the hospital is vital. I would like the hospital to be build in Lydney or very close to Lydney which has a large growth of housing. Also it is extremely important that the hospital is large enough to accommodate all that is needed locally, including A & E, and reduces the need for people to travel to Gloucester.		
151	30/09/17 9:10PM ID: 64860479	Less Beds; facilities farther away from our part of the Forest - i.e. Lydbrook, ; would make it more difficult to keep ambulance services in the Forest, would waste a lot of money spent to keep current facilities in good condition. I see nothing in the "Challenges" that gives supporting evidence. Why?		
152	01/10/17 7:47AM ID: 64871644	Keeping Lydney open is a far better idea, than spending all the money on a new facility what a waste of money.		
153	01/10/17 8:23AM ID: 64872291	My husband is a user of the outpatients for his ongoing medical condition. The location of the hospital allows for easy access and regular appointments.		
154	01/10/17 2:32PM ID: 64883979	The loss of beds. This seems a terrible idea and very short-sighted. General hospital beds are short in supply and very expensive. It will save money in the long-run if there is an increase in community beds; this will free up the beds in general hospitals by allowing 'social admission patients' a place to remain until they can return to the community. To halve the number of beds available for the forest is madness! The figures quoted in the information pack are selectively chosen to make less beds make sense.		
155	01/10/17 3:31PM ID: 64885544	It would greatly impact on my family if the new hospital was built over the other side of the forest as over the years we have used the Dilke for emergency treatment on out of hours accidents, child ailments etc, and we do not want to loose there exceptional local service. I,m sure the people of Lydney feel the same about their hospital so why not spend the money on improving the services of both hospitals rather than build a new hospital with less beds that will see forest patients pushed to other locations in Gloucestershire.		
156	01/10/17 6:07PM ID: 64891088	If option 3 is approved it is important that Objective 2 fully meetings the objective/criteria.		
157	01/10/17 6:52PM ID: 64892853	see under question1		
158	01/10/17 8:30PM ID: 64896557	Closing both hospitals would have a detrimental effect on the local population.		
159	01/10/17 10:05PM ID: 64899813	My family and I have been well served by the NHS in the forest of dean. I don't think that a new build hospital will make much difference to that. I expect it will be built in Cinderford as all the investment seems to be going there at the moment.		
160	02/10/17 11:55AM ID: 64923813	More medical facilities in one place		
161	02/10/17 3:30PM ID: 64941132	option 3 is clearly the best option		
162	02/10/17 4:28PM ID: 64944993	The arguments for this option are very robust - the fragmented service (as good as it most certainly is) that we receive today is certainly more than due for a radical overhaul.		
163	02/10/17 5:08PM ID: 64946659	Public transport in the Forest of Dean is limited therefore a change to a unknown location for a new hospital represents a high risk of not being able to access it. I also		

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		consider that by reducing the facilities it increases the probability of risk to health by increased journey times.		
164	03/10/17 9:45AM ID: 64980423	No Maternity unit		
165	03/10/17 10:09AM ID: 64982516	Community based services can be great but not at expense of having no adequate social services provision which is being reduced and assessed as not needed at grass level		
166	03/10/17 10:38AM ID: 64984080	Forest people are very insolate and don't travel more than necessary		
167	03/10/17 11:06AM ID: 64986099	I am concerned about the co - location of GP services with the hospital leading to closure of GP surgeries in rural forest		
168	03/10/17 11:17AM ID: 64988335	Transport is an issue for most people in the Forest. If one hospital is agreed, a free bus service should be provided regularly covering the whole forest to allow access for all		
169	03/10/17 11:26AM ID: 64989213	The Dilke is our heritage and is used frequently		
170	03/10/17 11:29AM ID: 64989446	Very hard to get to Newent or coleford		
171	03/10/17 11:36AM ID: 64989777	Easy access and modern facilitates to save having to order transport to GRH for outpatients appointments		
172	03/10/17 2:56PM ID: 65006512	I feel some people may find it more difficult to access care. Transport may be a problem for some users.		
173	03/10/17 7:30PM ID: 65022864	Currently I work along the A48 towards Chepstow, visit my Aging parent in Lydney (who will probably need increased hospital care), and I live in Newnham. A centralised hospital in Coleford is not an option in my humble opinion		
174	03/10/17 9:37PM ID: 65028625	Extra travel and inconvenience caused to all.		
175	03/10/17 10:15PM ID: 65030000	A new hospital half the size of what we already have is pointless		
176	04/10/17 7:11AM ID: 65037543	we will be able to use the facilities easier than now		
177	04/10/17 8:49AM ID: 65039239	After having an extended stay in Hospitals over the last few years, I believe that a local hospital that cannot provide A&E, becomes an aftercare and minor injuries facility, therefore it does not need to be within a short distance, so long as there is a reasonable availability for visitors. Personally, after my Liver transplant, I am the more likely to be in such a facility and my wife cannot drive and she will be the visitor, access is a concern. But having said that, I think it is an impossible job for you to make every one happy, there is always going to be objections to your proposals, but while the money is in the pot it is time for the decision to be made. Yes like all of the people within the forest, I too want it very near me, but only yourselves, with all the evidence can sort this out. Transport to and from is the major issue in my book and I'm sure most peoples. As to where it goes, well in the triangle you have to work with, in the middle would be logical, but I'm sure the wild boar would have objections to the middle of the forest, and new roads to get there and getting the utilities to it would use the money up very quickly. So do the best you can as nothing will be right for everyone, I'm sure transport companies can provide a service if there is enough people to use it, if not then its not needed. Good luck.		
178	04/10/17 11:57AM ID: 65053308	Depending on the location, transport may become a major issue for me, my family and my friends amongst many other issues in terms of services offered.		
179	04/10/17 2:19PM ID: 65063259	The Forest of Dean does need local community hospitals which are accessible.		

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180	04/10/17 3:40PM ID: 65070219	Clearly reducing from two to one local hospital will mean longer journeys for some but I believe the overall improved services outweigh that inconvenience.		
181	04/10/17 4:38PM ID: 65074554	It would make life easier not having to travel far for medical tests and to see specialists		
182	04/10/17 6:14PM ID: 65079835	<p>The options of doing nothing or closing both current hospitals would not solve the current problem of healthcare in the FOD. For example both me and my husband have recently had to wait over 6 months for appointments for diagnostics, one of us having to go across to Emerson's Green in Brtstol because no appointments were ever available in Gloucester.</p> <p>There must be a community facility (along the lines of Emerson's Green, which we were very impressed with) which offers us residents a choice and a significant improvement in the current healthcare situation.</p>		
183	05/10/17 10:36AM ID: 65106437	all that's been cited is an endoscopy unit. Why cant it be put in one of the existing hospitals		
184	05/10/17 11:11AM ID: 65108956	We cannot guess what the future holds for any of us regarding our health requirements		
185	05/10/17 12:53PM ID: 65116449	Population Growth, possibly underestimated. So number of beds should be greater		
186	05/10/17 2:48PM ID: 65124090	Live very near Dilke; if Lydney or Coleford, have further to travel.		
187	05/10/17 4:03PM ID: 65118516	In all honesty, what does that question mean???		
188	06/10/17 2:25PM ID: 65181077	Reduction in bed numbers		
189	06/10/17 2:27PM ID: 65181267	The need to know is essential		
190	06/10/17 11:45PM ID: 65208121	An updated facility. Both hospitals are now outdated and need modernising. Why pour more and more money into keeping them up to date. Surely a more cost effect long term solution is a new up to date modern hospital.		
191	07/10/17 3:49PM ID: 65227223	<p>It will be nice to have everything in one place so people do not have to travel from one hospital to another for appointment and treatment. It has happened to myself, my husband and sister.</p> <p>To have good bus routes for people who cannot drive or afford taxis is vital. Also good parking space is essential.</p>		
192	07/10/17 6:57PM ID: 65232954	We need more services locally, with doctors on staff		
193	09/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65280618	Living in the North of the Forest of Dean a single hospital located in Lydney would be difficult to access and would therefore impact on the hospital in Gloucester. The same applies for residents in the South of the area if the single facility is located at the site of Dilke.		
194	09/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65300501	<p>I am a Lydney resident and at present Lydney is growing at a furious pace. Planning permission has just been granted to build another 347 or so new houses on land East of Lydney, which is at the rear of my Bungalow.</p> <p>Houses are also being constructed on the top of Highfield at present.</p> <p>I am a pensioner, most of the residents around me are of the same age and many rely on public transport and/ Dial-a-ride to get around.</p> <p>Many of us are worried about the loss of Lydney hospital and where the new hospital might be. We are also dismayed to see that there seems to be a lack of understanding on the issue of how many beds are necessary. We need many more beds not less. I have been told many times when one of my family needed to go into hospital, Lydney is full and your relative will have to go to GRH</p>		

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		<p>Not easy when the round trip is forty miles or so and the parking fees high.</p> <p>What about A&E at this new hospital? will there be one? if not , where will Lydney Industrial Estate take their employees when they have an accident. All the way to Gloucester?</p> <p>How about Maternity? why are expectant mothers having to go to Gloucester to have their babies` when we could have a Maternity unit in the Forest again?</p> <p>While I am not opposed to a new hospital, we need many more answers about what it will, or will not contain.</p>		
195	09/10/17 8:43PM ID: 65329832	Better local services Accessibility		
196	10/10/17 10:07AM ID: 65352277	Getting to Newent or Coleford would be very hard, may as well go to GRH in that case. The Dilke is ideally located, extend it and fund it. Why are you people so set on destroying it?		
197	10/10/17 10:18AM ID: 65353010	The Dilke is ideally sited for large areas of the Forest and was sited there for that reason. Its a 15 minute trip for me to Coleford or Newent is half an hour. No thanks		
198	10/10/17 10:40AM ID: 65354189	Closing a hospital which is by design central to the forest. Closing a hospital paid for and systematically asset stripped by the "Cheltenham Set" of middle class professionals whose interest is self and their careers		
199	10/10/17 10:50AM ID: 65356388	redevelop both hospitals		
200	10/10/17 11:00AM ID: 65356909	Need a LOCAL hospital with easy access to all Forest of Dean residents on bus route.		
201	10/10/17 11:27AM ID: 65358389	Because none of my family could get to a new hospital in Newent or Coleford of the NQ. The Dilke is easily accessible and is quite simply a wonderful hospital. What about the staff whos job would go?		
202	10/10/17 11:46AM ID: 65359962	.		
203	10/10/17 11:53AM ID: 65361474	I have answered in previous question.		
204	10/10/17 12:01PM ID: 65361936	Delivery of Healthcare to a high standard to be available to all residents is paramount		
205	10/10/17 12:03PM ID: 65362577	Option 3		
206	10/10/17 12:11PM ID: 65362736	From here it takes longer to go to Lydney by bus (2 changes) than it is to go to Cheltenham. Cinderford is no better (3 changes) and Coleford the same. for heavens sake not Lydney please. Upgrade Newent Health Centre		
207	10/10/17 12:32PM ID: 65364734	A single unit to cover all services would be more convenient especially for travelling a long distance away		
208	11/10/17 3:51PM ID: 65453736	<p>Closing Lydney hospital would severely impact the residents of Lydney and the surrounding area. I currently attend a clinic at Lydney with my consultant regularly. Should the clinic be taken to a new hospital nearer Coleford or Cinderford my appointment would be made much more complicated.</p> <p>If the one new hospital option is taken up (as I suspect you have already decided) I do not understand why it would be even considered to take the number of beds from 24 to 21 when you have clearly shown in the consultation document the projected increase in the population. Add to that the fact that we are an aging population with all the increased medical problems that brings, surely you should be looking to expand the number of beds to give the residents the better standard of care talked about in the document.</p>		
209	11/10/17 4:21PM ID: 65458786	I would struggle if the services were not readily available within the Forest of Dean.		

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210	11/10/17 5:46PM ID: 65464879	where will it be ? the service will be not as good		
211	11/10/17 11:03PM ID: 65479151	Not having any hospitals would be of detriment to the area which is over 30 minutes from a main hospital. Having one community hospital could mean loss of beds compared to existing and a longer waiting list for clinics. The location of a new hospital could be an issue for Forest of Dean residents.		
212	12/10/17 9:58AM ID: 65495756	We need a modern up to date facility in the Forest of Dean on a large enough space to facilitate future development		
213	12/10/17 10:02AM ID: 65496118	An adverse effect on travel difficulties. New bus routes will have to be put in place. A positive effect if more services are available		
214	12/10/17 10:11AM ID: 65496764	Easier access Easier transport		
215	12/10/17 10:24AM ID: 65497075	Re develop / re provide two community hospitals preferably re develop existing buildings. Dilke and Lydney - near local communities. Dilke can be reached by public transport		
216	12/10/17 12:49PM ID: 65510727	Local is best - saves travelling Gloucester for routine matters - As a 64 year old living alone its easier to get to local facility		
217	12/10/17 1:03PM ID: 65511831	We would have access to better health care		
218	12/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65512085	Why do you think the Dilke is sited where it is? Because its in the centre of the Forest.		
219	12/10/17 1:15PM ID: 65512721	No public transport, No thought to elderly who have to cope alone with their medical needs		
220	12/10/17 3:13PM ID: 65521766	My main concern is for elderly people who currently go to Cinderford or Lydney that would have to travel. However, I believe that the benefits out weigh the impacts of having one very well managed Forest of Dean District Hospital. On the proviso that in home community services improve I think this is a positive step.		
221	12/10/17 9:05PM ID: 65546032	positive impact - improved outpatient services negative impact - reduced beds for an increasing population The consultation booklet does not provide any assurance that the needs of residents registered with Welsh GPs has been taken into account. Also the "about you" questions ask for a GL postcode although many FOD residents have an NP post code. Also I note that the various locations in the consultation exercise do not include any in Woodcroft, Tutshill or Sedbury where signifiocant housing developments are expected.		
222	12/10/17 9:35PM ID: 65551051	We need a lot more beds not less they are building more and more houses in the forest people are living longer we need more beds and more facilities to cope with the growing population		
223	13/10/17 11:33AM ID: 65574484	The hospital proposed has a smaller number of beds. Already numerous people in this area have been bedblocking in Gloucester and Cheltenham hospitals while waiting for a bed in the two hospitals here. These people need a continued level of hospital care with daily physio or assessment but do not need acute care. Therefore if your proposal is accepted and the bed numbers are reduced surely this will increase the problem. The two sites at the moment cover the whole of the Forest very well. Why is there such reticence to disclose where the new hospital is going to be? As to the staffing level argument I am sure that if the two hospitals were utilised properly the staff that live in the area but currently have to work at the Gloucester and Cheltenham Hospitals would prefer to work locally.		
224	13/10/17 12:17PM ID: 65580252	Closing the Dilke will impact whether my family could access healthcare. Lydney is too far. It would also stop me working as a nurse in the Forest of Dean		

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225	13/10/17 12:21PM ID: 65581551	If there is only one centre it would be inconvenient for people to get to it. Especially when the bus service in the area is so dire. Some years ago a survey was taken and it proved the demographics of the area do not support a single health centre.		
226	13/10/17 12:28PM ID: 65582621	If the location of the new hospital is not Lydney based then I will have further to travel. This should be manageable if appropriate infrastructure is in place to support it		
227	13/10/17 12:33PM ID: 65582996	Travel by car from GL18 to a Lydney site, if this was chosen, would not improve local access to services - it would not be a community hospital		
228	13/10/17 12:56PM ID: 65584392	Wasting public money, time and resources		
229	13/10/17 12:59PM ID: 65585308	Living in Lydney option 2 would be best to save travelling further afield		
230	13/10/17 1:13PM ID: 65586214	Distance to travel to a single hospital. For those of us who live on the edge of the Forest of Dean. i.e St Briavels		
231	13/10/17 1:23PM ID: 65587146	Improved status Quo is the better option		
232	13/10/17 1:26PM ID: 65584143	A new single hospital seems to have the least negative impact, however it is likely to have accessibility problems for the significant number of forest residents who don't drive. It is also likely to result in an overall reduction in the number of beds.		
233	13/10/17 1:35PM ID: 65587707	The number of beds envisaged is too small especially as all towns are expanding		
234	13/10/17 1:48PM ID: 65589214	Its again the availability of the unit		
235	13/10/17 1:56PM ID: 65589651	We cant get to Newent or Coleford. We struggle to get to Glos Royal. The Dilke is perfectly sited and Lydney is perfectly sited		
236	15/10/17 2:23PM ID: 65712937	Doing nothing is not an option as currently had to wait 6 months and then travel to Emersons Green for an appointment		
237	16/10/17 11:13AM ID: 65755510	If you had a hospital in Lydney it has good links to main roads to get people to bigger hospitals if they need it, in winter this would be a big advantage.		
238	16/10/17 7:34PM ID: 65805816	I would be particularly unhappy with Option 4 i.e. no hospital because there are occasions when hospital is the only option and transport makes it difficult, particularly for elderly patients and visitors if that means Gloucester, Cheltenham or Bristol.		
239	17/10/17 9:26AM ID: 65832110	Position of new hospital re transport / communication, if visiting or being one - self an impatient		
240	17/10/17 9:42AM ID: 65833938	Option 2 would be of greater benefit to most residents but I recognise that this would be difficult to staff adequately		
241	17/10/17 10:03AM ID: 65835642	We cant get to any of your preferred sites. We can get to the Dilke. Leave it alone. Shame on you all		
242	17/10/17 10:17AM ID: 65836451	Because like many people, I struggle to get to GRH and would struggle to get to your other proposed sites. I can get to the Dilke in 15 minutes.		
243	17/10/17 10:31AM ID: 65837824	Because we as a community, may just as well go to GRH as to Newent or Coleford. The Dilke is in the perfect place.		
244	17/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65858641	Getting to the Dilke is easy. Just 10-15 minutes away and with a debilitating condition, long journeys cause me pain and discomfort and leave me exhausted for two or three days. Going to the Dilke os so easy.		
245	17/10/17 2:21PM ID: 65859548	A hospital built in Lydney would not be good for my family. roads poor, bus service non existent. Lydney not in the Forest		
246	17/10/17 2:35PM	Having read the booklet, are you planning on out patients facilities using visiting		

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	ID: 65860638	consultants or is the new hospital going to be GP run and only provide facilities GPs are able to provide? Currently myself and other FOD residents have to travel out of the FOD to access cardiology facilities e.g pacemaker checks Exercise ECGs, fitting of Monitors etc. As it has been noted, CVD is one of the 3 main causes of death in the FOD perhaps this could be a consideration		
247	17/10/17 8:39PM ID: 65886259	I think it will be more beneficial for a single hospital that will be more functional than the two separate ones that currently run. More facilities that will be beneficial for the community and services and clinics that save having to travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham which for people in certain areas is very difficult.		
248	19/10/17 12:29PM ID: 65993272	It will not be easy for me to travel further. There will be less beds and still no maternity		
249	19/10/17 12:31PM ID: 65993791	Travel		
250	19/10/17 12:42PM ID: 65994006	If accepted a new community hospital in the Forest would, in theory, provide improved facilities and access for clinic appointments, an aging population need healthcare that would deliver this. This does not mean that increased younger people would not need treatment. It is hoped that allowance has been made to take realistic population figures into account.		
251	19/10/17 1:03PM ID: 65995465	Transport is a problem for the elderly and lack of beds		
252	19/10/17 1:18PM ID: 65997172	Closing both hospitals without any replacement would be disastrous		
253	19/10/17 1:36PM ID: 65995265	The new hospital will have to be some where between the two hospitals we have at the moment! This location will be difficult as every one will have their say on where to build it. If the new building has enough beds for the needs of the Forest of Dean it will be a much needed addition.		
254	19/10/17 1:42PM ID: 65998725	The preferred option 3 only partly improves local access. Neither is the extent of the affordability clarified. Is this an attempt at achieving MBEs for CCGs by pushing through an aspiration at any price The Forest of Dean has significant levels of COPD and cancer, which currently require disjointed, multi agency care over a great regional distance. Why are our most vulnerable and possibly financially impoverished patients required to travel between Bristol, Gloucester and Cheltenham for services which should be considered in the new plan. I.e. Bristol has a "one-stop" GP referral clinic for asthma to keep patients out of hospital, particularly in virus season. That doesn't exist here. Similarly Hereford, Southmead and Bristol cancer hubs		
255	19/10/17 1:59PM ID: 66001004	Option 3 would be a great wonderful impact in that more, updated speciality services would be locally available		
256	19/10/17 2:04PM ID: 66001372	Depends on where it is and can be reached on public transport		
257	19/10/17 2:20PM ID: 66002494	not favouring option 2 and opting for option 3 is totally unacceptable. We need our local established facilities		
258	20/10/17 11:07AM ID: 66046386	Increase in travel required always an obstacle to use. Particularly for elderly in rural area. Poor public transport if I am ill I may not be able to drive		
259	20/10/17 12:23PM ID: 66058671	4) not suitable for emergencies etc		
260	20/10/17 12:41PM ID: 66059017	the 2 hospitals could be upgraded to offer complimentary services i.e one could have residential emergency beds. The second could provide minor injuries / A&E assessment procedures e.g endoscopy (as the Dilke used to provide)		

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261	20/10/17 5:18PM ID: 66082598	The old hospitals are beyond their sell-by dates.		
262	21/10/17 5:49PM ID: 66118340	I would like any future family members to be born in the same hospital as I was		
263	22/10/17 5:12PM ID: 66144066	Option 4 - no hospital, would have a negative impact on me and my family. We want to be able to access health services in the Forest of Dean whenever possible, particularly Minor Injuries and Outpatient appointments.		
264	23/10/17 10:54AM ID: 66170576	Will no longer have casualty in Lydney so will have to travel		
265	23/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66184945	Should a new hospital be sited in the middle of the Forest, then consideration should be given to "bad" winters when the Forest is inaccessible		
266	23/10/17 1:49PM ID: 66185458	Lydney hospital is accessed from all major routes - including Chepstow and Districts		
267	23/10/17 2:01PM ID: 66186094	If only one hospital it must have access by public transport, a large car park and an A&E department		
268	23/10/17 6:08PM ID: 66207351	More travelling		
269	23/10/17 6:18PM ID: 66207449	Our nearest hospital in Lydney would be closed, meaning I would have to pay for a taxi to get to 'whereever but most probably Coleford'. There is public transport from where I live to Lydney, not to go into the forest. Outpatients would end up being in Gloucester meaning a whole day spent trying to get there and back on time		
270	23/10/17 6:41PM ID: 66207539	Greater than what? Each other? This is a poorly phrased question. Clearly closing down both hospitals is going to mean more trips to Gloucester/Cheltenham with consequent delays to diagnosis, treatment & hence outcomes. The harder it is to get to the hospital the less likely an individual is to make that journey. This will lead to delays in diagnosis, people developing more severe conditions which in turn will take longer & cost more to treat both directly to the NHS & indirectly through time lost at work. The same would therefore be true of Option 3 though to a lesser extent than Option 4		
271	23/10/17 9:12PM ID: 66215544	Difficult to access safe emergency/medical assistance within a reasonable time there and to return		
272	24/10/17 8:45AM ID: 66228103	Extra travel time & cost for services outside of the Forest. Future generations of freeminers continue to be lost due to lack of birthing facilities within hundred of St Briavels. As I get older having to go away from my home area for treatment is very daunting. I saw what it did to my mother. The stress & trauma accelerated her death.		
273	24/10/17 11:23AM ID: 66240099	we live very near the Dilke so it is very convenient for us and our elderly, frail mum.		
274	24/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66247830	If you adopt your proposal (option 3) which appears to be a foregone conclusion, I will have to travel further, and more often outside the Forest, for my treatment. Option 2 is the best option for me and my family.		
275	24/10/17 2:08PM ID: 66252715	Option 1 - Definitely not acceptable Option 2 - Ideal for the community if funds and professionals could be available. Option 3 - As in question 3 Option 4 - Will only have a greater impact on a few people		
276	24/10/17 2:16PM ID: 66253201	concern about the amount of beds available and what provision exists for Gloucester patients who use Forest hospitals		
277	24/10/17 2:29PM ID: 66254586	If the new hospital provides a 24 hour A&E facility		

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278	24/10/17 2:40PM ID: 66254878	Personally I can walk to the Dilke, and would potentially NOT be able to walk to a new site. Personally and on a community level, none of the options assert a maternity unit or at least mid wife led birthing suite within the Forest, which is very important to us.		
279	24/10/17 4:04PM ID: 66262025	Re location from of hospital from Cinderford area would impact on accessibility for elderly relatives.		
280	24/10/17 5:12PM ID: 66266519	You could be moving my local hospital an extra 30 minutes away, having a good local small injusry unit has been very useful in my life and i dont want to exchange a 5min journey for a 35min journey if i crack my head open again!		
281	25/10/17 7:05AM ID: 66287542	We are more likely to have to go to Gloucester than we are now either for our own health or to visit relatives and friends in hospital.		
282	25/10/17 11:41AM ID: 66302794	how to get to hospital must a frequent bus service		
283	25/10/17 11:47AM ID: 66303313	Access to cinderford from Lydney is difficult for the elderly, young mums and disabled people who use buses, as it means a long wait at coleford		
284	26/10/17 9:45PM ID: 66388826	Loss off beds for locals		
285	27/10/17 8:55AM ID: 66397500	The proposed changes will result in a worse Forest health service.		
286	27/10/17 6:26PM ID: 66428209	Depending on the location of a new hospital it would mean considerable time and expense travelling to the hospital I don't think home/community based services would be adequate and may mean travelling to Gloucester for services		
287	27/10/17 9:32PM ID: 66433826	I have a young son and I know that I have a local hospital that I can take him to quickly if needed.		
288	28/10/17 3:10PM ID: 66452129	We need more and more accessable services locally		
289	28/10/17 10:31PM ID: 66461727	It is already Catastrophie, by having NO "On Call Doctors" in The Forest of Dean in the Evenings or Weekends... The Impact on Resources at Gloucester Royal Hospital or Out Of Hours! The traveling for The Forest of Dean Residents being a 40 Mile round trip & up to a 4-6 hour wait to see a Doctor at Gloucester Royal!		
290	30/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66505789	If appointment can be made at community hospital instead of travelling all the way to Gloucester		
291	30/10/17 10:05AM ID: 66506234	There is no information about who is paying for / funding the new hospital. Will it be PFI or government. Either way, the costs will come down to locals, though their taxes and local council tax. Therefore we want value for money, 24 beds, it will be out of date before its built.		
292	30/10/17 10:45AM ID: 66510935	Having two hospitals would be better for options of easy access for appointments and visiting minor injuries and visits to inpatients		
293	30/10/17 10:50AM ID: 66511485	If extra services available in the new hospital i.e ENT - May need regular micro suction, the new hospital would be closer than Gloucester Royal for me.		
294	30/10/17 10:51AM ID: 66511710	4 - Would cause all sorts of problems		
295	30/10/17 11:14AM ID: 66513346	Better access to care and provision of clinics and other services without having to go to Gloucester for some of these.		
296	30/10/17 1:03PM ID: 66521571	One community hospital means longer waiting queues and longer journeys		
297	30/10/17 1:20PM	Dilke Memorial Hospital is far nicer than Gloucester Royal and highly valued by Forest		

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	ID: 66522807	residents		
298	30/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66523163	No bus connection. When my husband was alive we were greatly helped by the rapid response teams. The "hospice at home" from Great Oaks and the out of hours GP services I cannot make use of outpatients services at the Dilke because bus routes only go to Gloucester		
299	30/10/17 5:00PM ID: 66541119	The sighting of the single community hospital would impact either positively or negatively - at present Lydney hospital is 5 mins away but travel to e.g. Undergoes would require a car. The biggest impact of having one hospital would be the reduction in beds. During recent dealings with an elderly relative, it became apparent that there were no beds available at any community hospital in Gloucestershire. This meant a longer stay in Gloucester Royal and him then being sent home too early and being readmitted. Since then, community-based services to help at home have been very slowly put in place and the waiting for physio is weeks.		
300	30/10/17 6:39PM ID: 66546535	Distance, inconvenience etc, unknown other factors as yet unknown		
301	30/10/17 6:50PM ID: 66547538	As already stated.		
302	31/10/17 9:43AM ID: 66574028	Yes I live near Lydney hospital so I can use it		
303	31/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66574491	Option 3 most viable		
304	31/10/17 11:59AM ID: 66600811	Tewkesbury has a Minor injuries hospital with inpatient care for acute cases and end of life. The Forest of Dean has nothing like this in one place. A diagnostic centre would ease pressure on GRH so would an outpatient service		
305	31/10/17 2:27PM ID: 66630368	A state of the art facility which avoids GRH		
306	31/10/17 3:29PM ID: 66638369	You are not listening to the views of the people of FOD, you are telling us what you think we should hear. A smaller hospital with less facilities instead of 2		
307	31/10/17 8:53PM ID: 66661633	Again your clever PR Department have couched the whole options thing as a huge nudge. Number 4 No one will want to get rid of our hospitals, So option 4 is just a joke. Number 1 says we will do nothing in essence, not very appealing Number 2 is the very best option but you say it is rejected so you then expect us to go willingly to your preferred option three, the PFI, bed halving, access problem ridden private profiteering rubbish. You are trying to fool us. Hands Off Our Hospitals, or build one that covers our needs a full Hospital (with surgery maternity etc), does not cut beds and is built and funded directly by the NHS/Government with no PFI, So all the limited options you offer are problematic to me and my family with the exception of number 2 which if the NHS had not been so deeply damaged by the incumbent governments ideology would I believe be the only rational and decent project under discussion.		
308	02/11/17 11:21AM ID: 66763373	The position of the new hospital needs to be carefully considered, and should be sited centrally at either Coleford or Cinderford to be equally accessible to all areas in the Forest. Lydney is not easily accessible without a car, and is on the periphery of the Forest.		
309	02/11/17 6:11PM ID: 66795692	We will have to travel to Gloucester for emergency treatment and quite possible for smaller injuries too		
310	02/11/17 7:00PM ID: 66796229	Unavailability of beds verses working in partnership, opportunities for bringing staff together, etc. I have used both Forest hospitals over the years and the staff have always managed		

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		<p>their Continuing Professional Development and been able to communicate appropriately with each other where necessary.</p> <p>As usual this initiative would necessitate more office work and ,ems patient care.</p>		
311	03/11/17 9:36AM ID: 66819241	It is easy to get to the hospitals. They are in lovely areas		
312	03/11/17 9:50AM ID: 66820084	Feel as if you have already made up your mind as to what is going to happen.		
313	03/11/17 9:53AM ID: 66820574	Option 4 would be completely impractical as would option 1 i.e doing the bare minimum		
314	03/11/17 9:59AM ID: 66820973	Option 2		
315	03/11/17 10:11AM ID: 66822272	Possible further travel to new centre		
316	03/11/17 10:21AM ID: 66823347	Option 3 - Single community hospital but to be backed by option 4 community based services. Easy to understand, fund and best for patients		
317	03/11/17 10:25AM ID: 66823702	The shortage of beds, when some are occupied by people from other parts of the county. Why so few beds?		
318	03/11/17 1:48PM ID: 66839787	I think some residents in the Forest of Dean may feel a single Community Hospital will lead to less beds and poorer access than they currently enjoy. While I do not necessarily share that view I can understand local concerns and it will be outcomes of this consultation that determine how well the new proposals are perceived.		
319	03/11/17 1:51PM ID: 66842648	Option 3 better in respects for everybody		
320	03/11/17 6:40PM ID: 66871524	Cant answer this as you have not yet said where you would propose to build		
321	04/11/17 8:50AM ID: 66893933	Maintaining the two existing sites will make travel easier than one central site. Public transport doesn't exist at present in surrounding villages, creating one central facility is going to compound this existing problem.		
322	04/11/17 7:37PM ID: 66915707	<p>It is likely to be a lot harder to travel to just ONE hospital, it will be further from where we live.</p> <p>There are likely to be less beds in one hospital.</p> <p>Older people will continue to have to travel to Gloucester Royal or Cheltenham.</p> <p>Not enough emphasis on travelling units to FoD hospitals to add to services, ie: breast check clinic</p>		
323	05/11/17 9:24AM ID: 66928291	People are used to the existing facilities and resist change. People are also very fond of the existing facilities - the Dilke is very homely and benefits greatly from the woodland setting.		
324	06/11/17 12:17PM ID: 66911009	Losing 2 very good and improvable existing facilities to be replaced by a new, very expensive single facility. There seems to be a great lack of imagination in the plans when it comes to making the Dilke and Lydney Hospital work!		
325	06/11/17 12:35PM ID: 66985167	no provision for maternity services		
326	06/11/17 12:39PM ID: 66985811	We could lose the reason why true foresters are here, the hundred of St Briavels - not Lydney		
327	06/11/17 12:47PM ID: 66986363	Potential disruption to services operating in and out of current hospitals during transition. New site in Cinderford would address concern		
328	06/11/17 12:51PM ID: 66987503	It would be ludicrous not to have any hospital at all		

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329	06/11/17 1:10PM ID: 66989778	Where is the maternity care? It is important babies can be born in the Forest of Dean - Foresters is more than a name		
330	06/11/17 1:21PM ID: 66990725	As I am in the order of population as elderly, I fell I need a hospital easily accessible for my family to visit if I should be ill. Bus routes as well as private vehicle access is needed		
331	07/11/17 8:41AM ID: 67048332	The impact of a single new hospital COULD result in a vast improvement in provision of health facilities in the forest. If done correctly it would also reduce the time/finance/resource involved in the need to be sent to/visit Cheltenham General or Gloucester Royal.		
332	07/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67077849	I think Lydney hospital and The Dilke are doing a fine job now		
333	08/11/17 12:04PM ID: 67146412	Could mean more travelling		
334	08/11/17 8:20PM ID: 67191830	I prefer to have two hospital ,becuase of the growing population of the Forest of Dean.If one new hospital was going to be built it should be in Lydne,has this is central and easier to get to		
335	08/11/17 10:21PM ID: 67185690	Possibility of losing a local hospital facility and the reduced levels of care that would entail.		
336	09/11/17 9:59AM ID: 67217691	If a single replacement hospital is chosen it must be located centrally to the Forest of Dean area		
337	09/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67218633	Question of Transport. how are old people expected to get to a new hospital without a car		
338	09/11/17 10:45AM ID: 67219046	Reduction on beds (No Maternity, minor surgery) only Endoscopy is mentioned several times I support option 2		
339	09/11/17 10:49AM ID: 67223320	Fewer beds - more people sent outside the area - Transport issues		
340	09/11/17 11:42AM ID: 67229249	The hospital should be in the Forest not on the edge or "gateway" Not to mention increased traffic in the town		
341	09/11/17 11:57AM ID: 67231247	Option 2 is the most agreeable. These hospitals were not provided by Government agencies, they were paid for by the local people for the local people		
342	09/11/17 1:03PM ID: 67239314	We may have to travel further for treatment. Gloucester could be more convenient		
343	09/11/17 1:09PM ID: 67240416	People in Lydney will be long way from a single hospital either as inpatient or visitor, especially if they have no car or are elderly Lydney people will have greater difficulties, I know as I live in a retirement complex there.		
344	09/11/17 1:19PM ID: 67241170	Lydney and Dilke both have space to upgrade current facilities and combined have double the bed space. With an ageing population bed space is going to be needed more than less		
345	09/11/17 1:25PM ID: 67238501	The proposed reduction of beds for a single site is a real concern. There appear to be no set criteria in prioritising the reduced number of beds for the residents of the Forest. This is based on my own experience when my mother, aged ninety seven, was initially admitted for a UTI at Gloucester Royal because there were no beds available in Lydney. She subsequently had to spend ten weeks in Gloucester Royal. This situation is clearly more likely to be repeated if there are less beds available.		
346	09/11/17 2:36PM ID: 67249425	Option 3 would provide a higher level of care for my family during the next 20 years		
347	09/11/17 4:13PM	their will not be enough beds for forest people and the cost of them being treated in		

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	ID: 67258842	Gloucester will impact of people being able to see their love ones due to the cost of fuel and parking		
348	10/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67320597	...'a greater impact on' = a particular concern for [me/others] ?? It's Option 3 of Section 9. All to do with accessibility and travel - especially when folks' driving days are over.		
349	10/11/17 2:08PM ID: 67335472	Put simply - Lydney hospital serves the South of the Forest, whilst the Dilke, the north. Increase in existing beds is needed, not a net reduction in the proposed scheme		
350	10/11/17 2:24PM ID: 67337157	Greater efficiency, better working conditions for staff, provision of a wider range of facilities, increased parking		
351	10/11/17 2:30PM ID: 67338399	Option 3 would provide the best service		
352	10/11/17 4:44PM ID: 67351959	1. Inadequate public transport to a new hospital if not in Lydney		
353	10/11/17 5:08PM ID: 67351651	As an elderly person it is all to do with travelling!		
354	10/11/17 8:29PM ID: 67366663	Option 3 appears sensible, but there must be public transport available to the site from all areas of the Forest of Dean		
355	11/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67384775	The Dilke is easily reached by car or bu.s from here		
356	11/11/17 6:15PM ID: 67402016	Option 3 seems sensible - local transport to the hospital is paramount		
357	12/11/17 10:30AM ID: 67420133	Hopefully more out patient Services would be provided in the Forest. Better Minor Injury services 24 hour access		
358	12/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67422438	Difficulty of travel if located in the forest. Cost of travel.		
359	13/11/17 12:00PM ID: 67472969	Losing part of the history of the forest		
360	13/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67468260	In the consultation document additional outpatient services are suggested, I understand that at present only approximately 36% usage of space in the outpatients department is used, therefore how will additional services be made available?		
361	13/11/17 2:33PM ID: 67488228	in one word detrimental		
362	13/11/17 7:32PM ID: 67515482	Relocation of either hospital will affect people living locally to it.		
363	13/11/17 9:32PM ID: 67522040	We do not want to lose our local hospitals. The population of the Forest of Dean us growing quickly, and in the a single hospital will not provide the care needed		
364	14/11/17 11:51AM ID: 67554742	The impact of only having one hospital would mean far less beds and we may have to travel further for treatment especially in an emergency		
365	14/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67557030	It is more than 30 minutes by car to Cinderford, Coleford and even more to Lydney from here		
366	14/11/17 12:16PM ID: 67557825	Will it make the ambulance response quicker and will there be A&E facilities		
367	14/11/17 12:23PM ID: 67558461	You will be providing fewer beds and the population of the area is growing by 6,000 households		
368	14/11/17 12:26PM	I think we should keep both hospitals open and invest the money for the new hospital		

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	ID: 67558811	into the old ones and do them up		
369	14/11/17 12:34PM ID: 67559017	suggested number of beds not enough		
370	14/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67559704	As previously stated, accessibility is by far the major problem for most people, particularly the elderly. Many elderly in-patients want to be as near their own homes as possible, partly so that their equally elderly friends and relatives can visit them.		
371	14/11/17 1:26PM ID: 67563717	Will have to pay for car parking		
372	14/11/17 1:51PM ID: 67564445	Option 4 would probably be a preferable to having no provision of any kind as community based care is now largely non existent		
373	14/11/17 1:55PM ID: 67566080	poor planning re accessibility for people without cars. Not acceptable to us as a family. We want local services with capacity for elderly respite beds		
374	14/11/17 5:14PM ID: 67582814	option 2 RE-DEVELOP our two community hospitals		
375	14/11/17 5:33PM ID: 67583923	option 2 keep both the 2 present hospitals		
376	14/11/17 5:39PM ID: 67584821	It is very obvious that any reduction in beds would impact on everybody in the county, never mind the forest of dean. Your figures show that the population is rising and there are more older people, where are they all going to go if there are less beds available ?		
377	14/11/17 5:56PM ID: 67585222	option 2 must maintain 2 hospitals if we really want to help sick people		
378	14/11/17 8:52PM ID: 67596258	Depends on where the new site will be. Still does not give us 24/7 and emergency care		
379	15/11/17 12:30PM ID: 67636179	<p>POSITIVE IMPACT: HOPEFULLY BETTER AND MORE SERVICES, WILL BE AVAILABLE, IN AN UP TO DATE VENUE. HAVING A MORE COST EFFECTIVE SITE, SHOULD RELEASE FUNDING FOR MORE SERVICES.</p> <p>NEGATIVE IMPACT: THERE MAY BE JOB LOSSES, FROM TWO HOSPITALS INTO ONE, SO I MAY LOSE MY JOB!</p>		
380	15/11/17 12:50PM ID: 67638210	The Forest needs a new purpose built unit.New technology,new state of the art equipment,good local travel links,spacious,fit for purpose,environmental friendly,bright and open.The Forest people deserve this.Enough of the old decrepit hospitals like something out of the ark!		
381	15/11/17 6:27PM ID: 67671390	Further to travel for lots of people and why change to a new building when just spent money on existing ones e.g. New X-ray dept		
382	16/11/17 8:25AM ID: 67699651	<p>We in tutshill are already discriminated against by being pusher into the sub standard NHS Wales.</p> <p>Not only do we need access to a GP pracitce in Glostershire we need continued access to local hospital.</p>		
383	16/11/17 12:17PM ID: 67719388	concerns over waiting times and availability for all health associated teams		
384	16/11/17 1:41PM ID: 67721913	If there is a single new hospital replacing the two existing hospitals, then there is at least a 2 in 3 chance that the new hospital will be in a location outside Lydney and therefore we will not have as easy access to it as we do now, living in Lydney. Additionally, if there is a new hospital with roughly half the number of beds as the current two hospitals, there is likely to be much greater pressure for those available beds in the Forest of Dean, given the ageing population and the construction of new homes in the area. This may well result in a greater likelihood of Forest residents having to travel outside the Forest to be treated.		
385	16/11/17 6:28PM	As an older person I think a new hospital would be better for me as I could make use of		

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	ID: 67748324	a number of services on one site. I think it would also be better for all age groups.		
386	17/11/17 6:16AM ID: 67768480	On new models of care is a maternity ward in the forest of dean		
387	17/11/17 8:14AM ID: 67771484	Improved service delivery		
388	17/11/17 11:01AM ID: 67783960	Better facilities as Dilke and Lydney are not fit for purpose.		
389	17/11/17 1:20PM ID: 67795447	The change of location is likely to increase my mileage to work as a GCS employee. MIIU facilities in only one location rather than 2 may result in longer journeys for friends and relatives to access services in time of need		
390	19/11/17 3:40AM ID: 67868464	Loss of the Dilke and Lydney hospitals which I and family members have visited numbers of times st all hours of the day and night for both emergency and routine treatments. The security of having these two local hospitals is invaluable .		
391	19/11/17 11:47AM ID: 67878106	A dwindling of services and a break down the the community hospitals already in place.		
392	20/11/17 10:50AM ID: 67920705	Public transport would need to be improved to access a new hospital		
393	20/11/17 11:02AM ID: 67921848	See above, also parking is of utmost importance (free at present) can more land be acquired?		
394	20/11/17 11:06AM ID: 67922093	Puts my life at risk - not acceptable		
395	20/11/17 11:16AM ID: 67923217	Far fewer beds and a growing population not just the elderly		
396	20/11/17 11:20AM ID: 67923371	We will be able to access better healthcare near to home. Very good idea and much need for the Forest of Dean		
397	20/11/17 11:25AM ID: 67923822	It takes us over 45 minutes to go to Lydney compared to 15 minutes to Dilke. Transport is very poor in this area		
398	20/11/17 11:39AM ID: 67925660	2 or 3 seem the most viable. Use the land we already have, extend the Dilke and improve our services		
399	20/11/17 11:42AM ID: 67925954	I agree we need a new hospital but it is a worry that there will be less beds with an increased ageing population		
400	20/11/17 11:46AM ID: 67926340	Loss of minor injury unit in Lydney would mean always having to wait up to 3 hours in Gloucester		
401	20/11/17 11:52AM ID: 67927141	Travel wise		
402	20/11/17 11:55AM ID: 67927341	Option 4 - would have a negative impact on most people and put more pressure on the large hospitals		
403	20/11/17 11:59AM ID: 67927701	The single community hospital would allow the people of the Forest of Dean to access modern local practical and efficient services closer to home, improving the experience and delivering new models of care in a suitable environment, less transport complications etc		
404	20/11/17 12:01PM ID: 67927945	Too little beds		
405	20/11/17 12:08PM ID: 67928796	Fewer beds, some will have to travel further		

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406	20/11/17 12:22PM ID: 67929369	The option of closure without replacement would put residents health and lives at risk. It would be a shame to lose the current hospitals but I appreciate that the sites have limited potential for improvements. I do not agree with a reduction in beds with the new facility.		
407	20/11/17 1:28PM ID: 67934952	A centrally based hospital in the district would be the fairest solution for the area and relief pressure on Gloucester Royal. We live on the edge of the area, Lydney is over 30 mins away whereas Gloucester is 20 minutes. Cinderford is most centrally located for the whole area. Cinderford is just about accessible by public transport, Lydney is not accessible by public transport at all. I think the loss of both hospitals would not be good for the area, especially the elderly and vulnerable.		
408	20/11/17 2:51PM ID: 67943862	Reduced beds for foresters is not an option. Also we want our families to be born in the forest. The Dilke has strong family connections to locals that should not be dismissed. Your just using this as excuse to initiate more cut backs.		
409	20/11/17 6:32PM ID: 67951985	The case against retaining provision at the two hospitals is not strong. Both are working well now and both could require improvement and/or replacement of existing buildings. Given the current transport infrastructure, both are necessary to provide for the Forest Area. Newent and the north FoD area gave good access to the GRH and Ledbury clinic. It is unhelpful that the consultation that the consultation does offer the option both to retain these two hospitals and an additional facility which will meet the identified additional needs.		
410	20/11/17 6:52PM ID: 67964055	People might have further to travel.		
411	20/11/17 8:50PM ID: 67970184	Less beds, with 2 hospitals more people will be closer to one or other of them.		
412	20/11/17 9:31PM ID: 67972425	New build is cheaper than renovation so I would hope would allow more money to provide better s rvices, equipment and staffing levels		
413	20/11/17 9:46PM ID: 67972448	Accessing help at the Dilke is easy for us. Lydney is quite a distance away, I don't drive, so if my partner were to be injured our only option would be to call the paramedics. Wouldn't it be cheaper for us to just roll up to the Dilke?! We have both had out patient appointments at the Dilke, and have both used the minor injuries unit. My partner's mother died there. We would like provision continued at the Dilke, please.		
414	20/11/17 11:09PM ID: 67975757	Closure of Lydney Hospital would mean that I would have to travel further to receive treatments currently provided there - without the physiotherapy department at Lydney, I would have suffered greatly throughout my pregnancy. The in- and out- patient departments are invaluable to the community of Lydney!		
415	21/11/17 6:39AM ID: 67984655	I think a new purpose built hospital with thought put into the services required for the area would be of great benefit to the people living in the Forest of Dean. I understand the history of the local hospitals especially The Dilke and hope that there is some way of transferring the loyalty and community ownership that goes with this hospital.		
416	21/11/17 6:49AM ID: 67984871	Moving the new facility to Cinderford with its poor road network is madness		
417	21/11/17 8:31AM ID: 67987636	Again I point out the lack of public transport to enable patients to travel to and from the hospital especially the elderly.		
418	21/11/17 9:31AM ID: 67993018	We cant get to GRH we can only get to the Dilke. We love the Dilke, its special. you should be ashamed of your lies		
419	21/11/17 9:43AM ID: 67995624	Availability for access		
420	21/11/17 9:56AM ID: 67996696	Detrimental. Too far to travel, no guarantee of same coverage of health care		
421	21/11/17 10:02AM	To builders		

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	ID: 67997154	New Accident and Emergency 24/7 To cover Forest of Dean in Cinderford Large Hospitals - Urgent By 2018 - Urgent		
422	21/11/17 10:24AM ID: 67997738	Not knowing where the proposed new hospital location would be. Reduction of beds all single wards no communal wards where patients at presence in the absence of staff will help one another and will contact same if they are required. Bed blocking at the two main hospitals Gloucester and Cheltenham patients waiting up a fortnight for a vacant bed in Lydney and Dilke hospitals		
423	21/11/17 11:02AM ID: 68002834	Depending on where facilities are, we may or may not be able to use them.		
424	21/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68003760	This is not something that can be determined until the site location for option 3 is determined. I prefer option 2 or 1		
425	21/11/17 12:09PM ID: 68007840	Option 1 appears to leave the area with inferior facilities. Option 2 - if it could be provided, with all the necessary services, would be the best. More people in easy reach of the facilities. Option 3 needs to be strategically located. Option 4 definitely unsatisfactory and would lead to more privatisation.		
426	21/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68016351	The proposed new hospital, wherever built will inconvenience much of the population, and will lose beds which are already too few		
427	21/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68017634	3 is logical because of economies of scale so long as it has the capacity to cope with the demand. our GP practice cant cope so the community hospital is the only option but if understaffed we will have no where to so		
428	21/11/17 1:50PM ID: 68019262	Either option 2 or 3 needs to be taken. We have used the A&E department at Dilke and the beds at the Dilke and Lydney countless times. My nan and gran died at the Dilke		
429	21/11/17 2:59PM ID: 68024539	Difficulty in getting to hospital. One hospital would be attended more than several!		
430	21/11/17 8:52PM ID: 68054607	Haven't received a booklet		
431	22/11/17 3:33AM ID: 68068152	No change or close both hospitals means service stagnation or cuts		
432	22/11/17 12:56PM ID: 68099023	The establishment of one new facility within the Forest would secure our future health care without the difficulties of travelling longer distances for diagnostic tests etc. We currently also find it very hard to obtain appointments at any of the 4 centres, so hope this would be relieved.		
433	22/11/17 3:30PM ID: 68111881	I would hope that a new hospital will safeguard services locally and bring more services to the Forest. We need more joined up care and I believe that will only be possible if we have new facilities in the area. A new hospital should be able to provide better care, better staffing levels and adequate beds to meet the needs of a growing population and its increasing needs. In conjunction with more care at home we could greatly reduce the need to travel to Gloucester for diagnostics and treatment.		
434	22/11/17 4:32PM ID: 68112259	I agree that a single hospital should be available in the Forest of Dean to serve this growing, yet ageing, community. Many cannot travel to Gloucester for therapies, weekly treatments and the like. A local centre for advice on health issues and minor procedures and minor accidents is needed. GPs are stretched but who does one see at weekends? It is wrong use of emergency services and of funding to call an ambulance to go to Gloucester when issues could be dealt with locally. What healthcare staff, because of their knowledge, deem usual for the condition may seem an emergency for patients because of their lack of understanding of the situation. FOD residents need to have confidence that there is somewhere locally where their needs are met and the best advice given.		
435	22/11/17 5:58PM	The table shown in section nine is subjective, questionable and highly misleading		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
	ID: 68122238	Speaking as an analyst, tge best way to describe that table is self serving propaganda. Happy to discuss further if required.		
436	22/11/17 7:29PM ID: 68132322	Option 3 - The location of a new building will impact residents who have to travel further, and will impact those who do not drive in particular. If car parking were to stop being free, this could seriously impact those residents who do drive, whether attending an appointment, driving a relative to an appointment, or visiting someone.		
437	22/11/17 7:57PM ID: 68135180	why built one hospital when we already have two perfectly good ones, also one hospital will less staff		
438	22/11/17 8:00PM ID: 68134896	A loss of beds to the two areas would be tragic.dilke already have to move people on as soon as a place can be found or support found to a return home. More people will be pushed from pillar to post due to lack of beds.		
439	22/11/17 10:09PM ID: 68143986	Bedlam		
440	22/11/17 11:26PM ID: 68147432	Nos 1& 4 would be very bad. Nos 2&3 would give us access to the care we need		
441	23/11/17 3:56AM ID: 68151774	Negative		
442	23/11/17 9:55AM ID: 68165612	We live in Mitcheldean, so if Lydney is picked this would be further away from us than Gloucester. So it would be more convenient to go to Gloucester Hospital.		
443	23/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68166310	A single, purpose-built hospital would provide myself, my family and the residents of the Forest with the facilities required to deliver safe, good quality healthcare.		
444	23/11/17 10:23AM ID: 68167250	Limited beds and distance needed to travel to hospital in Newent could mean the difference between life and death for the older members of my family.		
445	23/11/17 10:45AM ID: 68171808	We need a good hospital here that would cater for the needs of the people living out in the sticks....it's a long way to Glos Hospital and equally as far to Hereford Hospital...creating more jobs too		
446	23/11/17 12:51PM ID: 68182828	We already use The Dilke considerably for appointments with specialists and for x rays etc as it is closer than travelling into Gloucester . My husband has COPD and sometimes needs critical care. I'm concerned that this might not be available from the new hospital.		
447	23/11/17 1:04PM ID: 68184427	I realise decisions have to be made but what you decide is in the benefit of the public but we all matter.		
448	23/11/17 1:08PM ID: 68185173	A new hospital (on a new site) is option most likely to allow 21st century practice and use of equipment		
449	23/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68185359	Develop current hospitals on present sites		
450	23/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68185433	Currently the Dilke is within a manageable driving distance. If the new hospital were located further north towards Cinderford it would greatly impact my ability to get there and back, especially in the winter.		
451	23/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68187356	If a new hospital is built in Coleford or Lydney, we have effectively lost our local hospital and will have to travel to Gloucester		
452	23/11/17 1:36PM ID: 68187842	I believe the Dilke and Lydney hospitals provide better services and are more accessible than 1 single hospital		
453	23/11/17 1:39PM ID: 68188517	A single community hospital would suit me and my family		
454	23/11/17 1:45PM ID: 68188937	Unless you build new hospital in Lydney, there will be no public transport to reach it. Old ill people don't all have cars.		

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455	23/11/17 4:01PM ID: 68202139	Transport. Unless there is a designated shuttle bus to and from the hospital, then I do not believe going from two down to one hospital will benefit my family. My relatives are ageing, so the ability to choose which hospital to visit is a huge factor and benefit.		
456	23/11/17 4:13PM ID: 68201066	Community services in the home are not right for a great deal of services. Both sites cannot be redeveloped as they should in these old buildings.		
457	23/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68208184	Less ability to access hospitals, less available appointments		
458	23/11/17 4:54PM ID: 68210200	Dependant on where the new unit will be, some will have to travel further		
459	23/11/17 5:16PM ID: 68208067	In my view this exercise is designed to achieve what is planned and does not reflect the real wants and needs of the residents it claims to serve. It reminds me mostly of the banks drive towards mechanisation in the face of resistance from their customers. God forgive we should give the customer what they want. I am fully aware that I am representative of the older age group who did nothing but pay their taxes and national insurance throughout their entire working lives. Who were promised throughout that they would be looked after in their old age. We are the only group that can say they have been robbed of everything that was promised and now face an uncertain future. There is no promised land and what we will get is what the budget says we can have so whatever way you want to wrap it up limiting yourselves to only one option means that there will only be one option.		
460	23/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68224481	If I have to use Gloucester again (and I have managed to avoid using it for many years) I will no doubt find the delays and some strange order of events very frustrating. I'll give you a example. The last time I visited Gloucester was for an X-ray and a visit to a consultant. I was asked to arrive at least half an hour early which I did and followed the procedure as recommended. I waited over 2 hours before I was seen and was told I needed to have X-ray. I enquired as to the delay in getting the X-ray and was told it was over an hour. I enquired if I could at least get the X-ray done at the Dilke. This was given the OK and so I drove to the Dilke, had the X-ray and was home in less than an hour. In all I wasted nearly half a day with the Gloucester visit.		
461	23/11/17 9:30PM ID: 68226270	Public transport issues - it is not always possible to travel between Forest towns by public transport due to a lack of services. This will be a particular issue for older people and also the most disadvantaged who must rely solely on public transport that does not exist. Location will be key.		
462	23/11/17 9:51PM ID: 68227454	We would no longer have a care facility close by. We would also lose a lot of our history and heritage. The dilke was built by local miners for local people. It should stay that way.		
463	23/11/17 10:32PM ID: 68229189	If this is the decision I hope the new hospital would be at Lydney this appears to be the best locality for serving most of the forest mainly due to accessibility		
464	23/11/17 10:34PM ID: 68229369	Travel time would increase, waiting at the hospital would increase. We need the 2 hospitals		
465	23/11/17 10:36PM ID: 68229651	A new hospital should be easily accessed for all of the forest. Therefore Lydney appears to be the best option		
466	23/11/17 10:56PM ID: 68229867	Unable to get beds for ageing population.plus		
467	23/11/17 11:15PM ID: 68231190	Too many people in the F.O.D for this to work. Having to travel to Gloucester when A&E is shut is to far		

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468	24/11/17 5:26PM ID: 68280677	A single Community Hospital would mean that people would have to travel quite a distance, taking into account that public transport in the Forest is very limited. Cannot see any advantage of having a single Community Hospital whatsoever - especially one so small - at great expense. We really need an Accident and Emergency Department in the Forest - considering the distance to Gloucester from some of the outlying areas.		
469	25/11/17 12:39AM ID: 68296343	Need more beds and need to be central to the forest with two routs to glos hospital to many accidents on the a48 and road closeures		
470	25/11/17 10:58AM ID: 68305271	We will have further to travel to get to a local minor injuries service as they have already closed the service in Chepstow.		
471	25/11/17 8:14PM ID: 68322253	the impact of retaining both hospitals on the Forest of Dean would be to deprive the people of a modern fit for purpose unit		
472	25/11/17 9:25PM ID: 68323831	The opportunity to gain treatment in a local, smaller hospital, rather than attending GRH		
473	26/11/17 9:30AM ID: 68332356	1. A new hospital, with appropriate facilities, would lessen travelling time to hospital. I have had to travel to GRH in an ambulance (broken bones/pneumonia) and know what this experience is like. A new hospital would save money in ambulance and travelling time; it would free up ED facilities in Gloucester; it would provide a speedier response to emergencies - if it has the appropriate facilities and staff. 2. I do recognise that the current two hospitals are not going to be adequate in the future and agree that an alternative provision must be made. However, as I have explained, the two current hospitals must not be disposed of. 3. Providing more support to people in their own homes is an excellent idea. As I get older this is very pertinent.		
474	26/11/17 5:11PM ID: 68348185	There is a need for a local hospital		
475	26/11/17 7:36PM ID: 68352582	There are minor injury facilities in the existing hospitals and these have proved themselves invaluable on a number of occasions and have dealt with my families particular issues both efficiently and professionally. It seems that this service may not be available in the new facility. The new hospital will have single private wards, which is fine in certain circumstances, but often the ward system enables patients to look out for each other particularly when staff are stretched and are not always on hand to assist.		
476	26/11/17 8:50PM ID: 68355431	More travel, more pollution from the travelling. Further away from home. In an area with limited public transport having a hospital further away from home will have a negative effect especially for the elderly.		
477	26/11/17 10:52PM ID: 68358247	The Dilke hospital is 15 minutes travel for our family (which includes 2 young children). We have used it many times in an emergency and for routine appointments. Travelling at least 30 minutes for help with a sick young child is cruel and unnecessary. You say you do not have enough money to provide 2 hospitals but it is incredibly unfair to penalise Forest of Dean residents simply because of their postcode.		
478	26/11/17 11:24PM ID: 68359320	As an aging member of this community I feel that it is very likely that I will be needing services more in the future		
479	27/11/17 1:37AM ID: 68360934	Alter the way that the Dilke building is utilised by all means but please, please do not lose it altogether. Located in between Cinderford and Coleford, both major local population centres, the Dilke site is the ideal location for local service provision. Lydney residents would greatly prefer to have to travel to the existing Dilke site than all the way to Gloucester especially as the A48 will be affected by flooding in future decades from coastal inundations.		
480	27/11/17 10:38AM ID: 68382447	Combining them within the bounds of the FoD would improve the quality of service.		
481	27/11/17 10:45AM ID: 68383031	If there is a single community hospital that is less accessible by public transport and has less facilities		

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482	27/11/17 10:52AM ID: 68383505	New community hospital using existing site in Lydney. Town growing in size in next 10 years. Better transport link road and rail		
483	27/11/17 11:01AM ID: 68384151	Very poorly phrased question. no idea what you are getting at.		
484	27/11/17 11:03AM ID: 68385037	option 3 to develop a new community will better serve us all		
485	27/11/17 11:10AM ID: 68385255	As a Newent resident, the Dilke location was convenient for CAR access		
486	27/11/17 11:14AM ID: 68385925	Some people might have to travel further to get to a hospital and the bus services are not reliable		
487	27/11/17 11:17AM ID: 68386231	Nearly all my treatment has to be dealt with at Cheltenham or Gloucester and would be easier for me if I could get treatment in forest hospital		
488	27/11/17 11:20AM ID: 68386533	Option 3 is the best but there must be enough beds for all needs of Forest Patients. I feel unhappy about the news that there might be less beds available than there are at present		
489	27/11/17 11:24AM ID: 68386762	My family currently access services at both sites and find them perfectly adequate. travelling tome would be increased with single site option		
490	27/11/17 11:58AM ID: 63837436	If both are closed then this could prove difficult for the 2 towns losing a hospital, especially due to poor transport links in Coleford and Cinderford if the new super facility was to be relocated to one of those places.		
491	27/11/17 12:01PM ID: 63840201	dependent upon where the hospital would be situated it would be less accessible, it would mean we would feel less involved as we have been with the Dilke and Lydney hospitals due to the community feel to both these hospitals.		
492	27/11/17 12:06PM ID: 63843425	less access to hostpitals		
493	27/11/17 12:08PM ID: 63845353	I would have to travel much further for treatments xray etc wit out the meanswer to there apart from expensive taxis. Each family member has chronic health conditions that need train the local area.		
494	27/11/17 12:09PM ID: 63846724	This is a really confusing question and I have no idea what you mean!		
495	27/11/17 12:11PM ID: 63847800	Inadequate public transport		
496	27/11/17 12:14PM ID: 63849988	Unknown at this point		
497	27/11/17 12:17PM ID: 63854786	Removing the minor injuries unit from cinderford would have a big impact. It is the largest town in the area and as such needs this facility.		
498	27/11/17 12:19PM ID: 63857201	As previously commented. Travel distance should be taken in to account. The forest is a big area and two sites need to be maintained.		
499	27/11/17 12:25PM ID: 63874843	We have a great community here in the forest,and many local people work in the Dilke.		
500	27/11/17 12:28PM ID: 63889492	further for people to travel for MIU if only one site used for many of the FOD residents		
501	27/11/17 12:29PM ID: 63890343	I don't drive! Where is this new hospital going to be. At the moment it's easy to get to Dilke on the bus from where I live, even a taxi is easy and not too expensive.		
502	27/11/17 12:35PM ID: 63915987	A single community hospital with modern facilities will serve all residents of the forest for now and in the future		
503	27/11/17 12:37PM	Read previous comment		

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	ID: 63925566			
504	27/11/17 12:38PM ID: 63927007	Further distance to travel. Decrease in bed numbers is unacceptable.		
505	27/11/17 12:39PM ID: 63936313	More difficulty travelling to the new hospital.. reduced chances of moving from glos royal to a local hospital..further travelling to visit inpatients.		
506	27/11/17 12:42PM ID: 63994917	Getting to this new hospital. I live close to one and use it. I'm limited mobility and and not able to travel and moreover, we do not have bus services in place. Standard of care. I have worked in two large general hospitals and have seen standard of care slip due to high volume of patients. I have used both Lydney and Dilke and know of many who have and can't fault the care provided.		
507	27/11/17 12:42PM ID: 63997405	Less services, further to travel, isolation		
508	27/11/17 12:43PM ID: 64051659	Travelling distance and in effect less capacity to cope with patient load		
509	27/11/17 12:45PM ID: 64123803	I think it should be built in coleford because it's more central in the forest plus it has more roads to gloucester lydney has only got the a48 which is closed a lot for accidents and coleford has access to more roads to gloucester and better bus services plus I think we should have more services provided in the new hospital think you should offer more minor operations and chemo for people		
510	27/11/17 12:45PM ID: 64142765	Think we should have more beds not less		
511	27/11/17 12:46PM ID: 64175016	It is bad enough now with waiting times etc to see doctors, have x-rays etc. With only one hospital I do not see how this can improve.		
512	27/11/17 12:50PM ID: 64835528	Less local access to health care provision, especially in cases of emergency. As it is Lydney Hospital has reduced it's hours.		
513	27/11/17 12:58PM ID: 65118287	Having the one location could make it harder to access the health care depending on where the site is situated and what public transport links are available - I understand that this cannot be discussed/released until after a decision has been made but I think this is a crucial point for patients and those visiting them. Having the community outreach programmes and having the healthcare professionals go out to the patients may be better in some situations if the patient is unable to leave the house but not necessarily in need the care/attention that they would receive in the hospital.		
514	27/11/17 12:58PM ID: 65232749	More and better services and more chance of being dealt with locally		
515	27/11/17 12:59PM ID: 65419762	Having the outreach service would be really helpful to those who need to the treatment and are not able or easily able to reach the hospital but do not need to care or attention to warrant being an inpatient.		
516	27/11/17 1:02PM ID: 66055397	I would prefer to use a community hospital for out-patient and minor injury services (at present we use the Dilke for these when possible) and so easy access to these services is essential. As we get older and my husband especially may have greater needs I would hope that the new hospital is within easy reach.		
517	27/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66172599	My son has a genetic disorder which means he needs to access services locally		
518	27/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66207515	Availability of beds, ease of getting there		
519	27/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66218860	The impact would be enormous. No direct route to a single hospital building and inevitable trips to Gloucester cause undue stress at urgent times when my family need care from the NHS.		

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520	27/11/17 1:04PM ID: 66227727	Travel to Glos & Cheltenham if nothing local, meaning more time off work & extra travel costs. Need new hospital AND joined up thinking in GP surgeries & health centres. Currently some procedures done @ Newent. Need to do other procedures @ other centres, BUT make sure that public transport accommodates; e.g.. no buses from Coleford to Newent.		
521	27/11/17 1:04PM ID: 66300508	Already explained in previous question.		
522	27/11/17 1:05PM ID: 66332753	I do think that it may be nice to think of a new hospital but from where I live in Ruardean I think that it is far more central to me at the Dilke hospital than any of the other possible choices.		
523	27/11/17 1:10PM ID: 67095854	With The Forest of Dean growing very quickly it's a concern about the amount of beds and facilities discussed in the new hospital, also would be good to know about Care Packages put in place. It's also a concern about the position of the new hospital as when there are clinics the Forest of Dean can get snow and can be very difficult to get there. Also administration should be stepped up as my husband had an outpatients appointment at Lydney and when we got there the whole clinic had been cancelled (due to new system)		
524	27/11/17 1:14PM ID: 67526890	I may be required to cross the Forest to Lydney.		
525	27/11/17 1:15PM ID: 67733034	The forest needs to be able to be self sufficient without the need to travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham. Therefore there should be enough facilities for the area that is covers. Plenty of beds, doctors, nurses. medical needs etc.		
526	27/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67768338	Support new models of care .. A maternity ward in the forest of dean		
527	27/11/17 1:22PM ID: 67998495	More inconvenient and almost half the number of beds		
528	27/11/17 1:22PM ID: 68000070	This is not something that can be determined until the site location for option 3 is determined. I prefer option 2 or 1		
529	27/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68134078	Too far to travel for no increase in service.		
530	27/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68218197	Clinical impact is hard to assess with the information provided, however, the way that the consultation has been set up (without addressing how we can provide resilient and sustainable local community arrangements which are a true partnership between citizens, communities, and the services and professionals we fund), has divided opinion in the district. If a new hospital is built, the question of the location will set communities in competition with each other to be the location successful in having a hospital within easy reach.		
531	27/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68239888	Currently I am able to drive but as I get older and might not. Be able to drive to have to attend hospital on a bus would be daunting.no where has a good bus service and both hospitals are up hills. A new hospital with a bus service and good access is essential.		
532	27/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68250046	As per previous answer. Increasing our exposure to danger.		
533	27/11/17 1:37PM ID: 68347499	There is a need for hospital provision in some form		
534	27/11/17 1:54PM ID: 68401433	I believe that option 4 is NOT an option. A community hospital in the Forest is paramount to the community		
535	27/11/17 1:56PM	If there are more services available for us at one hospital in the forest then it is more		

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	ID: 68401712	advantageous for us		
536	27/11/17 2:01PM ID: 68401715	Option 4 - we need to keep local hospitals. not all illnesses can be treated at home and GRH is overfull		
537	27/11/17 2:09PM ID: 68402751	Fewer beds will mean fewer chances of being nursed and have consultations here in the forest.		
538	27/11/17 2:13PM ID: 68403539	Option 3 is most beneficial to bring services together		
539	27/11/17 2:17PM ID: 68404133	Other: Depending where the new hospital will be situated		
540	27/11/17 2:23PM ID: 68404579	The Lydney hospital is convenient for where I presently live		
541	27/11/17 2:28PM ID: 68405009	Because at present the Lydney hospital is about 300 yards from my home and I have visited the A&E 3 times in the last year. I no longer drive		
542	27/11/17 5:11PM ID: 68423054	Any change would be bound to have an i		
543	27/11/17 5:36PM ID: 68425582	Reducing the number of beds in a new hospital will mean it is more likely that people will have to travel further to get treatment.		
544	27/11/17 5:40PM ID: 68426525	Being elderly you would need the hospital close		
545	27/11/17 9:13PM ID: 68442893	Why not use the existing facilities and update them. Lots of people use both hospitals, they are situated at equal ends of the forest for people to be able to use the facilities		
546	27/11/17 9:29PM ID: 68443771	Travel - family members can currently walk to Lydney.		
547	27/11/17 10:17PM ID: 68446397	Already made my point.		
548	27/11/17 10:43PM ID: 68447707	Closer and easier access to a hospital without traveling to Gloucester. Would love to see a maternity ward in the new hospital to allow for the free miner tradition to stay a relevant, a tradition of the area that is dying out!		
549	28/11/17 7:42AM ID: 68458094	option 4, complete disaster leading to a stream of residents going to Gloucester and overburdening the service there.		
550	28/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68467843	Reduced beds mean even less chance of admission within the forest area, so difficult for family visits. And also several hours on transport when discharged		
551	28/11/17 10:11AM ID: 68469429	Unless the single new hospital is in the centre of the area, it will not be of use to people in the north of the Forest		
552	28/11/17 10:45AM ID: 63840516	You have a huge area in the forest of dean and this hospital will not have a birth unit why not ? Also will this new hospital have a A&E , the ambulance station on little will that still remain ?		
553	28/11/17 10:59AM ID: 68468729	The big cut in bed numbers - 18 months ago my brother had to wait a week for a transfer from Gloucester to Lydney even with the present bed numbers - and I'm not convinced or really understand how a move to only private rooms will cut waiting time for a bed and give priority to locals He was a very sociable person who was unable, due to learning difficulties, to read or 'entertain' himself and particularly benefitted from company when on a ward Difficulty in reaching a local hospital in the centre of the Forest (if that's what decided)		
554	28/11/17 11:02AM ID: 64018044	Local services of a higher quality, with far more longevity than continuation and development of the two current hospitals		
555	28/11/17 12:43PM ID: 68485207	Don't understand the question		

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556	28/11/17 12:55PM ID: 68486122	Option 2 would be better 2 hospitals for different locations in the forest		
557	28/11/17 1:11PM ID: 68487139	It depends where the new hospital is built. buses here are few and far between, it could take all day to get to and from hospital		
558	28/11/17 2:05PM ID: 68489803	We cant just jump in a car and go here or there. We CAN get to the Dilke quickly and easily		
559	28/11/17 2:15PM ID: 68493533	I don't have a car but I can get to the Dilke easily and its a fantastic facility. Why are you ??		
560	28/11/17 5:40PM ID: 68509354	<p>Inevitably, any provision of hospital facilities at a single new site would disadvantage those Forest residents living furthest away from that site.</p> <p>Against the backdrop of an increasing Forest population, any proposal to reduce the number of available in-patient beds will have the potential to seriously disadvantage the Forestbpopulation as a whole.</p>		
561	28/11/17 5:50PM ID: 68511309	Distance and difficulty with public transport.		
562	28/11/17 8:35PM ID: 68521086	Plea refer to page one		
563	28/11/17 10:43PM ID: 68525896	<p>This question is worded extremely badly . There are four options:</p> <p>option 1 : maintain compliance - this would affect me in that the facilities are admittedly limited and aging.</p> <p>option 2 :redevelop both community hospitals - this would be beneficial for me obviously.</p> <p>option 3 : A single community hospital. I would agree this would be beneficial IF AND ONLY IF it was on the Dilke site. However this would probably be impractical so option 2 is preferred.</p> <p>Option 4 : No this would be very bad, I do not agree at all with this one, it would make me very nervous about living in the FOD (as does option 1.)</p>		
564	29/11/17 9:03AM ID: 68540953	<p>Access to only one hospital in the Forest will be limited particularly as it is at the far end of the Forest in relation to our current location.</p> <p>Access to two hospitals would give us greater flexibility.</p>		
565	29/11/17 9:24AM ID: 68543075	Travel journey to Gloucester		
566	29/11/17 10:20AM ID: 68549940	<p>The plans seem to have less beds, for patients that need just basic care and not acute nursing.</p> <p>No theatres for minor ops, which would save acute hospital time and traveling.</p> <p>Good to have more access to xrays, etc rather than having to travel.</p>		
567	29/11/17 12:30PM ID: 68563512	Many patients (especially elderly) have expressed concern with loosing both Lydney Hospital and The Dilke Hospital as they are on their doorsteps(Lydney)... and they have given financial donations over the years in support.They also have sentimental attachements to both hospitals due to friends family and loved ones who spent time in the hospitals.		
568	29/11/17 12:41PM ID: 68564368	To have a facility, built to modern clinical standards enabling easier access, cheaper maintenance and allowing services to be expanded thereby reducing the need to travel to Gloucester or Tewksbury would be of benefit to the whole community. Some users may have to travel short distances depending upon location but that is no different to how things are now; one may be required to go to either Dilke or Lydney depending on service.		
569	29/11/17 2:55PM ID: 68576457	The impact would be a poorer medical coverage		
570	29/11/17 3:41PM ID: 68582472	dependent on the location of the new hospital we may have to incur increased travel time to access resources however an increase in the variety of services offered will be		

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571	29/11/17 5:32PM ID: 68589304	I am attracted by the idea of having more services closer to home, ie in the Forest.		
572	29/11/17 7:09PM ID: 68595739	Up to date facility for our local care		
573	29/11/17 9:03PM ID: 68607787	Location; Cinderford would be preferred and would help to regenerate the area		
574	29/11/17 9:32PM ID: 68609549	Elderly couples separated - public transport is not reliable.		
575	29/11/17 10:07PM ID: 68612011	availability of services		
576	29/11/17 10:27PM ID: 68612377	if option three is accepted then my previous concerns about its location still stand		
577	30/11/17 6:17AM ID: 68623273	We would have to travel further. There will be less beds for the increasing population		
578	30/11/17 7:33AM ID: 68625377	As a retired, old age pensioner, I am likely to need more minor medical care services in the future. A new state-of-the art hospital is much more likely to be able to provide me with those services and prevent lengthier journeys outside of the area. This is likely to apply to a growing elderly population in the FoD.		
579	30/11/17 7:50AM ID: 68626520	I agree we need a hospital in the Forest so the option of no hospital would mean I would have to travel more		
580	30/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68644907	Travel time in emergency and visiting journey		
581	30/11/17 12:11PM ID: 68649559	Transport is a vital issue		
582	30/11/17 12:14PM ID: 68649719	The new hospital won't have as many beds and it will depend on where its located		
583	30/11/17 12:36PM ID: 68650415	Clearly if the hospital is moved away from Lydney, there will be no local facility		
584	30/11/17 1:04PM ID: 68654178	There may be no bed available when and if the need arises		
585	30/11/17 1:22PM ID: 68655462	Have not seen booklet yet		
586	30/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68655912	Bus travel in the Forest is poor. One bus an hour is best for one route only from Lydney		
587	30/11/17 1:43PM ID: 68657717	The Forester will not get a bed (only outsiders)		
588	30/11/17 1:54PM ID: 68659028	Transport situation is pretty dire and cost of even subsidised travel is not cheap		
589	30/11/17 2:13PM ID: 68659831	Any new hospital must be up and running before the present hospitals are closed. The new hospital must have more not fewer beds. .		
590	30/11/17 2:25PM ID: 68661375	Option 4 would result in a significant loss of facilities for the forest and despite the intention of investing in community and home care, would often require further travelling to Gloucester or Cheltenham for appointments		
591	30/11/17 3:19PM ID: 68666846	Option 4 would have a drastic effect on health care for all FOD residents. Option 1 risks gradual degradation of provision.		
592	30/11/17 4:19PM	When enduring any medical issue be it accident and injury, giving birth or general		

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	ID: 68671687	illness residents of the FoD are punished further by having to suffer the stress of travelling long distances and of exorbitant parking costs. Also the volume of traffic on Forest roads would be reduced with a decent new facility as fewer NHS staff living in the Dean would have to travel too.		
593	30/11/17 5:09PM ID: 68676449	Beds not enough . Travelling		
594	30/11/17 5:50PM ID: 68679235	With the population increase especially in Lydney, there will be a need for many more beds in the area of the A48 corridor. As a 75 year old long term cancer sufferer I will need dedicated local services.		
595	30/11/17 6:59PM ID: 68684197	Bed numbers need increasing for the future. travelling on the forest roads now takes longer due to more population and more cars hospitals sometimes need to be accessed quickly, two location will always be better than one.		
596	30/11/17 8:03PM ID: 68688474	I can bet that any new hospital would not be in Cinderford as that is always the way it goes. Which means my family would have to travel further for healthcare. The Dilke was built there for a reason - it is in the heart of the Forest.		
597	30/11/17 8:10PM ID: 68689290	Bad if reduction in number of beds Good if the new hospital can offer a wider range of services than the limited offer of Lydney and the Dilke		
598	30/11/17 8:41PM ID: 68690599	Less available beds for local people ..		
599	30/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68691841	Having to travel distance through the forest to reach hospital. Losing a job, as I will be unable to get to the new facility by transport.		
600	30/11/17 9:19PM ID: 68690988	Opt 4 is unthinkable and for my family the absence of a minor injury unit would be a massive backwards step. Opt 3 offers the best opportunity for improved services and a wider range of services reducing the requirement for frequent and expensive trips to Gloucester and then addition time out of school this may involve for children. The other options are unlikely to offer any improvement.		
601	30/11/17 10:04PM ID: 68692660	Transport problems , obviously we do not know yet where the proposed new hospital will be sited. Also there is the question of the decrease in the number of beds. It is absolutely ridiculous to spend 11 million pounds on a new hospital with so few beds. I am afraid that all you people sitting up ther in your offices have not got a clue about the practicalities of the day to day running of a community hospital.		
602	01/12/17 10:43AM ID: 68719983	Travel to Gloucester was be inconvenient.		
603	01/12/17 11:37AM ID: 68724201	The idea of not having to travel to Gloucester for an appointment meaning less travel.		
604	01/12/17 1:13PM ID: 68732388	Option 3 will provide better future facilities		
605	01/12/17 10:16PM ID: 68769636	Cost of travel and parking. Stress of arranging and paying for transport. Knowledge that loved ones are miles away.		
606	02/12/17 12:10AM ID: 68776184	We would have to travel further. Our son copes much better in The Dilke than elsewhere. Staff know us which is very helpful and greatly helps our well being. To us The Dilke is an excellent centre that just needs some investment.		
607	02/12/17 4:20PM ID: 68801190	As we are getting older we need a hospital in easy reach		
608	02/12/17 4:25PM ID: 68801473	We need a local Hospital in the Forest		
609	02/12/17 5:03PM	We need a hospital in the Forest of Dean but we need to look to the future - ideally I		

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	ID: 68802747	would want to keep two but I understand why this is not possible. I am disappointed that people are so stuck in the past and are seeing this as an opportunity to make political points and not think about the future for our children		
610	02/12/17 7:36PM ID: 68807234	<p>Option 1 would lead to a steadily deteriorating service for everyone as it is acknowledged that the existing buildings are inadequate and getting less suitable for modern care methods.</p> <p>Option 4 deprives the forest area of quality hospital residential care. When such care is needed, almost everyone would be further from home, inconveniencing friends and relatives, and concentrates services in city hospitals that are busy enough and scarcely have sufficient parking.</p>		
611	02/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68808261	The closing of the 2 hospitals will cause a huge amount of upset as human beings - especially elderly ones - don't like change. We need assurances that we will, be getting a much improved service and I am sorry to say I did not gain that impression at the presentation I attended. There was much mention of being able to perform endoscopies at the new hospital but nothing more and as previously stated the reduction of the number of beds is a huge concern. Is it possible to retrieve the number of patients in GRH & Cheltenham hospital with a GL14,15,16,17 post code who are waiting to be transferred to a community hospital ? I am extremely concerned at the way the calculation has been done on the number of beds used by local residents as it does not allow for those patients who were not able to be transferred closer to home as there were people from out of the area occupying beds.		
612	02/12/17 9:15PM ID: 68810605	The closure of the two facilities will be disastrous for people of the forest. A new hospital is simply a joke made to look real by clever graphics and management hyperbole.		
613	03/12/17 10:01AM ID: 68822540	Further to travel for many. Transport infrastructure is being cut, so current set up is better.		
614	03/12/17 12:42PM ID: 68827622	Most people would have to travel further for hospital treatment, things are far flung enough in the forest		
615	03/12/17 2:45PM ID: 68830703	Not being able to use the facilities due to transport links or lack of them.		
616	03/12/17 5:47PM ID: 68836434	Potential loss of minor injuries unit in Lydney		
617	03/12/17 6:04PM ID: 68837293	If the number of beds provided in the Forest is reduced, it will greatly impact on those needing to be placed elsewhere (further away from friends or family that would want to visit). It will also reduce the number of care jobs in the Forest, which suffers from low job availability as it is. Also, what would the new A&E/minor injuries unit provision be? One single location in the Forest would mean considerable increase in travel distance to the unit for some. It matters greatly how far one has to travel with a sick child.		
618	03/12/17 9:20PM ID: 68844339	keep the present 2 hospitals and improve staffing levels		
619	03/12/17 9:54PM ID: 68844422	IF a new hospital is built; where will it be? We live in Lydney and have used the hospital here several times. If the hospital were built at the other end of the forest, of course it would have a negative impact on us. If there were fewer beds it would have a negative impact on the whole of the FoD.		
620	04/12/17 12:58AM ID: 68849402	Leave the hospitals alone. Transport in the local area is not good. 48 beds to 20 is a terrible idea for an area that is vastly growing in population		
621	04/12/17 10:03AM ID: 68866084	Need beds in the Forest, but not for Gloucester patients - not good to be away from local community		
622	04/12/17 10:42AM ID: 68869487	The Forester will not get a bed in the Area, only outsiders		
623	04/12/17 10:47AM	Option 4 would have the greatest impact as we need a new provision in the Forest		

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	ID: 68870175			
624	04/12/17 10:50AM ID: 68870679	Dilke Hospital easily accessible		
625	04/12/17 10:51AM ID: 68870069	The impact of the preferred option is to have the opportunity to receive high quality care in a suitable environment. Also for colleagues of mine to be able to work in an improved environment		
626	04/12/17 11:09AM ID: 68872441	Did not read		
627	04/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68872761	Better / more facilities is important. One site not likely to be so convenient		
628	04/12/17 11:23AM ID: 68873123	I agree with section nine. 3, a single hospital at Dilke site, why not purchase land behind existing hospital. If Northern Quarter has been allowed, then I am sure a few acres of land could be purchased at back of Dilke to provide what needs to be done		
629	04/12/17 11:32AM ID: 68873979	Option 1 - poorer Service Option 2 - Unaffordable and unnecessary Option 3 - Greatest impact. Better service for Forest of Dean Option 4 - Ideal but not Realistic		
630	04/12/17 1:10PM ID: 68875274	"Change" of any kind will impact on the people of the Forest. This community, in general, is passionate about its health care. I feel that potentially the impact of having one purpose built community hospital would be positive, a much needed facility, provided this new hospital provided ENHANCED health care provision with provision for easy future expansion that will be needed. The possibility/probability of reducing community hospitals from the historic two to just one, in a yet to be decided location, is, in itself, having a significant impact. Views are hugely divided.		
631	04/12/17 2:07PM ID: 68888839	Why the reduction in number of beds! You can visit Lydney or Dilke patients regularly		
632	04/12/17 2:14PM ID: 68889116	My family live in Lydney - we have a good hospital and don't want to lose this facility		
633	04/12/17 2:19PM ID: 68890004	The reduction in the number of beds already provided by Lydney and Dilke at present		
634	04/12/17 2:26PM ID: 68890816	More up to date equipment		
635	04/12/17 2:29PM ID: 68891210	Don't support option on no hospital		
636	04/12/17 3:12PM ID: 68895236	One hospital means access will be further limited for those relying on public transport. The Forest is already poorly served by public transport and the roads are full of potholes.		
637	04/12/17 4:28PM ID: 68901960	Depending where the hospital is sited, it will be difficult to get to for elderly patients who have limited access to car due to poor transport links within the forest. Also concern for the reduction in beds which will have a impact on local people especially as the population is increasing.		
638	04/12/17 5:53PM ID: 68910398	I agree that a single forest based hospital is a good option, however, it will be difficult to accommodate all residents of the forest equally. For example, a Lydney based facility would not really be suitable for myself and my family in terms of distance. It would probably be quicker for us to travel in to Gloucester despite our preference being to use a hospital in the forest to avoid city traffic and car parking charges.		
639	04/12/17 6:41PM ID: 68914277	Same as before. If there is no longer a hospital in Lydney it becomes more difficult for my family and others to access urgent care for my very young children and my very elderly relative		

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640	04/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68918338	If the new hospital was located in Lydney, it would be quicker for me to get to Gloucester for all services, especially if using public transport. If the new hospital was at the Dilke, then many people would be unable to get there easily using public transport. Being able to visit people in hospital is important to many elderly, disadvantaged and vulnerable people.		
641	04/12/17 8:11PM ID: 68914041	Option 4 is unacceptable and would result in more trips to an already overloaded GRH.		
642	04/12/17 8:14PM ID: 68915523	Because of the area of the F of D and the amount of minor roads and difficult terrain,. One hospital would not serve the community adequately in an emergency.		
643	04/12/17 8:21PM ID: 68921149	Good, having hospital services close by.		
644	05/12/17 7:56AM ID: 68939296	not easy to reach and it would therefore be easier to get to gloucester		
645	05/12/17 9:12AM ID: 68944591	We need something in the Forest. Maternity unit please		
646	05/12/17 9:15AM ID: 68945019	We need a hospital		
647	05/12/17 9:20AM ID: 68945489	There are likely to be times when I or other would need locally provided health care which would be unavailable		
648	05/12/17 9:30AM ID: 68945937	Option 2 is the most positive impact, redevelop the two existing hospitals		
649	05/12/17 9:34AM ID: 68947065	We can't keep patching up the two hospitals not good use of £		
650	05/12/17 9:37AM ID: 68947312	Owing to the increase in the population of the Forest, I feel the 2 hospitals should be kept open and the money from the new hospital should be spent to upgrade the two hospitals. That should help to keep the 46 beds for us and help bed blocking for Gloucester Hospital		
651	05/12/17 9:56AM ID: 68949038	Reduction in beds to be provided in new hospital unacceptable		
652	05/12/17 10:20AM ID: 68949437	Proximity of care by centralising facilities. Each site could be modernised to support new criteria and services / environment. Distance from home		
653	05/12/17 10:40AM ID: 68952890	To have better facilities both for staff and patients is good		
654	05/12/17 10:48AM ID: 68953238	A new single hospital - shocked that there is no mention of the many patients that travel across border but live within 10 miles of the Forest. If GPs surgeries continue to refer then consideration should be given to wider community / sedbury / Tutshill etc		
655	05/12/17 10:57AM ID: 68954046	Spend money on improving the two hospitals which are ideally suited to serve Cinderford and Lydney areas		
656	05/12/17 11:07AM ID: 68955025	New housing new people coming to live in the Forest. Have used Lydney hospital for emergency care and x rays		
657	05/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68955953	We do not want a new hospital built, when the Dilke would be cheaper to improve		
658	05/12/17 11:28AM ID: 68956983	3. Location and transport access 1. not viable 2. Would rebuilding Lydney to an appropriate standard be more viable than 3? 4. Not viable		
659	05/12/17 11:44AM ID: 68959026	Need more information		

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660	05/12/17 11:51AM ID: 68959300	Option 2 only sensitive option		
661	05/12/17 12:04PM ID: 68960131	not having enough bed spaces in the area is not acceptable, one new hospital, half the current size - NO		
662	05/12/17 12:07PM ID: 68961257	1 new big hospital for the price of 2 out of date hospitals		
663	05/12/17 12:22PM ID: 68962397	It appears that it has already been decided and that this consultation is just "lip service" to locals to feel that they "may" have a say		
664	05/12/17 12:34PM ID: 68963759	Too small for the residents (Gloucester too far away)		
665	05/12/17 12:35PM ID: 68963778	ensuring our services have a sustainable and clinically safe future needs proper strategic decisions even if the change feels uncomfortable		
666	05/12/17 1:50PM ID: 68968022	Moving the two hospital's into one new compact hospital I can see from a finical position makes a lot of sense, but living in the FoD it impacts on residents hugely, there is no reliable transport around the Forest between Cinderford, Coleford and Lydney. Travelling by car for 30mins to a community hospital will be unachievable for some families and travelling to Gloucester/Chepstow would be an easier option.		
667	05/12/17 1:56PM ID: 68971012	Better facilities, hopefully avoiding the need to travel to Gloucester hospital for some treatments.		
668	05/12/17 1:57PM ID: 68972041	At my age I appreciate hospitals being easy to get to and not too far away		
669	05/12/17 2:01PM ID: 68972234	Insufficient investment and enhancement requited - not diminution		
670	05/12/17 2:03PM ID: 68972638	Would like to know that there is a up to date facility		
671	05/12/17 2:08PM ID: 68971131	it would depend on where it was built as when berkely was re build it was not in berkeley		
672	05/12/17 2:16PM ID: 68973945	Hospital should be in Lydney because population increase and accessibility		
673	05/12/17 2:18PM ID: 68974088	I prefer option 3 and would expect to sees more services than at present as you would be saving on costs with only one hospital to run		
674	05/12/17 2:21PM ID: 68974408	hospitals getting older		
675	05/12/17 3:53PM ID: 68983060	It depends where the hospital is situated. I think Lydney is too far away . Cinderford is a more central location		
676	05/12/17 5:26PM ID: 68990859	Don't like the idea of no community hospital. Agree that we need a single new facility		
677	05/12/17 7:09PM ID: 68997548	Family would end up going to Gloucester and waiting up there for hours to be seen		

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678	05/12/17 7:51PM ID: 68999097	The projected increase in the population combined with the elderly living longer... add that to the amount of people moving into the area ... The dilke & Lydney hospitals are both money pits that take too much run. A modern built hospital would benefit from modern insulation and modern heating possibly combined with renewable energy from both solar and ground/air source . They cannot be called hospitals really .. The Dilke is really a place that people go to to die... you have given us reasons to have a new hospital... give us the number of beds to provide a decent service for the people of the Forest of Dean... I believe the Cinderford Town council has even offered a site on the Northern Quarter...		
679	05/12/17 8:53PM ID: 69001507	Option 4 would have the greatest detrimental impact. Option 1 would deny the local population of the best possible service available. Option 2 would initially seem the best option however I appreciate that this is not financially viable. In addition it would perpetuate the 'rivalry' between the 2 hospitals. Option 3 may mean additional traveling time for me and my relatives as I live in the Cinderford area.		
680	05/12/17 11:09PM ID: 69005756	The impact would be that instead of promoting local care more people would use Gloucester royal or abergavenny as they would end up being closer and more accessible if you ended up closing either lydney or cinderford.		
681	06/12/17 12:33AM ID: 69011677	greater accessibility to services without going outside the forest of dean		
682	06/12/17 10:24AM ID: 69036382	travel time and availability of public transport.		
683	06/12/17 10:33AM ID: 69036374	Option 3 appears to meet most of the criteria. Also it would provide a centre of high quality healthcare and support within the Forest of Dean area.		
684	06/12/17 10:38AM ID: 69037631	Getting rid of both hospitals is not really an option		
685	06/12/17 10:38AM ID: 69037107	Simply maintaining the existing hospitals or scrapping the hospitals altogether would have a negative impact on Forest of Dean residents.		
686	06/12/17 10:39AM ID: 69037225	My dear friends will be able to receive a wider range of treatments and they won't need to go all the way to Gloucester. Recently one of their little ones, only 4 weeks old, went to the Lydney MIU to then be sent to Gloucester Royal, to wait for hours, to receive a procedure that could have been completed at Lydney if there were better / more up to date equipment and accommodation.		
687	06/12/17 10:51AM ID: 69038546	if the hospital was full of patience would mean a long journey to Gloucester		
688	06/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69037308	Please refer to my answer given in Q1.		
689	06/12/17 11:58AM ID: 69046934	Doing nothing and trying to maintain the existing 2 hospitals would be costly and not appropriate use of public money.		
690	06/12/17 12:20PM ID: 69043447	Option 2 would be better than just one bearing in mind the deplorable public transport services in the Forest. All other options are totally inadequate.		
691	06/12/17 12:29PM ID: 69048488	if there were no hospital, need to travel into Gloucester, as meeting the potential medical needs of me and my husband with no hospital woyuld not be an option		
692	06/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69050850	We don't want you to remove these facilities, local people use them, people who don't have the finances or ability to travel to your proposed new build. Keep these hospitals working please, thank you!		
693	06/12/17 12:43PM ID: 69052040	Some FoD residents may have to travel further - others would be nearer		
694	06/12/17 12:52PM	Increased costs, less access, increased vulnerability for those that need support the		

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695	06/12/17 4:03PM ID: 69072486	If we have no facilities the obvious impact would be time getting to other hospitals and the greater influx capacity on those hospitals		
696	06/12/17 4:58PM ID: 69077458	Need more beds in the new hospital because houses are being built and more people are moving up to the forest because it's cheaper to buy up here than other areas especially with the severn bridge tolls being free in the future we also need minor operations bought back to the forest		
697	06/12/17 5:10PM ID: 69077987	Currently I can use the MIU at Lydney a new unit elsewhere makes that less accessible and may then if I need medical assistance require me to call upon an ambulance to get me there		
698	06/12/17 5:27PM ID: 69079481	Not enough beds. It has got to be 40 beds plus		
699	06/12/17 6:05PM ID: 69081914	If no community hospital in the Forest of Dean we would have to travel out of the area for some services that should be provided in the Forest		
700	06/12/17 10:47PM ID: 69094443	Reducing the number of hospitals from two to one will mean people have further to travel and that overall capacity is reduced. Our health services will be weakened and people will get poorer treatment as a result.		
701	06/12/17 10:55PM ID: 69094304	I have young grandchildren who have all needed to visit the minor injuries department at Lydney. The prospect of having to drive even a few miles with an injured toddler is untenable. The unit is friendly, welcoming and efficient.		
702	06/12/17 11:22PM ID: 69095116	With the projected population increase in the Southern Area of the Forest of Dean a new hospital is vital to service the population.		
703	07/12/17 9:16AM ID: 69108269	Major problem is location and transport, currently we have a 30 minute service to Coleford		
704	07/12/17 9:18AM ID: 69108693	Two sites are better than one for transport		
705	07/12/17 9:41AM ID: 69110478	What does this mean greater impact than what?		
706	07/12/17 9:47AM ID: 69110639	Keep two existing hospitals they are our heritage, what can do any different to what we have got, spend the 11 million on the two existing hospitals		
707	07/12/17 9:50AM ID: 69111163	If single community hospital was based in rural area, may be inaccessible		
708	07/12/17 9:58AM ID: 69111845	Yes one hospital based in rural area would be inaccessible		
709	07/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69111001	Access to services when can not drive. Need good public transport access and to understand what clinic and services will be available through the hospital and GPs.		
710	07/12/17 10:01AM ID: 69112083	Bad service		
711	07/12/17 10:05AM ID: 69112382	Resident in S.W of Forest of Dean, Lydney is ideal for us, you do not give alternative locations!		
712	07/12/17 10:09AM ID: 69112884	We need to keep the hospitals we have as more people move into the area around Lydney, with more houses being built		
713	07/12/17 10:12AM ID: 69113320	Option 4 totally unacceptable		
714	07/12/17 10:17AM ID: 69113638	My main concern is that access to some of the services may be reduced due to affordability of a new hospital. Any reduction in beds would cause more bed blocking at GRH and Cheltenham hospitals when transferring patients to the Dilke and Lydney is not possible		

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715	07/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69114606	Option 2 with the growing population we need 2 hospitals		
716	07/12/17 10:48AM ID: 69115546	Option 2 - would be my preferred way forward, both locations are ideal and serve the Forest for location as much as they have and will do in the future		
717	07/12/17 10:50AM ID: 69113756	Objective 3 is sweeping and hypothetical. How can appropriate service capacity be ensured, when the number of beds proposed are being so drastically reduced, with a projected and known rise in the elderly population living with complex co morbidities ? I have personal experience of a close, very frail, elderly relative from the Forest of Dean 'blocking' a bed at GRH acute unit on several occasions, because there were no beds available to transfer her to Lydney/ Dilke. Reducing the number of beds so drastically will only compound this problem.		
718	07/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69117003	One or two we NEED 2 hospitals		
719	07/12/17 11:00AM ID: 69117446	without a car we rely on public transport. Good access to the Dilke, difficult to Lydney from where we live		
720	07/12/17 11:04AM ID: 69117789	Either 2 or 1		
721	07/12/17 11:35AM ID: 69121102	No transport, Not enough beds No convalescent unit attached to hospital		
722	07/12/17 11:39AM ID: 69121561	Single hospital will have less beds and would be harder to travel as I have no family		
723	07/12/17 11:43AM ID: 69122027	Option 3 - One hospital will make getting there difficult for some - easy for others. Two sites spread the load		
724	07/12/17 11:54AM ID: 69122850	not enough carers for home care		
725	07/12/17 12:01PM ID: 69123420	Option 1 - My family are very happy with the current system and feel option 3 would mean a reduction in service and more problems for users		
726	07/12/17 12:08PM ID: 69124239	This question is ambiguous If you are asking which option is preferable it will be 2		
727	07/12/17 12:16PM ID: 69125014	This is a hypothetical question. However if there is less beds, myself and my family would have to travel further for treatment. not all of us have our own transport for visiting or attending appointments.		
728	07/12/17 12:24PM ID: 69125839	no transport - less beds, no convalescent beds or facilities		
729	07/12/17 12:44PM ID: 69127890	A new hospital will have less beds and cause travel problems		
730	07/12/17 12:48PM ID: 69128003	A single community hospital based in a rural area would be inaccessible		
731	07/12/17 12:51PM ID: 69127907	see before. transport links are below standard due to geography of the FOD.		
732	07/12/17 1:00PM ID: 69129056	good Transport links		
733	07/12/17 1:02PM ID: 69129231	We live on the border of Wales		
734	07/12/17 1:08PM ID: 69129346	Getting to see a relative in hospital would be easier if they were closer to home. If you get a call to say a relative is fading it would be comforting to get to them before it was too late, have been through that, it was not good		
735	07/12/17 1:14PM	Reduction in beds		

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	ID: 69130047	Restriction to single unknown location		
736	07/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69130862	As above need more information		
737	07/12/17 1:23PM ID: 69131005	Where will a new hospital be built..... Half way between Chepstow and Gloucester - probably not!!		
738	07/12/17 1:25PM ID: 69131209	A single community hospital could be inaccessible in a rural area		
739	07/12/17 1:29PM ID: 69131397	not enough beds provided Lydney has massive housing development ongoing and builds in Coleford and other forest areas also the beds proposed are definitely too little		
740	07/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69131709	A lot of staff at GRH and southmead already come from the forest as you have no jobs for them at either forest hospital. Local people can get to both local hospitals for outpatients without ambulances. Local people should decide not you!		
741	07/12/17 2:30PM ID: 69137759	Travelling distance, potential redundancies. Arguments about "stateof art" facilities		
742	07/12/17 3:27PM ID: 69141231	Travelling on Forest roads is not ideal at any time of the year but especially not in hours of darkness or during winter when travel can be dangerous. From your own proposal of a single hospital it will not "Improve local access to services" which seems to be a vital factor for your proposal of one hospital.		
743	07/12/17 4:37PM ID: 69130392	The greater likelihood of traveling for treatment which increase the stress levels. The unfamiliar surroundings would make us feel more uncomfortable.		
744	07/12/17 5:20PM ID: 69153088	If a new single hospital was built with more beds than the existing two hospitals rather than less this would be the best solution for the future as the population is due to increase		
745	07/12/17 6:14PM ID: 69156409	Option 4 would have a negative impact, as the Forest of Dean would be left without a community hospital facility - I believe there are some services that can only be delivered in a hospital setting. Option 1 - I believe that this is not sustainable and would ultimately result in hospital services in the Forest of Dean being closed. This would have a significant negative impact as described above and would be detrimental to many living in the Forest.		
746	07/12/17 7:50PM ID: 69162188	Travel to and from my house in Tutshill would be easier if the new hospital was located in Lydney		
747	07/12/17 8:58PM ID: 69165685	Option 2. Where 2 hospitals are retained in the forest, providing a higher bed capacity, expert levels of care and keep nhs funds within the nhs reducing expenditure in the long term by not having to pay exorbitant private sector costs.		
748	07/12/17 11:23PM ID: 69171221	Option 3. Clearly the biggest aspect would be the detrimental affect on the local populations access to services. Reduction in beds will also lead to a countywide impact not just on the FOD.		
749	07/12/17 11:36PM ID: 69171396	A single hospital providing more beds and services with transport links could work, Obviously no hospital would have the worst impact		
750	08/12/17 6:40AM ID: 69178751	Local treatment, easier for families to visit, with quicker response from emergency vehicles, we have had to wait for a v ehicle to come from Cheltenham. Easier transport must be on bus routes and have free or minimal cost parking. Easier to attend out patient appointments. Will need more beds, when in hospital my family has never been given the option to transfer to local hospitals when appropriate citing no beds available.		
751	08/12/17 8:56AM ID: 69184814	Patients and staff may have to travel further to reach services, depending on location.		
752	08/12/17 10:11AM ID: 69189649	Modern healthcare - less chance of infection when most lat risk, therefore need more modern facilities. Effective healthcare - allergic to bee stings, so matter of life or death		

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		Efficient healthcare - need speedy and skilled support for the above, plus genetic evidence indicates at risk from heart problems. I would expect a new hospital to deliver the above.		
753	08/12/17 10:25AM ID: 69192586	Different options will have differing impacts on different people. There are too many variable so the question is slightly non-sensical.		
754	08/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69195359	Services external to this area are put under increased pressure through closure of local provision.		
755	08/12/17 10:58AM ID: 69195154	Agree with one new hospital, but would depend where situated To make journey times as short as possible on average across the Forest the location should be somewhere central such as Coleford		
756	08/12/17 12:13PM ID: 69201474	Maintaining the two present hospitals will be neither cost effective or beneficial to residents because of difficulty in providing up to date and efficient services. Community care ...as above.		
757	08/12/17 1:06PM ID: 69208376	We don't want reduced hospital services ie we don't want less provision than now to save money, we are a rich country		
758	08/12/17 1:11PM ID: 69208750	If the new hospital goes ahead and its overrun and lacks the capacity to cope, it could affect my family as well as others		
759	08/12/17 1:15PM ID: 69208951	Option 2 - only viable Strategy to maintain and improve services		
760	08/12/17 1:18PM ID: 69209235	My wife does not drive, so we need bus service to the location of the new hospital		
761	08/12/17 1:21PM ID: 69209405	One hospital in a rural area would be unable to access		
762	08/12/17 1:27PM ID: 69209787	Option 3 id the future and only logical way forward. However location will be key for most people		
763	08/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69210038	Option 3 depending on location and also providing similar number of beds		
764	08/12/17 1:35PM ID: 69210307	Transport - public is poor in the forest, so a new hospital would need to be sited so that it is accessible to all and public transport facilities improved		
765	08/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69209867	There could be more services offered but again if sited away from the A48 the hospital would be quite inaccessible.		
766	08/12/17 1:43PM ID: 69210672	Rubbish question		
767	08/12/17 1:52PM ID: 69210842	Difficult to fully respond, until more comprehensive details are shared as to how the future provision of people living in the Forest of Dean are catered for. Appreciate the 2 hospitals are aging and not as efficient as modern facilities, but we need to ensure that proper care and support is offered to our community especially in the light of the expansion of the area and also the age profile of the community.		
768	08/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69211689	Option 3 - I do feel a new hospital is important with up to date facilities		
769	08/12/17 1:59PM ID: 69211912	If you go ahead with this project, more people will have to attend Gloucester Royal hospital because there wont be adequate variety of facilities in the Forest of Dean		
770	08/12/17 2:02PM ID: 69212373	None of them are sufficient		
771	08/12/17 2:12PM ID: 69212635	Option 3 potentially would have the most impact. I wish to stay in the Forest of Dean for the rest of my life and I do not want to find myself "exiled" to Gloucester or Cheltenham when at my most vulnerable. Most of my family live in S. Wales and would be put under unnecessary strain too.		

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772	08/12/17 2:14PM ID: 69211342	A bitter blow to the generosity of past and present residents of the area who hold the existing hospitals so close to their hearts. More travelling for Dean patients and staff would be entailed if two hospitals were merged into one - this in an wide area with poor public transport links. Significant loss of bed availability - 47 currently reducing to 24 or so with the new proposal. This would then entail more travel on overcrowded roads to Gloucester for in-patients and their loved ones - who are often elderly and stressed from the experience of being hospitalised further from home and family. The high cost of visitor parking at Gloucester is a further blow to family & friends - an extended stay for a loved one quickly mounts up into tens and tens of pounds.		
773	08/12/17 2:15PM ID: 69213506	Concerned against reduction in beds by more than half		
774	08/12/17 2:22PM ID: 69214150	I agree with option 3		
775	08/12/17 3:15PM ID: 69218166	It would be beneficial to have one modern up to date hospital central in the forest of dean to provide efficient care to local communities. It would mean any emergencies requiring MIU would be easily accessible.		
776	08/12/17 3:42PM ID: 69219931	If there had to be a new Hospital then it would have to be easily accessible and certainly within reach by public transport. Central to all 3 major towns, that being in the Coleford area.		
777	08/12/17 4:20PM ID: 69223815	secure sustained health care in FOD		
778	08/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69223870	Travel, location, lack of bed space especially for more elderly people whose spouse/partner/friends might not be able to visit daily.		
779	08/12/17 4:31PM ID: 69221924	Wherever the ne hospital is built would dramatically impct upon the elderly nd less well off as they could have further to travel for care. Since bus services are being changed and discontinued this could make accessibility even more difficult.		
780	08/12/17 5:25PM ID: 69227947	much better hospital centrally would be better		
781	08/12/17 5:57PM ID: 69228621	Better access to services without going to Gloucester would be a great benefit of a new hospital. With an ageing population the number of beds proposed needs to be increased to accommodate inpatients.		
782	08/12/17 6:16PM ID: 69230260	Options 1 and 4 are unacceptable, option 2 would not really be viable, so option 3 is by far the best option as it would be effective both in terms of cost (ongoing and start-up) and in terms of services and staffing.		
783	08/12/17 7:09PM ID: 69233165	Better care with more modern facilities. Higher quality services.		
784	08/12/17 7:30PM ID: 69232958	As no location is mentioned for a single site hospital, accessibility and availability of public transport can only be a matter of conjecture. A member of the family who has regular hospital appointments must be able to access public transport if she is to make those appointments. The Dilke is on a bus route, has free car parking and is easily accessible		
785	08/12/17 7:53PM ID: 69232968	the braeakdown in community cohesion by provoking strong dissenting opinions		
786	08/12/17 8:35PM ID: 69234916	Increased traveling, more expense for those without own transport. Fewer beds available. Individual rooms are not always the best option, especially for people who don't have family/friends locally to visit them.		
787	08/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69241016	I do not want the Dilke to close		
788	09/12/17 3:36AM ID: 69245233	Even now, the transportation network in the Forest is poor, this needs to be taken into consideration. Local residents may not be able to either catch public transport, they		

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		may require specialist vehicles? Reducing bed numbers means less available at any one time, if there are over crowding issues, where will these patients go? The local facilities must also provide much needed support to Gloucester hospital, by providing enough beds. Otherwise patients will need support at home which will impact on other local services (nursing/ care). Which has been ruled out in section 9.		
789	09/12/17 8:21AM ID: 69249254	Travelling to the new hospital. Public transport services are limited or non existent especially if the Hospital is not on a bus route		
790	09/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69250641	Loss of beds. Potential travel problems.		
791	09/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69251815	Cutting beds in the community affect the whole County and Acute Hospital. We have lost around 27 Hospitals in our County alone - already.		
792	09/12/17 9:51AM ID: 69252094	More travel. Loss of easy access to minor injury care. Nebuliser availability reduced.		
793	09/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69258731	I would not be able to take my best friend to her appointments as her nurse and doctor are both working in the dilke hospital. I would not be able to take my friends mum for her checkups at Lydney. If this proposal does go ahead then I won't be visiting the new hospital.		
794	09/12/17 12:29PM ID: 69259068	A modern and larger hospital will facilitate better care and could negate the necessity to travel out of the Forest of dean		
795	09/12/17 2:31PM ID: 69263170	No. 4. Losing even our part time A&E would mean a trip to Gloucester or a doctors surgery. We have school age children. How would the out of hours doctor work?		
796	09/12/17 3:13PM ID: 69259351	Please see my comments in first section. I am disabled.I live alone. I would need a lot of help to travel far.		
797	09/12/17 3:31PM ID: 69265161	Number 2 is the best option - it allows investment in the two existing hospitals.		
798	09/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69266970	Anything other than maintaining & improving the 2 existing hospitals will result in reduced provision of services to the Forest. Not to mention the inconvenience of having to travel to just one site, from wherever you live in the Forest.		
799	09/12/17 4:32PM ID: 69267291	The Lydney and Dike facilities have been able to respond to my family and neighbour's needs in an efficient, timely and responsive manner as one would expect from a Community hospital.		
800	09/12/17 4:42PM ID: 69267652	You have not provided enough detail about the where a new hospital would be built so it is difficult to know the exact impact. I am satisfied with the current provision and wish it to remain.		
801	09/12/17 6:38PM ID: 69270946	Detrimental		
802	09/12/17 6:42PM ID: 69271552	A new hospital with more facilities would make it less necessary to travel to Gloucester Royal Hospital (for outpatients appointments)		
803	09/12/17 7:12PM ID: 69272353	Further to go, less facilities, fewer beds locally		
804	09/12/17 7:31PM ID: 69272966	More services available locally.		
805	09/12/17 8:06PM ID: 69273525	Not sure due to several unknowns! But if it were a new hospital on the site of the Dilke... my reservations would be lessened.		
806	09/12/17 8:39PM ID: 69274042	Option 1 was rejected as a proposal based on the on going cost of maintenance etc whereas even though a new building with many extravagant premises to the		

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		community will also need maintenance, every building does.		
807	09/12/17 8:44PM ID: 69274455	Option 4, to close both hospitals and offer home and community based services as an alternative - this really can't happen, a ridiculous option.		
808	09/12/17 9:25PM ID: 69275796	Transportation (public) is extremely poor throughout the Forest of Dean. Two hospitals in the most populated areas will be more accessible for most.		
809	09/12/17 9:41PM ID: 69276030	There are far to few beds. If I understand it correctly the hospital(s) have to serve part of the total bed numbers for the whole of Gloucestershire so could well have non Forest patients. It is wrong to send Foresters especially the elderly to a hospital outside the area so there needs to be enough beds for all Forest patients first. The endoscopy addition seems to me to be a red herring as I know many people who have had one at the Dilke. We need more outpatient services over as wide an area as possible.		
810	09/12/17 11:01PM ID: 69277567	Each of the options inevitably has potentially greater or lesser effect on each individual within the FoD who may need to make use, or support others who are making use, of hospital facilities. These impacts will depend on the needs and circumstances of the individuals. I'm not sure what this question is trying to elucidate.		
811	09/12/17 11:08PM ID: 69278337	More travelling for patients and relatives		
812	09/12/17 11:26PM ID: 69276227	It is vital to maintain services in the Lydney area which is at the greatest distance from the services at Gloucester and Cheltenham. Option1 although not ideal is the best option offered there is no reason why Lydney could not support the new models of care. It already provides a high quality physical environment and there is absolutely no reason why it could not be modified to support new ways of working. To build a single new hospital in the Forest of Dean would be a gross misuse of public money to the detriment of patients.		
813	10/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69288111	Access to the hospital on public transport would be difficult.		
814	10/12/17 11:27AM ID: 69292828	Accessibility of range of services.		
815	10/12/17 3:08PM ID: 69299170	Closing the Dilke and replacing it with a new hospital that might be some fair distance away might cause me problems if I ever needed treatment there in future. I'm 63 and live alone, with no surviving relatives hereabouts. Who is going to provide me with home care if I need it, say, twenty years from now? Home carers are usually the first to be made redundant when cost-cutting is required, and there are enough stories in the media showing pretty conclusively just how many patients with severe problems can end up overlooked and neglected if home-care is patchy.		
816	10/12/17 3:59PM ID: 69301632	I have a daughter who is asthmatic who while looked after by her G.P. it would be comforting to know a new decent hospital could be in the forest. My husband has had a DVT in his leg and need continuing care from health professionals a regular vascular clinic and specialist doctors who could visit a new hospital to hold clinics would be a great help as at the moment you can lose half a day from work if you have to go to Gloucestershire hospital.		
817	10/12/17 4:50PM ID: 69302265	The loss of local personal care and attention from your local hospital.		
818	10/12/17 5:16PM ID: 69304981	A new hospital with more services available would mean not having to travel to Gloucester, adequate free parking should be provided		
819	10/12/17 5:24PM ID: 69305302	Increasing the services available for outpatients would negate having to drive to Gloucester. Being able to use public transport is likely to be necessary as becoming older and maybe unable to drive later.		
820	10/12/17 6:41PM ID: 69307490	the loss of Services Provided by the Two current hospitals when instead more investment and as Previously Stated a Major Hospital Unit is Needed for the Area such as cheltenham & Gloucester have offering the same services.		

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821	10/12/17 7:09PM ID: 69309218	One location will be very difficult for some of my very ill and elderly friends and family.		
822	10/12/17 7:27PM ID: 69310011	We definitely need hospital facilities in the Forest of Dean. I would not like to travel to Gloucester for all of my health services. This would be particularly difficult for my grandmother who finds it difficult to go to Gloucester hospital		
823	10/12/17 7:55PM ID: 69310199	There needs to be a Minor Injuries Unit in the Forest of Dean, that has really good, reliable x-ray available. I have had to go to A&E because x-ray hasn't been available at the Dilke. It was really busy and I should have been able to get the treatment I needed locally.		
824	10/12/17 8:09PM ID: 69311657	Less time spent at Gloucester easier to have treatment		
825	10/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69314391	If you Close our local hosp so much further for people to travel		
826	10/12/17 9:44PM ID: 69315252	Elderly relatives currently very close to a hospital would be unable to access hospital if further away		
827	10/12/17 9:47PM ID: 69315393	My elderly mother has improved services		
828	10/12/17 10:00PM ID: 69314609	Difficulty in being able to attend appointments or visit inpatients, both for cost and ease of getting to hospital. I had to visit the orthopaedic outpatient clinic several times this summer and it cost me £25.00 each visit for transport being on a very low income I struggled to meet the cost most times I was seen for less than ten minutes, the total time was two hours travelling plus waiting time at the clinic. I dread the thought of trying to get transport to GRH in an emergency, I just wouldn't be able to go, I know of many people in exactly the same position!		
829	10/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69316550	Traveling time and cost		
830	10/12/17 11:05PM ID: 69317517	One hospital would mean more traveling longer distances.		
831	10/12/17 11:29PM ID: 69318153	As explained in 1st question		
832	10/12/17 11:58PM ID: 69311344	Aftercare for elderly patients would affect me. The type of care provision for patients with limited mobility and income would be of concern.		
833	11/12/17 1:22AM ID: 69319269	You have engineered the consultation book and survey to manoeuvre opinions to what you want		
834	11/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69331150	To have no hospital and only have home and community services only will result in more admissions to Gloucester Royal Hospital as people's health declines. Option 1 and 2 means less health consultation time over two sites meaning harder for them to work as they need to and less appointments available for the community		
835	11/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69333644	I live in Cinderford and to lose the Dilke hospital would be a big mistake in my view		
836	11/12/17 10:15AM ID: 69334011	I am alarmed that the number of beds is halved and apparently even those may be an overflow for GRH. No specific allocation for FOD residents. Still no decision on Maternity provision		
837	11/12/17 10:27AM ID: 69334747	Unless it is proposed new hospital is in Lydney, it will be impossible for elderly patients in particular to get to say Cinderford. I would like to see both hospitals upgraded rather than spend a huge amount of money on a new facility		
838	11/12/17 10:42AM ID: 69335774	As explained above, one hospital will lead to serious transport problems. Reducing beds the same. If this is anything other than an exercise ie. if you are really listening then you should respond to this		

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839	11/12/17 11:42AM ID: 69340956	I don't think this section is explained very well		
840	11/12/17 12:04PM ID: 69342976	you have failed to consider the option of bringing the two existing hospitals up to date, by expending the same amount of money as proposed for one new hospital		
841	11/12/17 12:13PM ID: 69343900	cost of building new ? PFI hospital and ? renting back / maintenance and updating existing hospitals would far outweigh		
842	11/12/17 12:41PM ID: 69344749	no need for a new hospital which does not provide expected facilities - it need not be there		
843	11/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69348547	Yes option 2 because we think keeping both hospitals would be more beneficial to the forest		
844	11/12/17 1:12PM ID: 69349148	Will not get a bed in either hospital (or new) will probably end up in Gloucester or Cheltenham		
845	11/12/17 1:16PM ID: 69349570	Coleford would be a no go. Transport from Sedbury not at all		
846	11/12/17 1:26PM ID: 69350568	If the "New Community Hospital" was in Lydney or Coleford it would make it a long drive for me, I am 70		
847	11/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69351211	A local community hospital would be more accessible and save the long journey into Gloucester or Cheltenham. Better car parking and quicker service		
848	11/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69352059	redevelopment on a current site would be more accessible for more people but I recognise the financial and staffing constraints		
849	11/12/17 1:42PM ID: 69352689	option 3 and 4 reduces the care my family will have access to		
850	11/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69353060	Option 3 and 4 reduces the care my family will have access to		
851	11/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69353642	Option 2, same sites. We are all getting older, don't want to have to have to travel further and wait longer		
852	11/12/17 2:00PM ID: 69354689	Keep the number of beds		
853	11/12/17 2:03PM ID: 69355043	To save journey to GRH and traffic		
854	11/12/17 2:07PM ID: 69355603	Should be in Cinderford. The most central point in the Forest		
855	11/12/17 2:15PM ID: 69356834	I agree a single community hospital in the forest of Dean But must have 49 beds +		
856	11/12/17 2:21PM ID: 69357566	I do not drive and bus services have already been cut to the bone		
857	11/12/17 2:23PM ID: 69357768	As we are getting older it will be harder for us to get to Gloucester or Cheltenham. We need a local hospital with modern facilities and fully staffed		
858	12/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69401654	Stupidly framed question - Same answer as Number 1. The issues are complex and there is not enough information		
859	12/12/17 9:15AM ID: 69402860	The roads to Coleford but especially Cinderford are not good - dark, dangerous and can get lost, sign posts not always good, nor bends or narrow roads. Public transport is not good either. I understand, but have not tried to use it myself		
860	12/12/17 9:31AM ID: 69404481	New hospital (option2) as location unknown with fewer beds available bound to have greater impact and not a good one		
861	12/12/17 9:33AM ID: 69405668	Location of a new hospital very important. Live near Newent which is a good 30 minutes to the Dilke so Glos hospital is nearest for us		

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862	12/12/17 9:40AM ID: 69405841	For us, the nearness of the Dilke is really paramount, and its size is so preferable to a larger hospital		
863	12/12/17 9:42AM ID: 69406336	We can't not have a new hospital in the forest		
864	12/12/17 9:56AM ID: 69406496	Closure of either current hospitals would greatly impact on all FOD residents - the need for easy access to healthcare is essential		
865	12/12/17 10:02AM ID: 69407650	Option 3 should overall have a positive impact subject to the best location for the forest of dean residents as a whole		
866	12/12/17 10:28AM ID: 69409275	Continue to redevelop the Dilke and Lydney. Local fundraisers have already achieved a lot. Closure will be a smack in the face for all local people		
867	12/12/17 10:45AM ID: 69411350	Unless the proposed new hospital is at Lydney, it will be impossible to get to the northern or western parts of the FOD. My wish would be to upgrade the two existing hospitals rather than spend the money on a new hospital		
868	12/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69411998	This questionnaire is not well written. If you are asking for my preferred option it would be number 2		
869	12/12/17 11:11AM ID: 69412690	The provision of 24 beds will mean that it is even more unlikely that a member of my family, my friends, neighbours or myself would be able to come back from Glos Royal or Cheltenham General to the Forest of Dean where they could be visited more easily		
870	12/12/17 11:26AM ID: 69414603	Option 3 - need for a high quality of care in our area. Currently my family has been pushed from pillar to post		
871	12/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69313962	CLOSING BOTH HOSPITALS AND NOT PROVIDING AN ALTERNATIVE WOULD BE THE WORST SCENARIO		
872	12/12/17 12:34PM ID: 69194518	Concerned that the number of beds will be insufficient in the future I think that there should be at least 40 beds & that the design of the new hospital should be such that an extension to accommodate more beds could be done easily		
873	12/12/17 12:34PM ID: 69189253	Closing the Dilke, and Lidney Hospitals and halving the bed copacity of the new build affects the whole County Obviously, and the Accute Hospital.		
874	12/12/17 12:35PM ID: 69179604	As keen mountain bikers and hikers I think basic emergency services are important in the area. There should also be inpatient beds for those that need it. This would give important access to beds for those who would struggle with getting to Gloucester. I imagine sending all patients to Gloucester would result in some family members not being able to visit taking away vital support for patients and slowing recovery.		
875	12/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69160670	The Forest is too spread out without suitable public transport to enable ease of reaching a central facility. We would risk missing appointments or even not taking them up, being unable to plan journeys to fit in with specific appointment times. This could impact on undiagnosed illness leading to emergency needs, not to mention the build up of anxieties and impact on mental health services.		
876	12/12/17 12:43PM ID: 68989515	FURTHER TO TRAVEL AND NEWER' DOSENT MEAN BETTER'		
877	12/12/17 12:45PM ID: 68933759	Present hospitals more acceptable		
878	12/12/17 12:52PM ID: 68805720	As with previous comments.		
879	12/12/17 12:52PM ID: 68802353	Our future health!		
880	12/12/17 12:55PM ID: 68706384	As I am one of the ageing population I don't want to have to rely on public transport or taxi's to get me to appointments etc.		
881	12/12/17 12:58PM ID: 68649163	Greater difficulty in accessing the services offered		

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882	12/12/17 12:58PM ID: 68562911	Patients have expressed concerns about the proposed site of the new community hospital?..and also about loosing both their local Lydney Hospital and The Dilke Hospital ,where a lot of them have made significant donations over the years in helping to support and they also have sentimental attachments to both hospitals where their loved ones have been cared for over the years.		
883	12/12/17 1:00PM ID: 68527718	less beds		
884	12/12/17 1:02PM ID: 68495936	Bus travel in the forest is very poor,		
885	12/12/17 1:03PM ID: 68480231	over crowding		
886	12/12/17 1:24PM ID: 69428296	currently I can get to the local hospitals fairly easy, A new hospital would be more difficult to access with a loss of some services		
887	12/12/17 1:27PM ID: 69428846	Half the beds available to Forest of Dean residents		
888	12/12/17 1:43PM ID: 69430104	Ultimate location		
889	12/12/17 1:49PM ID: 69430800	The area and its residents deserve equal quality of care and services standard to urban areas. Staff need to be encouraged into new and established future services in 21st century		
890	13/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69497069	Fewer beds than may be needed. May be situated too far away.		
891	13/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69511914	Closing the Dilke would greatly impact my family and most of my neighbours. Its close to us ?????????? It should be extended and made the new Dilke Memorial hospital. 11 million wont build anything. We know you will go with a PFI so stop lying to us.		
892	13/12/17 1:36PM ID: 69514652	Closing the Dilke would mean none of my family could easily access hospital care for a minor injury to a major one		
893	13/12/17 1:46PM ID: 69517178	We'll end up having no choice but to use GRH or Cheltenham. This is all wrong and I believe this consultation is a sham.		
894	13/12/17 1:51PM ID: 69517906	We can't get to your stupid sites we can get to the Dilke but you don't care do you?		
895	13/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69518471	Your plans will give us less than we have. People will lose their jobs. There will be nothing new just more of us going to Glos is usual because you don't care.		
896	13/12/17 2:37PM ID: 69520001	Of course they do, how can they not? The Forest needs two hospitals. The Dilke was built where it is because the miners who paid for it knew it was the best site in the centre of the Forest. It is a beautiful spot on a very clear road that doesn't become congested.		
897	13/12/17 3:09PM ID: 69524456	The Dilke is close and easily reached on a good clear road. Its central to the Forest is a fantastic hospital, friendly and welcoming.		
898	13/12/17 3:29PM ID: 69527695	Newent and Coleford are too far away. we would be just as well going to GRH. The Dilke is close just 15 mins and we know and trust the staff some of whom I've known for years. I have a relative currently inthe Dilke who is looked after like royalty.		
899	13/12/17 4:04PM ID: 69531730	My child would have had to GRH without the Dilke. Its a fantastic hospital, leave it alone.		
900	13/12/17 4:16PM ID: 69532684	I don't have any access to transport but Ill get to the Dilke very easily and quickly. Its a fantastic hospital and you have to use 11 million into extending it		
901	13/12/17 4:41PM ID: 69533764	Closing the Dilke would impact my family. We couldn't get to Coleford or Newent we cant easily get to Gloucester and don't want to go to that awful hospital. The Dilke is easy to reach		

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902	13/12/17 4:45PM ID: 69535763	Closing the Dilke would make it very hard to get to a hospital. Leave it alone			
903	13/12/17 5:04PM ID: 69536015	the Dilke is perfectly situated. a lovely spot on a good road that doesn't become congested. A relaxing and quiet place perfect for all. Easy to access and a model of what a caring hospital should be.			
904	13/12/17 5:15PM ID: 69537442	Closing the Dilke would hit us badly. its close its clean, its ???? and you lot can't change us to ???? so that make you happy and ???!			
905	13/12/17 5:33PM ID: 69538184	My family doesn't have transport and can't get to hospital easily. the Dilke is just up the road. It's in the centre of the Forest. ???your new hospital which is all set for ????????stop pushing your view on our ?????			
906	13/12/17 5:52PM ID: 69539270	Losing the Dilke would be disastrous for my family as its the only hospital in our reach. We will all be going to GRH because you are not going to build a theatre or a birthing unit so what's the point? We all know you are lying yet again.			
907	13/12/17 5:54PM ID: 69540245	Option 2 is the only viable one given transport difficulties and population growth			
908	18/12/17 1:32PM ID: 68547224	The bed state in the new build, will have an impact on the acute hospitals. More elderly residents in the forest, will need basic care not acute care. No Theatres for minor surgery, this will impact on the acute hospitals			
909	18/12/17 1:52PM ID: 69247694	A new hospital built where there is no easy to public transport from the Sedbury area would make it more difficult for my family to use it or visit it for a friend.			
				answered	909
				skipped	2081

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If the option of a new single community hospital is approved, to what extent do you agree with the proposed criteria for assessing the location for a community hospital in the Forest of Dean (set out in section 10 of the public consultation booklet)								Response Percent	Response Total
1	Completely		<div></div>				42.34%	840	
2	Partly		<div></div>				34.17%	678	
3	Not at all		<div></div>				23.49%	466	
Analysis	Mean:	1.81	Std. Deviation:	0.79	Satisfaction Rate:	40.57	answered	1984	
	Variance:	0.62	Std. Error:	0.02			skipped	1006	

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1	Open-Ended Question			100.00%	858
1	12/09/17 2:16PM	Leave the hospitals where they are, there is a saying.. if it ain't broke don't fix it			

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	ID: 63832092			
2	12/09/17 2:39PM ID: 63834404	Should not be located in the north of the forest which is close enough to the main hospitals - needs to be central for all residents		
3	12/09/17 2:54PM ID: 63834197	It is difficult to agree, when I do NOT consider that one centre alone would be viable for the population.		
4	12/09/17 3:25PM ID: 63838079	Where the elderley live and public transport links - or lack thereof		
5	12/09/17 3:26PM ID: 63837910	I feel this has been underhand. Local people had no idea that this was in the pipe line. The Dilke is ours, bought and paid for by generations of local miners. Transport links are essential. The forest has become more isolated in recent years due to cuts and taking away 2 local hospitals that cover such a wide area could be disastrous.		
6	12/09/17 3:39PM ID: 63838287	You need a hospital which is accessible by car and especially by public transport from all parts of the forest. As this is impossible, you need a north and south hospital. A lot of people have medical conditions which mean they cannot drive. there is no central place in the fodc		
7	12/09/17 3:50PM ID: 63839720	Loacation of main towns and transport		
8	12/09/17 3:57PM ID: 63840458	Keep the two open!		
9	12/09/17 3:59PM ID: 63840479	Wasting more tax payers money, we want to keep both open		
10	12/09/17 4:09PM ID: 63841364	As I said in the earlier question, leave Lydney and the Dilke alone and improve them		
11	12/09/17 4:21PM ID: 63841417	Accessibility by public transport!!!!!!!		
12	12/09/17 4:32PM ID: 63842037	There IS NO LOCATION in the Forest that would be "no further than 30 minutes by car, for the majority of Forest of Dean residents". It's just not possible to find such a place in the Forest. You are clearly signposting that the Northern Quarter is the best location - but the idea that you could get "completion of works by 2021/2022" on this site is just cloud cuckoo land. The plan to build in a hurry on landfill over disused mines is crazy - and the idea that it can be done cost-effectively is worse.		
13	12/09/17 4:37PM ID: 63843263	We have two hospitals already		
14	12/09/17 4:54PM ID: 63842875	No further than 30 minutes by car is still a long way to drive. For many in the district Hereford and Gloucester hospitals are around 30 minutes away so local services must match this time or less. Existing public transport links are weak and it is worth noting these will need improvement if a new hospital is to be build wherever it's location.		
15	12/09/17 4:59PM ID: 63842893	Re use of existing facilities		
16	12/09/17 5:00PM ID: 63843937	The hospital should be away from the Gloucester end of the forest, where the main hospitals can be more easily accessed (e.g. Not in mitcheldean)		
17	12/09/17 5:04PM ID: 63844223	KEEP WHAT WE GOT AND USE THE 11 MILLION UP DATING THEM		
18	12/09/17 5:07PM ID: 63844862	Keep what we have and update it, we don't need a swanky new building which is bound to cost more		

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19	12/09/17 5:22PM ID: 63845589	The existing hospitals should remain		
20	12/09/17 5:28PM ID: 63845858	Explained in my earlier comments.		
21	12/09/17 6:02PM ID: 63847296	The inaccessibility ,for visiting and the difficulty fir patients who are ill ,to get to the new hospital .		
22	12/09/17 6:02PM ID: 63847092	You aren't asking us what we want, because basically you don't want to know. How much difference could that money make to the Dilke and Lydney hospitals. Before the NHS the miners and other local people raised the money for the Dilke, and stocked it with state of the art equipment, which was removed to Gloucester when the NHS took over. Don't rob us again!		
23	12/09/17 6:06PM ID: 63847146	We who live in the Forest do not want to lose the two sites we have , or the bed capacity we have , leave our sites alone		
24	12/09/17 6:15PM ID: 63847129	Agree on all, apart from the co-location of GP surgeries. I am a patient at a rural surgery and DO NOT want to lose this by the back door as part of a wider health service consultation in the Forest. I do not want any kind of super centre in the Forest, but to maintain our family led Doctors surgeries. The CCG should support practices to survive in this climate. The role that the family GP plays in the care of people in the Forest of Dean should not be taken for granted. The Forest may be a small geographical area, but the problems with rurality and poor public transport make it very difficult for patients to travel. Please do not take away our local GP services by building a hospital which just happens to have enough space to house a super practice.		
25	12/09/17 6:39PM ID: 63848858	Lower Cinderford is not as easily accessible as the Dilke site		
26	12/09/17 6:47PM ID: 63848727	I do not agree with the the one hospital option.		
27	12/09/17 7:03PM ID: 63849735	I feel that hospitals should be accessible. However looking at people who rely on public transport and the state of the bus system within the forest of dean, none of the towns would be suitable for everyone. At least with the current hospitals people from most areas can get to one of the hospitals within an hour by public transport. By centralising some people could be travelling by bus for over an hour and a half or more!		
28	12/09/17 7:13PM ID: 63847655	Haven't seen booklet setting out your agenda and scheme so how can I answer what I think about section 9. As usual you have put the cart before the horse in asking us for our opinions before giving us booklet.		
29	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63851203	the hospital should be sited in the centre of the forest to serve the whole of the forest		
30	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63849552	Out of hours/24 hr minor/mid A&E Out of hours Walk in centre GP access maybe through referral by 111 service Maternity Unit Out of hours(after 7pm)/24hr pharmacy (no more 50+ mile round trips to Quedgley thank you!) subsidised on call mini-bus service for those without transport- when/where there is no public transport. Dementia care home(s) (NHS funded)- access based on firm medical diagnosis - not at whim of CCG interpretation of National Framework - people with dementia/Alzheimers should not have to fear financial penalties of accessing support.		
31	12/09/17 7:48PM ID: 63850947	As stated the site should be accessible by public transport as a minimum and car ownership should be disregarded entirely when making a decision. A four year completion schedule is unrealistic. As regards co-location of other services, there has been work recently in the Forest on facilities such as Colliers Court and also the merging of GP practices to provide		

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		economies of scale. These plans risk throwing away money already invested. If these co-located facilities were to be *in addition* to existing then I would have no objection, however if this were simply a move to centralise services to save money with the result of increasing patient journeys then this would be unacceptable.		
32	12/09/17 7:57PM ID: 63851785	Again you assume that people have access to a car, it is not just the elderly in the forest that do not drive and this needs to be considered relating to other infrastructure to ensure access to one site community service can be access for all that live in the Forest of Dean		
33	12/09/17 8:12PM ID: 63849252	If co-location occurs, the other criteria that need to be considered are the paucity of local public transport services and that co-location of other services such as police has not been successful. There already are hospitals in two of the three locations cited, why not keep them both? If one of the three locations is chosen, it should be at one of the existing sites and Lydney is the most convenient with easy access to Gloucester and Cheltenham and main routes through to Lydney from the Forest villages.		
34	12/09/17 8:17PM ID: 63852746	The biggest concern for me, is that in the event the new building is located somewhere else (no issues with this) what will happen to the land/ old hospital belonging to the Dilke? I'm worried it will be sold off for development, the building was paid for by the miners. It seems disrespectful somehow to the men who worked for this. I think a plan for this building or protection clauses should be included if you want to get locals on board with this. Friends of the hospitals raise an incredible amount of money to support both hospitals and so it seems wise to keep these donors on board.		
35	12/09/17 8:41PM ID: 63854205	I want Option 2, PROVIDED it is on the SAME SITE		
36	12/09/17 8:54PM ID: 63854635	The views of the forest people and the history of both hospitals.		
37	12/09/17 9:05PM ID: 63854756	Accessibility important due to poor public transport from areas within the forest. Adequate parking would be required and not at Gloucester royal parking prices.		
38	12/09/17 10:09PM ID: 63858217	moving it to steamills is not central for Lydney nor for Dilk		
39	12/09/17 10:11PM ID: 63858542	I am worried that it will be moved towards Lydney, impossible to get to.		
40	12/09/17 10:35PM ID: 63859618	I disagree to the idea entirely		
41	12/09/17 11:09PM ID: 63861117	As before 2 separate community hospitals		
42	12/09/17 11:15PM ID: 63860822	The benefits of the proposal are not clear. The deficiencies of the proposal are not addressed. The reasons for proposing the change are not convincing. Ease of access in a large rural area with poor transport links should be considered. The wishes of local residents should be considered. The net benefit to services must improve in any proposal but no substantial improvements are proposed. No substantial deficiencies should be introduced. Financial benefits realised from any release of land should accrue back to the communities which funded the hospitals and entrusted them to the NHS		
43	12/09/17 11:37PM ID: 63861643	It's just to make the northern bypass look like it's a success, rather than the shambles it really is!!!		
44	13/09/17 12:15AM ID: 63862263	The proposal is obviously Cinderford. This is an area of very steep hills so in the event of bad weather the town can be inaccessible. No public transport available to Cinderford from Lydney, Newent, Bream, Yorkley, Tiddenham, Aylburton - the list is endless. The location will be difficult to reach unless it is Steam Mills. This area is in a flood		

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		plain, so the building and infrastructure would have to be raised. Look at Tewksbury Hospital - brand new and the rear floods!!!		
45	13/09/17 1:22AM ID: 63863590	Not losing a single bed		
46	13/09/17 6:39AM ID: 63866330	There ought to be a hospital in both the West and East of the Forest. I outlined the transport issues earlier for even good weather conditions. Add to that trees coming down and roadworks. You need to consider the historical importance of the Dilke and its significance to the community. This cannot be a paper decision solely, and cannot be seen to be being imposed on the Forest. It is already in your power to extend opening hours and employ more staff. Extending both hospitals to provide better facilities so people don't spend an hour getting to the Royal in Gloucester would be ideal.		
47	13/09/17 7:49AM ID: 63868059	lack of buses in forest, roads in a shocking state of disrepair.		
48	13/09/17 8:12AM ID: 63869020	It's not just down to the local towns. But it must met the needs and accessibility of the local villages, including those without transport		
49	13/09/17 8:46AM ID: 63870431	We need a hospital that is fit for purpose but we also need more than 24 beds, take a look at Tewkesbury Hospital the out patient services are good but not enough in patient beds		
50	13/09/17 9:01AM ID: 63871067	Community hospitals should remain in our communities.		
51	13/09/17 9:11AM ID: 63871612	The wishes of the local people		
52	13/09/17 9:14AM ID: 63871956	Lydney is a long way from other parts of the Forest		
53	13/09/17 9:41AM ID: 63873543	I do not agree with option 1 and this consultation is starting to feel like it's full of leading questions that will help you make the case for your preferred option.		
54	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63873739	If a new hospital is built then the location will be a political decision - regardless of whatever criteria you put forward.		
55	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63872453	As mentioned before, the Forest of Dean is a very large area, with an aging population and poor road network. If it were to be built in Lydney it would be too far from the north of the Forest, Lydbrook, Ruardean etc... as mentioned before previously, the roads are shocking, point being the one at Cannop, in the last 5 years, has spent more time closed than open. Similarly this would have an impact on a sole hospital in Cinderford. From a pure logistical postion we need 2 hospitals to cover the area.		
56	13/09/17 11:00AM ID: 63878442	Accessibility		
57	13/09/17 11:17AM ID: 63879954	Access by bus.		
58	13/09/17 1:28PM ID: 63889969	We need one for Cinderford and immediate areas.		
59	13/09/17 3:34PM ID: 63899550	For reasons already stated. Keeping the model you already have in place (Lydney and The Dilke).		
60	13/09/17 3:45PM ID: 63898452	The hospital should be at a minimum accessible by public transport. Lots of the vulnerable and elderly in the Forest don't have cars. The transport network in the Forest is not good enough to be able to allow access to a hospital within 30 minutes		
61	13/09/17 4:27PM ID: 63902862	Spending the available money on the 2 existing hospitals that we already have and that are easily accessible to every one in The Forest,		
62	13/09/17 4:39PM	Wishes of local people		

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	ID: 63904166			
63	13/09/17 5:05PM ID: 63901967	Again, you do not make it clear to the layman especially pensioners, exactly what this entails.		
64	13/09/17 5:53PM ID: 63908134	I've already stated why I don't agree with merging our hospitals. Other criteria, is to leave things as they are.		
65	13/09/17 6:24PM ID: 63909528	Travel and access		
66	13/09/17 8:26PM ID: 63914633	see previous comments		
67	13/09/17 8:31PM ID: 63914403	LEAVE THINGS AS THEY ARE		
68	13/09/17 9:25PM ID: 63916911	We have two hospitals that should be maintained and updated. People care too quick to replace rather than repair. Consider what the people want not what you think they should want.		
69	13/09/17 11:06PM ID: 63920277	I do not agree with the proposal.		
70	13/09/17 11:35PM ID: 63920870	Consider updating both hospitals rather than limiting already narrow options.		
71	14/09/17 1:00AM ID: 63922365	We still want the Dilke to remain as our hospital		
72	14/09/17 1:24AM ID: 63922328	As previous has to be located Cinderford area close to Gloucester A road as possible.		
73	14/09/17 7:28AM ID: 63926308	I don't want you to close the hospitals, why ask a consultation with the assumption already made, an awful biased survey		
74	14/09/17 9:02AM ID: 63929597	Updating and investing in current dilke and lydney hospitals		
75	14/09/17 9:25AM ID: 63930983	The location should be more 'central' to the FOD i.e. Coleford area - minutes from both Cinderford and Lydney		
76	14/09/17 9:52AM ID: 63932618	More beds everyone's living longer which results in more adult social care. Also a accident and emergency department would be good 24/7 instead of travelling to Gloucester etc		
77	14/09/17 1:49PM ID: 63948568	The forest covers a wide area and the elderly and non drivers would find it hard to access also the cottage hospital ambience would be lost		
78	14/09/17 2:42PM ID: 63952450	I refer you to my earlier comments.		
79	14/09/17 4:28PM ID: 63959375	Leaving the hospitals as they are. It seems to be a constant battle to try & save our community hospitals but BATTLE we will!!		
80	14/09/17 5:12PM ID: 63964533	As already stated		
81	14/09/17 7:12PM ID: 63971892	You should consider the existing GP provision and waiting lists - trying to get an appointment at the Lydney GP practice is already almost impossible - if you move the hospital and don't significantly increase GP provision in Lydney it will go beyond breaking point		
82	14/09/17 10:12PM ID: 63979107	Safe Road travel, the forest is a dangerous place to navigate at night		
83	14/09/17 11:29PM	You should include the impact of the new site on the heritage and natural setting of the		

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	ID: 63979940	forest. e.g. you should not devastate a swathe of forest for a new hospital which is actually owned by an engineering conglomerate and rented by the people, and which will then (many years from now) be closed and sold for housing. It should be on brownfield site, but not one would could be employment land.		
84	15/09/17 6:13AM ID: 63985013	We should consider an area which is in the centre of the forest of Dean, which is easily accessible via bus routes so that patients can access with ease. Lydney is a prime location with it being on the outskirts of the forest.		
85	15/09/17 9:05AM ID: 63988810	The criteria are OK but the definition of 'affordability' is dependent on available budget that can be adjusted. The new single hospital is not deemed acceptable (neither is it seen as unacceptable - how can this be known at this stage in a consultation???) - this indicates a seriously undemocratic process.		
86	15/09/17 10:58AM ID: 63995417	The forest of Dean needs 2 hospitals. it is too big an area for 1 community hospital to cover		
87	15/09/17 11:39AM ID: 63998442	To knock down one and rebuild is a disgrace. Esp, of it is the Dilke. I've already stated the importance of this building to OUR community. Secondly, the expenditure of this venture. Costly, to say the least.		
88	15/09/17 5:15PM ID: 64021966	Public transport and costings to visit Local relationship lost with staff Loss of employment Redevelopment of existing buildings		
89	15/09/17 5:30PM ID: 64021854	A target of 30 minutes access by car is fine. However, there is no measurement for public transport and this is a major flaw in what you are considering. I would suggest 45 minutes by public transport. With the dwindling bus service in the forest I doubt if this could be achieved for many areas now let alone in the future.		
90	15/09/17 5:36PM ID: 64023411	Any location must be accessible to all including good reliable public transport		
91	15/09/17 5:53PM ID: 64024246	Greater consideration of public transport links but agree that it should be close to one of the main towns... drive times and road quality should also be considered, e.g. Better to be on a road that's more accessible to all than in the centre of one of the towns		
92	16/09/17 7:39AM ID: 64043076	Superficially seem plausible but provide the evidence for the assessments you make (data) and I would be better able to evaluate the choices.		
93	16/09/17 8:47AM ID: 64044676	Better to have some facility rather than none, but it is still short changing the people who live in the Forest of Dean.		
94	16/09/17 4:55PM ID: 64058782	Its already been decided you know it as well as I Do we should redevelop the Dilke on the land and continue with free parking		
95	16/09/17 11:21PM ID: 64072552	More beneficial to patients to have smaller hospitals that are more local.		
96	17/09/17 12:14PM ID: 64082965	I think I should be built on one of the existing sites. No other locations considered,		
97	17/09/17 9:47PM ID: 64099652	A single hospital cannot properly serve this geographically remote area with its awful roads and communications		
98	18/09/17 11:35AM ID: 64120030	Do not build simple		
99	18/09/17 11:55AM ID: 64121359	I believe the proposed closures will be successfully proposed by the Forest residents		
100	18/09/17 12:30PM ID: 64124144	I feel a bigger hospital would lose personal care to individuals in the wards		
101	18/09/17 12:46PM	The new hospital needs to be easily available to get to. Plenty of parking is essential		

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	ID: 64124887			
102	18/09/17 1:25PM ID: 64126922	i think it should be built in coleford because it is more central and better bus services and transport link there are two roads to access for gloucester not like lydney wich only has one		
103	18/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64128248	i would like it to be built in coleford because it is in the middle of the forest and got good bus service		
104	18/09/17 4:35PM ID: 64143135	Think it should be coleford it's more central to the forest traffic in lydney is terrible and lydney is not in the forest it's on the outskirts		
105	18/09/17 10:25PM ID: 64159036	I don't agree that it has to be a totally new site. The Forest of Dean is large and if possible there should continue to be two hospitals		
106	19/09/17 9:24AM ID: 64170482	Yes it should be near one of the major towns in the Forest. But you will struggle with bus routes. Yes it might be on a bus route, but have you ever tried to travel from Lydney to Cinderford by bus and then get a suitable return. Its not easy, there are connections that are required, stood outside waiting.		
107	19/09/17 9:55AM ID: 64174459	If in Coleford - OK Not Cinderford		
108	19/09/17 4:04PM ID: 64199770	It should be closer than 30 minutes by car, I suggest 15-20 minutes at the most. Gloucester is less than 30 minutes away.		
109	20/09/17 4:54PM ID: 64294863	It is very important that the local population have input on the locality of the hospital and transport i.e. Bus service is taken in to account		
110	20/09/17 5:17PM ID: 64296646	That it's equal to all including myself all aspects are fair like a better hospice		
111	20/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64302984	Travel around the Forest, or even out of the Forest to medical services in Gloucester or Tewkesbury is difficult, especially for the most vulnerable patients and patients without access to their own transport. So concentrating all facilities on one site will inevitably make access for patients and visitors more difficult.		
112	21/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64327875	Not happy with proposed number of beds, should be at least as many as are currently available in both existing hospitals. It should be in Coleford as the most central.		
113	21/09/17 10:15AM ID: 64328838	As I said in Question 1, it should be complete before the closure of both existing hospitals		
114	21/09/17 12:25PM ID: 64339787	Would like to see a lot more beds		
115	21/09/17 1:18PM ID: 64343593	Should be accessible by good public transport links. Cannot be "car or Public Transport" Car accessibility is a given		
116	21/09/17 1:39PM ID: 64343992	There is no need to waste money. (though I've no doubt a PFP will be drawn up to pay for it) if you have 11 million as you say, use to maintain our equipment or community hospital at the Dilke. Give back the services and equipment		
117	21/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64345773	Because we don't need it, what we need is the hospital we have to be funded properly in a prefect location for the forest.		
118	22/09/17 12:28PM ID: 64399915	The new hospital must be built before any closures!		
119	23/09/17 11:57AM ID: 64441282	If possible, whilst considering all the other criteria which I agree with, the hospital should be located where the most people have to travel the least. I.E. central to the population rather than central geographically.		
120	23/09/17 1:24PM ID: 64441507	as previosly stated on last pages		
121	24/09/17 5:26PM	it should not happen!!!!		

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	ID: 64484919			
122	24/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64488807	Not enough beds to satisfy the current demand		
123	25/09/17 9:11AM ID: 64504036	ammount of bed's and services etc.		
124	25/09/17 11:25AM ID: 64513980	Further for some people to travel as some people are already 30minutes from gloucester.		
125	25/09/17 12:26PM ID: 64519377	Have you forgotten about Newent? Last time I heard it was still in the Forest of Dean. Very difficult to find a spot which is accessible to all 4 forest towns. Lydney hospital has no room to expand, the Dilke hospital is surrounded by acres of land and is almost central. New roads into cinderford will also make it more accessible. An obvious choice, you cannot rely on public transport - especially in the winter time.		
126	27/09/17 4:02PM ID: 64673255	we have two hospitals, one on each side of the forest. What about those who do not drive? or are elderly and have no assistance? And extra buses will be detrimental to the environment. And at what cost to the environment is this going to have?		
127	27/09/17 4:48PM ID: 64676133	That transport by car is your criteria (30 Mins) You already highlight the fact that over 65 population is increasing (ie becoming more important). You need to define a public transport criteria as well as many of us will have to take this mode of transport.. Given you believe by car should be 30 Mins as a reasonable travel time then this should be the same for public transport.		
128	28/09/17 9:51AM ID: 64708751	dishonesty and sly manipulation of fuels and figure its despicable		
129	28/09/17 1:44PM ID: 64729429	I do not think that a single community hospital should be sited near Lydney or Cinderford since this would cause access problems to the "losing" site. A site in or around Coleford seems fairer		
130	29/09/17 4:43PM ID: 64793956	I do not agree that more communities should have to travel further to a single centre in the Forest Of Dean. The existing presence of the two local hospitals supporting basic medical issues is more convenient for patients, especially those without their own transport. There is a case for adding a third centre for basic medical care supported by peripatetic specialists to support the further reaches of the Forest area not currently having good access. Advanced care should be focused at larger hospitals, devolving things like A&E, Clinics, and post operative recovery to local centres near to patient's home or family.		
131	30/09/17 9:10PM ID: 64860479	The current road structure in the FOD make it difficult to reach certain places. It can take as long to get to Lydney as to Gloucester. Needs to be a more central point. Could the current building not be extended to take more wards and accept recovering patients from outside the area? Where is the support for the Challenges in the Report? Why would a new unit cost less than the current ones.		
132	30/09/17 10:23PM ID: 64863811	The Dilke and Lydney Hospitals are both needed. The last thing we need is to lose one of them and reduce the number of beds. Why do the authorities always put the needs of the Forest of Dean people last?		
133	01/10/17 7:47AM ID: 64871644	Because I don't agree with a new hospital!		
134	01/10/17 8:23AM ID: 64872291	Agree - Accessible Disagree - One location - within thirty minutes drive. Pressure will be put on Gloucester hospital, as for many it will then be quicker and easier to travel to than having to journey across the Forest.		

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135	01/10/17 3:31PM ID: 64885544	We should work tirelessly to keep and improve our existing hospitals		
136	01/10/17 3:50PM ID: 64886182	Local people need to get to the hospital by car, public transport and on foot. If you co-locate with a GP surgery, you will need town centre access. Others can get to the hospital by car so the location needs to be IN one of the three population centers. The three main local practices have a clinical footfall of over 40,000 patients per year and a non-clinical footfall (collecting scrips, getting results, making appointments) of another 15,000 people. This is MASSIVELY greater than any hospital only access. The best location is one that satisfies this for at least one town. The NISA site in Lydney is better than any other, the record of support from the Friends is better than any other - so the most sustainable location is Lydney centre. Moving to Five Acres is madness for the population of Coleford, and pretty poor for Lydney and Cinderford. Valley Road is not bad, but not as good as Lydney centre. Planning for the next 50years demands you additionally design the facility with space to expand if the future so demands. Do not imagine today's model will work on 25 years without substantial change. Please build in the capacity to grow.		
137	01/10/17 6:07PM ID: 64891088	Can local bus services be guaranteed for those who need to attend the hospital and do not have their own transport?		
138	01/10/17 6:52PM ID: 64892853	see under question1 - fulfilment of criteria not self evident as per the analysis. Preferred option is option2		
139	01/10/17 10:05PM ID: 64899813	It's going to be difficult for everyone to get somewhere in 30 mins from the far flung parts of the district		
140	02/10/17 3:30PM ID: 64941132	it reads ' is accessible by car or public transport' it should read 'is accessible by car AND public transport' It also needs to be accessible without changing buses		
141	02/10/17 4:48PM ID: 64946903	I am unable to download the consultation booklet as it is in a programme that my laptop will not recognise		
142	02/10/17 5:08PM ID: 64946659	At the moment it is only 30 minutes drive to Gloucester hospital from Cinderford, Coleford and Lydney by car therefore how do you consider that this is valid for a new hospital in the Forest of dean or is it an attempt to withdraw hospital services without replacing them.		
143	02/10/17 10:26PM ID: 64964136	Surely you can see there should be more than one hospital in the forest?		
144	02/10/17 10:30PM ID: 64964356	Should be central so all can get there. Will be problems if sited in Cinderford or Lydney as both towns will want to retain their hospital. Bus routes are few and far between, perhaps better links to attend hospital should be considered.		
145	03/10/17 9:51AM ID: 64980741	The fact that Gloucester is 30 minutes by car so we wouldn't gain anything unless the site is much nearer than 30 minutes by car. Also one of the hospitals if not both, would have all their money / facilities wasted if they were to close		
146	03/10/17 10:38AM ID: 64984080	You should take into consideration a) The mentality of Forest people who are very proud of their local hospitals b) public transport throughout the forest is deplorable and not everyone has cars c) When the tolls are abolished, houses in the forest of dean will be prime real estate with an increase of population d) refurbishment of the northern quarter in Cinderford will bring more people into the area		
147	03/10/17 11:06AM ID: 64986099	I don't agree with bed reduction. The data in this booklet is inaccurate. 21 beds not enough. How many forest patients are in Gloucester Hospital at the same time who could be looked after locally.		
148	03/10/17 11:20AM ID: 64988820	top priority is new hospital. site for location for other care services may detract from this		

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149	03/10/17 11:29AM ID: 64989446	We need the Dilke made better, funded, equipped and maintained as it should have been		
150	03/10/17 6:50PM ID: 65021112	We need a 24hr A &E staffed correctly. we need outpatient facilities.and an improved physio dept. Most importantly we do NOT need a reduction in beds.The beds are over subscribed now, how can it even be considered to reduce them. Post op patients from Gloucester who and complications and unabe to go straight home have to wait on a waiting list to return to the forest. Also reducing the number of beds will have a severe impact on the Gloucestershire Major incident procedure, reducing the beds by half means you are unable to deseminate patients to make way for your acute injuries, in the main hospital.		
151	03/10/17 7:30PM ID: 65022864	Public Transportation. Vulnerability of a single site. Distance for some FOD Residents to travel		
152	03/10/17 8:39PM ID: 65025971	Money seems to be wasted!! Rip down two perfectly built buildings and let's waste money by building a new one.....		
153	03/10/17 9:06PM ID: 65027144	The hospitals that are here work well. If it's not broken don't fix it.		
154	03/10/17 9:37PM ID: 65028625	The need to keep both hospitals		
155	03/10/17 10:15PM ID: 65030000	It doesn't matter what we the people want it's what the beauracrats want that will happen		
156	04/10/17 11:57AM ID: 65053308	This needed to be considered before the public consultation in order for people to make an informed decision. However unlikely it may be, I couldn't support a new hospital in Newent for example		
157	05/10/17 10:36AM ID: 65106437	Keep Lydney and Dilke open. The Forest needs these hospitals		
158	05/10/17 10:46AM ID: 65107260	Provide ample parking, Maternity unit for free miners		
159	05/10/17 10:49AM ID: 65107593	not being near either current location so that no one can claim to be a winner or loser		
160	05/10/17 12:44PM ID: 65115863	If you are considering a site for "one" hospital that is to serve the whole Forest there is only one geographical area that is Coleford. Either of the other areas would significantly disadvantage residents from the opposite sides of the Forest.		
161	05/10/17 12:49PM ID: 65116130	It should be at Coleford which is equal distant between Lydney and Cinderford		
162	05/10/17 2:48PM ID: 65124090	New location would deoend on size of car parking.		
163	06/10/17 2:22PM ID: 65180160	A new location should be Cinderford / Coleford based or residents may as well go to Gloucester with all that entails ie. waiting times		
164	06/10/17 2:24PM ID: 65180776	It depends on how easy it will be to liaise with bus companies to reach where it is based		
165	06/10/17 9:30PM ID: 65204643	Cinderford is a good central hospital location for The Forest, but not for Lydney. Best option is two hospitals and extra funding if necessary.		
166	06/10/17 9:55PM ID: 65205077	replacing the 2 present hospitals will be a retrograde step and will need at least as much again spent in the next 5 years to bring it up to a suitable position for the future population which is anticipated to be at least 1000,000 by 2025.		
167	07/10/17 6:57PM ID: 65232954	Location should be Lydney, Dilke or in between, not Coleford or Cinderford Will need sufficient space to have a free carpark capable of accepting all staff patients		

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168	09/10/17 10:45AM ID: 65285464	The site should be the most accessible, to the most people who will need to access services, by means of transport other than the car. It should be affordable to buy and develop.		
169	09/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65300501	Local transport available, distance and plenty of parking available		
170	09/10/17 9:05PM ID: 65330450	Infrastructure should be considered take the old tuffins store at lydney water gas electric sewerage already in place pluse parking and the bus station obvious site		
171	09/10/17 11:00PM ID: 65335388	Needs to be centrally located in the forest On defined bus routes Consider access to GRH for acutely unwell patients Consider access in the winter, take into account access into and out of the Forest e.g. plump Hill, Littledean Hill, A48 Must have the facility to enlarge it easily with minimal disruption Winter pressures		
172	10/10/17 9:53AM ID: 65350570	A lot of money has been spent recently at Dilke and Lydney hospitals and why was this when this proposal of one hospital was being looked into		
173	10/10/17 10:07AM ID: 65352277	Any hospital should be at the Dilke site end of story. But you can keep your new build, the Dilke is unique and you should be ashamed of your lies and half truths. We know you skew these questions to get the answer you want, but we are not giving it		
174	10/10/17 10:18AM ID: 65353010	We don't want it, stop trying to force this on us. you have skewed these questions to get the answers you want, we aren't draft, we see what's been happening. We need our two hospitals funded properly, why are you so hell bent on closing them.		
175	10/10/17 10:40AM ID: 65354189	It assumes all Forest residents have a car. Typical middle class professionals - unable to even consider that there are people who cannot afford a car. Don't see many of you on buses. This is all lead by your self interests.		
176	10/10/17 10:47AM ID: 65356108	It should be at the centre of the Forest of Dean Area		
177	10/10/17 10:50AM ID: 65356388	Just keep the two hopsitals		
178	10/10/17 11:00AM ID: 65356909	Need to define unique heritage and how it would be reflected in new hospital. What would happen if neither current hospital could be sold especially if Dilke hospital has restricted usage in deeds ie has t ohave some health usage? could it become expanded GP base? Why not build new hospital on spare ground at the Dilke. If not enough you can purchase some from Foresrtry? Do hope progress will be made - unlike waste of time and money on previous consultation process 10 years ago		
179	10/10/17 11:09AM ID: 65357680	concern re distance - half an hour is like Gloucester from most parts of the Forest. Also public transport is a laugh. Especially from outlying places, not everyone has transport. Also there must be plenty of parking.		
180	10/10/17 11:27AM ID: 65358389	you seem to lack any kind of common sense. The Dilke is central to the forest and Lydney serves its area perfectly. You are being dishonest in your plans and in their presentation. we don't want or need your new build		
181	10/10/17 11:48AM ID: 65361364	Public transport essential. Sufficient car parking		
182	10/10/17 11:53AM ID: 65361474	We in Lydney now have a huge estate of houses built on the by pass with a result it has added to population in this area. I cannot think there could be more in any other place in the Forest of Dean		
183	10/10/17 12:01PM	The location must be accessible to ALL residents so the location must be served by		

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	ID: 65361936	reliable and affordable transport for all. This must be a priority condition and agreed with providers of public transport before the location is finally agreed. Consultation after the location is determined is not acceptable - being able to access healthcare within a 10 minute car journey does not address the needs of those who do not drive or have access to private transport		
184	10/10/17 12:11PM ID: 65362736	The Public transport / road links from here (Newent) to the Forest of Dean are non existent. Why not allow Newent people to access the facilities in Ross and Ledbury which are accessible and are more personal than GRH.		
185	11/10/17 11:57AM ID: 65434732	Transport issues – wherever it is, could be hard to access on public transport		
186	11/10/17 3:51PM ID: 65453736	It is imperative that a new site should be near to main access roads to the Forest. Those roads should, in turn, be at a lower elevation to ensure winter weather does not prevent access by ambulance etc. Location to a main line railway station would also be preferable meaning that staff/ visiting physicians/relatives coming from Gloucester or Chepstow area have choices of transport. Reliance on public transport does not seem to be realistic. Even if some main bus routes run through the Forest, their frequency would not be such that out patients/visitors journeys would be easy. They could be facing long waits either at the hospital when they arrive, or at the hospital when they wish to return.		
187	11/10/17 11:03PM ID: 65479151	The existing community sites should be used. It should not be a small panel of residents/health professionals deciding, the wider public should also have input.		
188	12/10/17 9:39AM ID: 65494452	Understand some of the reasons		
189	12/10/17 9:47AM ID: 65494661	There is not much point getting rid of two smaller hospitals, if they are replaced with one small hospital		
190	12/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65495455	Just scrap the whole idea! Or is it a foregone conclusion?		
191	12/10/17 10:02AM ID: 65496118	Remember that many older people do not drive. It is difficult to get to Cinderford from Lydney and Vice Versa		
192	12/10/17 10:07AM ID: 65496312	Accessibility for non car owners - no one wants a 2 hour bus journey or the possibility of a long way for infrequent bus service		
193	12/10/17 10:24AM ID: 65497075	Needs to be accessible by public transport. Many Elderly and people with complex issues do not have their own transport or people to drive them there. Needs to be located within a town		
194	12/10/17 12:49PM ID: 65510727	What's wrong with a rural location and a designated bus route? Plenty of parking, lovely outlook and it avoids the long entrenched rivalry between the towns.		
195	12/10/17 1:00PM ID: 65511633	Forest public transport system / if you cant get to the hospital you cant use it		
196	12/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65512085	you are wrong. More wrong than you know, but you don't care do you!		
197	12/10/17 1:15PM ID: 65512721	Not necessary Most patients will still have to go to Gloucester / Cheltenham		
198	12/10/17 3:13PM ID: 65521766	Consideration should be given to the site itself e.g. not using green land but utilising land that needs redevelopment. It should have enough space for pleasant garden/surroundings - especially as this hospital will cater for end of life.		
199	12/10/17 9:35PM ID: 65551051	Bring back minor operations maternity unit should be available and a lot more beds the forest is growing rapidly in population with more houses need a hospital big enough to cope with this and think it should be in Coleford because it is central to the forest with 2 main routes to Gloucester		

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200	13/10/17 11:33AM ID: 65574484	<p>Your first statement is that is should be within a 30 minute car journey. It takes only 30 minutes by car to get to Gloucester. I cannot believe as do many others I have discussed this with that a site has not already been earmarked so why not have the courage of your convictions and give us the whole picture. I still believe that our best option to serve this community is to keep both sites and to bring more utilisation of services into the area.</p> <p>Why do we have to have a mobile Chemo unit when comfortable clean rooms are available? Why can't the Diabetic eye screening unit be set up in one of the many vacant rooms in the current hospitals? Why can't people who have to receive dialysis be settled into a room with a beautiful restful view of the countryside instead of an industrial estate? If this is proof of today's NHS planning then there is no hope.</p>		
201	13/10/17 12:17PM ID: 65580252	The hospital if put at Coleford or Lydney would take me in a car 45 - 55 minutes. This is too far to access. Parking should continue to be free		
202	13/10/17 12:20PM ID: 65582089	Accessibility by public transport is paramount, not just by private car		
203	13/10/17 12:21PM ID: 65582325	Not sure that if sited in Lydney that this is within 30 minutes of GL18 residents		
204	13/10/17 12:21PM ID: 65581551	The whole idea is crazy. One centre for the area would mean one or other of the areas will suffer.		
205	13/10/17 12:33PM ID: 65582996	To access any of the three centres of population proposed for the location requires access to a car as public transport would require travel to Gloucester and then on to either Cinderford, Coleford or Lydney from Newent and surrounding areas		
206	13/10/17 12:56PM ID: 65584392	<p>Wasting public Money, time and resources.</p> <p>Use and extend existing facilities in present location. Lydney and surrounding area is growing all the time. Best solution for now and in the future. If a NEW hospital is built in Cinderford location or even Coleford, I will be livid. So much spent on Lydney hospital already. Too much WASTE and DISPOSAL IN THE WORLD!</p>		
207	13/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65585889	If you mean "that there is a site that..." then I agree completely. If you mean you already have a site in mind (which the phrasing suggests) then I cant agree without further information		
208	13/10/17 1:13PM ID: 65586214	BUT in November 2016, I had a fall and received quick, first class assessment and recommendations and treatments at Lydney Minor Injuries Unit. This unit is far enough to travel from St Briavels. A long wait at a larger A&E would not be desirable		
209	13/10/17 1:19PM ID: 65586970	There should be a poll of local people about this		
210	13/10/17 1:35PM ID: 65587707	As long it is in Coleford as this is the most central town and better road links		
211	13/10/17 1:48PM ID: 65589214	Where is your preferred location? if its not Lydney I do not agree - but I realise this is selfish		
212	13/10/17 1:56PM ID: 65589651	You people don't have the sense of a 3 year old, its pie in the sky, your plans are a joke. You need to live on planet earth for a while. you are wrong.		
213	13/10/17 2:00PM ID: 65590316	Due diligence regarding growth in population - Severn Bridge Toll easing possible junction 13A M5 etc		
214	13/10/17 2:03PM ID: 65590632	Not enough services for the Forest		
215	13/10/17 5:26PM ID: 65612551	<p>No one location is appropriate for Lydney or the Forest as a whole.</p> <p>The town of Lydney continues to grow with massive housing developments having just been approved which can only increase the need to maintain and improve the existing Hospital there.</p> <p>The town of Cinderford has experienced an huge increase in housing.</p> <p>Both these town need the current facilities. Then there is the rest of the Forest population to consider, the outlying villages and tiny settlements</p>		

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		Public transport is virtually non-existent and it can take some considerable time to cross the Forest by car.		
		The other criteria you need consider is the need of the public for these facilities. Put us first and money second		
216	16/10/17 10:01AM ID: 65749238	The Forest of Dean has many elderly residents who do not or can not drive, and are restricted to using public transport, so unless new bus routes are created to serve the new hospital, I do not see how this will improve access to NHS services.		
217	16/10/17 11:13AM ID: 65755510	Still the same things the more you go in the forest the worse the problem of getting to bigger towns!		
218	17/10/17 9:26AM ID: 65832110	In addition to my personal reservations above as long as it is accessible to all with little effort, or transporting time, then I hope the site detailed is available to build on a.s.a.p		
219	17/10/17 9:30AM ID: 65832618	The criteria are logical but do not take into account transportation networks locally		
220	17/10/17 9:42AM ID: 65833938	I do not believe that the location should be selected by the clinicians and health professionals, I believe that the location should be agreed by local people or GCS board if possible.		
221	17/10/17 10:03AM ID: 65835642	you are wrong. Use the money that is burning its way through your pockets to fund our hospitals as they should have been		
222	17/10/17 10:17AM ID: 65836451	You are wrong, wrong, wrong! And what's so maddening is you don't care, Glos Health services, do me a favour!! You people need to get some sense		
223	17/10/17 10:31AM ID: 65837824	You are wrong on every level. Where is the clarity of thinking? Where is the common sense? you have tried for years to close our hospitals. Putting one smaller unit in place is senseless.		
224	17/10/17 2:00PM ID: 65858176	Greater emphasis on transport. Can a public transport service to the site be maintained		
225	17/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65858641	Its wrong from start to end. The dilke wasn't sited where it is by accident. It is recognised to be the centre of the forest and it is easily accessible. No doubt your remark that most people attend by car is significant as you intend to charge for parking. We are not the idiots here you people are. Shame Shame		
226	17/10/17 2:21PM ID: 65859548	The other criteria that should be considered that people like my father paid out of their wages for the Dilke hospital, so a site like the old Northern united colliery would be very fitting. good Bus connection and last deep mine in Forest of Dean and publicly owned land by district council. and again no town could argue a new hospital at Northern united site could also serve as a memorial to forest miners. Very fitting		
227	17/10/17 2:35PM ID: 65860638	Coleford is a good location as it is a equal distance between cinderford and lydney. There are 2 sites which would be appropriate, with open views, close to a main road. 1) The site on which Aldi supermarket wished to build 2) Next door to the existing hospice, which was built on land from a local land owner who is known to be sympatric to providing community facilities. Both sites would fulfil your criteria		
228	17/10/17 8:39PM ID: 65886259	Should have sufficient parking for staff, visiting staff for clinics, patients and visitors which currently is not available at sites. Should offer sufficient services/clinics that have been currently cancelled at the dilke and lydney which saves having to travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham Be able to accomodate inpatient and outpatient services for the community.		
229	19/10/17 12:29PM ID: 65993272	It should consider proximity to Gloucester. Cinderford is close enough for patients to continue on to Gloucester. Lydney is a better site, because it is so far from other A&E or outpatients		
230	19/10/17 12:42PM ID: 65994006	Location would depend on public transport, many living in the Forest do not drive, most local buses cease early evening and would not necessarily be available for late appointments or to return home. This would cause additional stress / expense		

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231	19/10/17 1:10PM ID: 65996930	Must have a public transport access Pharmacy Café Supported by volunteers		
232	19/10/17 1:27PM ID: 65998046	Its all down to where the hospital will be built and getting to it easily. The Lydney location is good		
233	19/10/17 1:36PM ID: 65995265	Four years ago I was admitted to hospital with depression, this meant I was a Patient at Charlton Lane on the outskirts of Cheltenham. No where was suitable in the forest, due to Colliers Court being closed to inpatients, and Coleford house is also closed. When my wife visited me during the week she had to catch three buses and the total journey took her over five hours. This is totally unacceptable! The new hospital would need beds for people with mental problems, there is no mention of this in your consultation booklet!		
234	19/10/17 1:42PM ID: 65998725	It should also consider proximity to existing hospitals and larger A&E departments. Will this affect the location of current ambulance stations in the forest.		
235	19/10/17 1:51PM ID: 66000407	Travelling to appointments would be very difficult for people without their own transport. Also very difficult for pregnant mums		
236	19/10/17 2:27PM ID: 66003137	Very concerned where the new community hospital will be sited. I realise we need updated facilities. Very concerned of long travelling distances My concern - site for hospital - LYDNEY would be the most suitable site because the "weather climate is much milder in Lydney. Cinderford / Coleford have more severe bad weather. Lydney has many more building projects for new developments		
237	20/10/17 10:05AM ID: 66043419	emphasis in on "enhanced working conditions" conditions difficult (staff). Not modern Lydney and Cinderford hospitals have always maintained "efficient", effective, high quality care! What they need is probably more funds to extend building or to MRI, other equipment. Better in house treatment of existing staff. More training opportunities and more concentrated recruitment efforts. Not all about enhanced or aesthetic design. The travelling for hundreds of patients by bus across Forest is already onerous. Selection of location - you need to very carefully assess bus routes - Many people unable to get to certain locations. BUS CUTS MEAN NO REGULAR SERVICES		
238	20/10/17 11:07AM ID: 66046386	recognition that all forest towns look onwards - no centre - to Monmouth, Gloucester or E/W along A48 Vastly increasing housing / population in Lydney e.g planning restrictions in Forest for Housing.		
239	20/10/17 12:23PM ID: 66058671	If not near A48 then in bad weather / at night people will just go to Gloucester A&E to avoid bad roads		
240	20/10/17 12:41PM ID: 66059017	It should be on the Dilke site - there is usable space and this hospital belongs to the residents of the Forest of Dean. It should also incorporate the existing building - I'm sure the forestry commission could provide land for a car park!! (The Northern Quarter would not be a good location - I suspect this is already the suggested ideal site)		
241	20/10/17 5:18PM ID: 66082598	It really needs to be roughly in the middle of the Forest.		
242	21/10/17 4:32PM ID: 66116245	I do not feel that it solves the problem of access for those who cannot drive to the hospital.		
243	23/10/17 10:54AM ID: 66170576	If we are going to build a new hospital it should be a large one able to deal with anything and should include maternity facilities.		
244	23/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66184945	A new hospital needs good access. Coleford and Cinderford are inaccessible when snow and ice are on the roads.		
245	23/10/17 1:49PM ID: 66185458	The Dilke is already in the Forest. Just expand it instead of wasting money on a new and useless hospital. Lydney is an excellent hospital - fast friendly and its THERE		

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		which is paramount for Lydney and Chepstow which is growing fast.		
246	23/10/17 2:16PM ID: 66187999	All three forest towns have traffic problems. Perhaps an out of town site with plenty of parking would be preferable.		
247	23/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66188362	There is a history of development and planning in the forest based on financial or political interests. The process must be transparent.		
248	23/10/17 6:08PM ID: 66207351	Building a new hospital is a waste of money as we have 2 perfectly good hospitals already		
249	23/10/17 6:16PM ID: 66207143	Public transport across the Forest of Dean is not great so it would need improving if there was to be just one community hospital		
250	23/10/17 6:18PM ID: 66207449	There is no public transport in the Forest of Dean. That is why there are two hospitals now. One accessible in the north, one accessible in the south. Your assumption that everyone has access to private transport is ridiculous. It also disenfranchises a percentage of the population who, either because of medical conditions or lack of money, cannot access the new hospital		
251	23/10/17 6:41PM ID: 66207539	If the site is not the Dilke how do you propose to use the Dilke given its history as a true community hospital? It's construction having been funded by the community for the community. There is no mention of this in the criteria.		
252	23/10/17 7:40PM ID: 66211694	Population growth analysis Again better support services needed- especially when dealing with heart disease (more funding for dietary management etc)		
253	23/10/17 8:35PM ID: 66213870	There are four large towns in the Forest of Dean district- you have totally missed out Newent. Public transport between the towns in the FoD is abysmal - and funding subsidies are declining.		
254	23/10/17 9:12PM ID: 66215544	As before.		
255	23/10/17 10:37PM ID: 66218066	The current locations give better coverage. Better coverage from different multiple locations?		
256	24/10/17 8:45AM ID: 66228103	Do not compromise on the right solution and location just because the right thing is more expensive. Quality first please. Make sure that services are joined up and talk to each other. Use Health centres & GP surgeries to best effect, so that each can specialise in different procedures (as currently done in Newent), BUT make sure that public transport providers are involved and can support this; e.g. shuttle bus between all health centres and new hospital in a daily round robin.		
257	24/10/17 11:10AM ID: 66239498	Waste of resources and won't bring any more jobs to locals		
258	24/10/17 11:23AM ID: 66240099	we think it is important that a "cross the board" opinion is important.		
259	24/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66247830	You have two sites. With parking and public transport. Purchase costs of a completely new site will be ridiculously prohibitive. The Dilke was gifted to the NHS after being paid for by subscription of the workers. It is morally not yours to sell.		
260	24/10/17 2:08PM ID: 66252715	It is practically impossible for any site for the new hospital to be within easy reach of everyone in the Forest of Dean. Those without cars might still need to catch 2 buses and be restricted to certain times.		
261	24/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66253931	include other disciplines. Podiatry, dentist, physio, pain clinics		
262	24/10/17 2:40PM	ACBEE: Should be easily accessible by public transport for both staff and patients		

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	ID: 66254878	Lots of our most vulnerable community members DO NOT DRIVE. So a site without good public transport would be pointless. I DO NOT agree that the site can be 30 minutes drive away, that is too far, and is why we need two hospital sites. Other criteria to be considered - birthing suite within forest boundary		
263	24/10/17 5:12PM ID: 66266519	If you place it in cindeford it will remain local for me, if you place it in lydney it will be a long journey for me, why should you rob either community of a local hospital though, dont we both deserve one!		
264	24/10/17 5:40PM ID: 66268193	I think our hospitals should take maternity and small operations back on so it takes pressure off gloucester,Cheltenham and stroud. Not to mention the inconvenience to the the patient and families		
265	25/10/17 11:41AM ID: 66302794	how to get to hospital, must be a frequent bus service. The NHS is in such a state now, cannot see all this happening		
266	25/10/17 11:47AM ID: 66303313	The ideal place is between Milkwall and Coleford centre. Both no 23 buses (glos via Lydney) and no 31 (glos (via Cindeford) use that road to Coleford Centre		
267	25/10/17 11:52AM ID: 66303818	The two existing hospitals could be extended and developed together with another hospital built strategically in the forest.		
268	25/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66303163	It is my believe that the aim is to save the NHS in Gloucestershire money with no thought or intension to improve the well being of local people		
269	25/10/17 5:16PM ID: 66325605	As i indicated i partly agree .		
270	25/10/17 9:21PM ID: 66336986	Keep the existing hospitals open with more clinics held there by the Consultants from Gloucester!		
271	26/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66350704	The hospital will need to be on a bus route. Have good mobile signal (the dilke currently has none, very difficult and impractical). It needs to truly represent the foresters history not just a half hearted effort, as these hospitals were build by the foresters and are very personal to them. It needs to be in a quiet peaceful area, as this is part of the reason patients like the community hospitals for rehabilitation		
272	26/10/17 10:38AM ID: 66355559	All		
273	26/10/17 3:11PM ID: 66371236	You seem to be trying to make life easy for the staff and nurses rather than what's best for the people.		
274	26/10/17 3:47PM ID: 66373431	I think there needs to be more thought into how the new location would be reached by those without access to a car. Glos despite being out of teh FoD can be reached by public transport.		
275	26/10/17 9:45PM ID: 66388826	Must be central		
276	27/10/17 8:55AM ID: 66397500	This, and the previous question, makes me feel that the decision has already been made and that this consultation is just a smokescreen.		
277	27/10/17 9:32PM ID: 66433826	Why change what we already have especially after so much money has been invested.		
278	28/10/17 8:12AM ID: 66441652	Sorry there is no perfect access site that would be much easier than the file in any case for all forest people		
279	28/10/17 3:10PM ID: 66452129	It hasn't got to include GP's surgeries		
280	28/10/17 10:31PM ID: 66461727	Because I feel The Forest of Dean District Council is NOT transparent. No discussion or Vote has been made by The Forest of Dean Public!!! They have lost thousands of pounds by loosing Planning Appeals...		

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		I feel that a Developer will benefit & The Council....		
281	30/10/17 9:36AM ID: 66505261	would not want to travel more than 20 minutes. any longer may as well go to the very busy Gloucester hospital		
282	30/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66505789	I think a site should be chosen for it to be centrally accessed. Could consideration be sought for perhaps the old college site, Berry Hill, as a new college is being built in Cinderford. Being at Berry Hill this is quite central to the community at large. That would be a 30 minute drive for most people I think. It would have good parking but am unsure whether the site would be big enough. I think Berry Hill / Coleford would be ideal spot for a new community hospital. Is there any other grounds available in that area?		
283	30/10/17 10:38AM ID: 66510507	Public transport is an issue		
284	30/10/17 11:01AM ID: 66512280	Lydney and Cinderford has a better access to Gloucester Hospital, so I would rule out Coleford		
285	30/10/17 11:09AM ID: 66513083	"Reflecting the unique heritage and character of the forest" has nothing to do with this new hospital		
286	30/10/17 11:25AM ID: 66513880	Keep existing hospitals. Upgrade them. Outpatients open 24 hours. Not people having to go to Gloucester / Newport / Bristol. Its like being in 3rd world country. Is this GP surgery latest opening sprat to catch a mackerel		
287	30/10/17 1:03PM ID: 66521571	The Dilke is clean, well staffed, local to serve Cinderford, well maintained. Tax payers money could be better spent elsewhere		
288	30/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66522214	One hospital to cover the Forest will never replace two that are convenient for their local communities. Some will lose out but if all services were available then they might feel compensated. But 11 million will not provide much of a building.		
289	30/10/17 1:20PM ID: 66522807	The location must take into account of North forest residents so should be central within the Forest of Dean. Cinderford is the only viable location for Newent Residents		
290	30/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66523163	From Newent and surrounding Villages we need a regular bus service to the site of the new hospital so we are able to use it!!		
291	30/10/17 5:00PM ID: 66541119	The site must be on a main access road and have public transport available.		
292	30/10/17 6:39PM ID: 66546535	Aas already previously stated		
293	30/10/17 6:50PM ID: 66547538	Facilities to be offered, opening times, convenience of patients, travel time etc, etc		
294	30/10/17 8:12PM ID: 66551425	The central aspect of the Dilke is already ideal although better public transport should be provided		
295	31/10/17 9:43AM ID: 66574028	I think it is unnecessary to knock down two to re build one		
296	31/10/17 3:29PM ID: 66638369	You`ll be lucky to get a site with good public transport links. There is no good public transport in some areas of the FOD		
297	31/10/17 8:53PM ID: 66661633	Because I do not agree with the single hospital plan at all and will not be nudged by this manipulative survey into agreeing with any aspect of your plan. You should re-visit your original decision the Forest is a large area with difficult roads and very limited public transport that is non-existent in many places. We have two hospitals which is a minimum. Hand Off Our Hospitals. Stop treating our health provision as a business opportunity		
298	01/11/17 9:08AM ID: 66683367	Transport in the forest is problematic. This should be the number 1 priority. Access by bus and availability of free parking.		

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299	02/11/17 11:21AM ID: 66763373	As previously mentioned, Lydney is not a suitable site, it is difficult to travel to, and is on the edge of the Forest and not central. A new hospital need to be at either Cinderford or Coleford.		
300	02/11/17 2:40PM ID: 66780969	Na		
301	02/11/17 7:00PM ID: 66796229	A new hospital should be central to the Forest of Dean not on the outskirts.		
302	03/11/17 9:18AM ID: 66817918	you should consider new housing developments e.g Lydney to increase in population therefore more beds needed rather than fewer. Consider also needs of ageing population		
303	03/11/17 9:30AM ID: 66818175	Transport - no bus route		
304	03/11/17 9:39AM ID: 66819456	The new hospital should be situated at Lydney (area) as it is on the A48, has greater accessibility in winter i.e snow Cinderford gets snowbound. Also no further than 15 minutes by car		
305	03/11/17 9:44AM ID: 66819743	The new hospital should be no further than 15 minutes by car and should preferably in or near Lydney. If at Cinderford this could give accessibility problems in Winter, being up high and always has more snow than Lydney		
306	03/11/17 9:50AM ID: 66820084	Sorry but it really gives one the impression you are going to carry out whatever you want. If a new hospital is built, Coleford would be the best place, convenient from Cinderford or Lydney. Next to the hospice in Coleford would be ideal. Patients could look at and see fields, sheep, sky and sunshine. Not brick walls all the time. Family that own the fields next to hospice are a forest family and helped the hospice. Suggest you take the time to go and see!!!		
307	03/11/17 10:03AM ID: 66821386	30 minutes is a bit long as most people can get to Gloucester outskirts in that time. Also transport needs to be considered for those people without cars		
308	03/11/17 10:11AM ID: 66822272	The siting of the new hospital should be as geographically central as it can be		
309	03/11/17 10:18AM ID: 66822870	30 minutes is a bit long. You can travel across the forest in close to that. A lot of the forest population can get to outskirts of Gloucester in that time! Ideally should be located between 3 main centres biased on population density. Realise this would probably mean "green Field" site however		
310	03/11/17 10:25AM ID: 66823702	It should be accessible by car and public transport. Why does primary care need to be attached?		
311	03/11/17 10:37AM ID: 66824782	I feel that the full Forest of Dean locality has not been thought through - Sedbury to Newent		
312	03/11/17 10:47AM ID: 66825679	It is essential that it is accessible by regular public transport		
313	03/11/17 1:48PM ID: 66839787	I am generally happy with the criteria described but would like to see some consideration given to developing other Community health issues such as mental health, hospice/respite provision and social care. There is a real opportunity for some joined up thinking to provide excellent health needs provision fit for purpose going forward.		
314	03/11/17 1:48PM ID: 66842228	I have absolutely no idea because its a lot of data to absorb and I just hope that everything that is being stated is honest		
315	03/11/17 6:31PM ID: 66870490	I I am happy with the location of the existing hospital as thy service both areas plus we need 24hr A&E with doctor on call and a maternity unit in one or both hospitals,		
316	03/11/17 6:40PM ID: 66871524	Public transport must be available, main road access to Glos/Cheltenham		
317	04/11/17 8:50AM	The new site should accommodate a facilities that improves the current level of service		

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	ID: 66893933	(not just match it) for the local community and should be suitable for future expansion in line with the known population increase.		
318	04/11/17 5:43PM ID: 66912044	I do not agree because we already have 2 hospitals which serve the Forest of Dean and which I have already said could be updated if it was thought to be necessary.		
319	04/11/17 7:37PM ID: 66915707	It should include outreach services into the community. There should be community transport that clearly links the new hospital with villages. There should be mention of mobile services/units that can visit the new site on a regular basis		
320	05/11/17 9:24AM ID: 66928291	I agree generally, but the Forest is not served well by public transport. Might it be possible to run a dial-a-ride style service?		
321	06/11/17 10:03AM ID: 66967219	It is not necessary refurbished the 2 we have		
322	06/11/17 12:17PM ID: 66911009	Because I disagree with the whole option.		
323	06/11/17 12:35PM ID: 66985167	The new hospital should be central to the forest. As all the main towns are on the Edge of the Forest they should not be considered. Dilke could be the only option.		
324	06/11/17 12:39PM ID: 66985811	As mentioned above		
325	06/11/17 12:47PM ID: 66986363	Cinderford is the only realistic location given anticipated travel times criteria		
326	06/11/17 12:48PM ID: 66987223	wrong place		
327	06/11/17 12:51PM ID: 66987503	cinderford is the only site central to the Forest		
328	06/11/17 12:56PM ID: 66988224	Most likely locations already covered by existing hospitals		
329	06/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66988522	Says car or public transport. Should be car and public transport, buses every 1/2 hour Should be aesthetically pleasing good Outdoor recreation areas		
330	06/11/17 1:10PM ID: 66989778	30 minutes by car is a long time. Free bus service and parking is essential. Buses should be frequent. Many people do not have access to a car		
331	06/11/17 1:13PM ID: 66990313	Money should be spent on existing hospitals		
332	06/11/17 1:21PM ID: 66990725	I feel that to say a new hospital is within 1/2 hour of all forest people is not really possible. What if no access available to patient and bus services not available?		
333	06/11/17 1:25PM ID: 66991600	I would not wish to have travelling time to new facility be at the top end of 30 minutes. Currently only 10 minutes max		
334	06/11/17 1:32PM ID: 66991913	Must be available by public transport. must have enough car Parking, not too expensive A 30 minute drive by car, could be 2 hours by bus!		
335	07/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67077849	I would be happy if the 2 hospitals remain as they are		
336	07/11/17 6:06PM ID: 67103377	Possible future changes to the Forest, such as new housing development, more industrial sites or expansion of existing ones.		
337	08/11/17 10:21PM ID: 67185690	Any new facility should put patents first. The third bullet point for example is not a major issue as these could in some cases be provided as stand alone units not linked		

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		<p>to a hospital. The forth bullet point should not have an overly significant impact - I would expect all professionals in health and welfare to support whatever decision is made. They should of course have an input and help to 'tune' the decision but not have an undue influence above the local community.</p> <p>The final bullet point is of course very important but we should not lose sight of the importance of the decision. Whatever decision is made it should meet the needs of the community, both current and future, not just satisfy the whims of an over indulgent Architectural design team or meeting unrealistic budgets for a new build or modifications. An example I would suggest you look at is Southmead Hospital Bristol. Architecturally a wonderful building but in all other areas a complete failure and a waste of tax payers money. Wasted space - wrong location - uncoordinated - over spent - poorly run - car parking poor and difficult to use distances to travel once inside the building unacceptable. Please do not make the same types of mistake. Functional, practical, meeting the needs of the community and staff should come first.</p>		
338	09/11/17 9:59AM ID: 67217691	It should NOT be sited at Lydney - This is on the extreme edge of the Forest - a site chosen needs to be as central as possible		
339	09/11/17 10:05AM ID: 67218067	community care could be extended to discharged or bed ridden patients being visited each day by an hospital team. (ref Liverpool H/Sve)		
340	09/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67218633	Question of Transport. how are old people expected to get to a new hospital without a car		
341	09/11/17 10:45AM ID: 67219046	The Forest of Dean requires more than 1 hospital. Local Representatives should form a committee and tell you where it should be		
342	09/11/17 10:49AM ID: 67223320	Don't decrease the beds		
343	09/11/17 11:16AM ID: 67224270	At the moment I can reach Lydney hospital by bus and Dilke by bus with a change. I shall not be able to drive much longer. There are many folk in the Forest who are much more isolated and don't have use of a car. Hospital and volunteer transport can help patients but will be isolated if Friends cant visit.		
344	09/11/17 11:40AM ID: 67228029	We do need a functional hospital that the forest people can use and not be made to travel all the way to Gloucester.		
345	09/11/17 11:42AM ID: 67229249	All residents of the Forest should be considered not just those living closest to the proposed site Parking needs to be addressed fully		
346	09/11/17 11:57AM ID: 67231247	If there has to be only one hospital, then it should be added to the dilke. Extra money would then become available upon the sale of the Lydney hospital		
347	09/11/17 1:03PM ID: 67239314	It will be difficult to decide where to place the new hospital because people will have further to travel. The 11 million put aside for the new hospital could be divided between Lydney and Dilke to improve and update both hospitals. Buildings do not treat patients, Nurses and Doctors do.		
348	09/11/17 1:09PM ID: 67240416	My answers are as above. We need a hospital in Lydney! more people coming to live here.		
349	09/11/17 1:19PM ID: 67241170	both sites that exist meet all needs and expectations. both are within reach of all Forest of Dean residents. Dilke suite me, I am in Coleford but Lydney like Lydney. I genuinely don't see a need for another site. If one had to go, it should be Lydney as it has no room to grow.		
350	09/11/17 1:25PM ID: 67238501	<p>In my opinion, Lydney is the only viable option for the following reasons: The Area Action Plan identifies a large amount of new residential development. Lydney will have the highest population. This will make an increased demands on health care needs and medical facilities within the town. A new facility incorporating a Community Hospital, Health Centre, GP Practices, Home and Community Based Services would appear to meet the long term needs of the</p>		

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		Forest. This option in Lydney would be the basis for cost effective, joined up, high quality service, supporting the provision of new models of care. This supports your prime objectives. Lydney is the most accessible centre because of its location. It offers good road and public transport links into the Forest. National road and rail links are valuable for visitors from outside of the area.		
351	09/11/17 4:13PM ID: 67258842	the dike belongs to the forest and we don't houses on it		
352	10/11/17 2:08PM ID: 67335472	Put simply - Lydney hospital serves the South of the Forest, whilst the Dilke, the north. Increase in existing beds is needed, not a net reduction in the proposed scheme		
353	10/11/17 2:13PM ID: 67336122	Bus Route Access is important in such rural villages and Lydney offers such (if ancillary site options are available) to extend current hospital		
354	11/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67384775	You should consider the criteria of heritage and emotional bond feeling well looked after When you are ill these things are important and people have given money and volunteered over the years to sustain these hospitals		
355	12/11/17 10:30AM ID: 67420133	As most people will have to travel by car to the hospital, parking should be free. The site should be big enough to allow future expansion If a new hospital goes ahead. there should be conditions in the contract that support local companies and local employment. in particular apprenticeships		
356	12/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67422438	Transport is the big issue. If you do not have a car public transport into the forest from Lydney is very restricted.		
357	13/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67468260	I do not agree that a new single hospital is the correct option.		
358	13/11/17 2:33PM ID: 67488228	NOT ENOUGH INFORMATION		
359	13/11/17 7:32PM ID: 67515482	30 minutes by car? I can get to Gloucester hospital quicker than that. If you want a central location, it should be the centre of the Forest, ie. Parkend. But there is next to no bus service there. If you have £11million, what is the objection to spending £5.5million on each of the existing sites?		
360	13/11/17 9:32PM ID: 67522040	I think this consultation document and the questions therein are designed to completely confuse ordinary people. I consider myself an intelligent, well educated ex grammar school person, retired from a career in banking, but I find it difficult to understand the document. Maybe I shall be a candidate for the new service (sooner than expected!)		
361	13/11/17 11:38PM ID: 67527287	I have already given my views.		
362	14/11/17 9:10AM ID: 67540267	I FIRMLY DISAGREE WITH A NEW HOSPITAL OUR CURRENT TWO HOSPITALS ARE ADEQUATE IF GIVEN THE FUNDING THEY DESERVE AND REQUIRE. THIS IS A GOVERNMENT ABUSE.		
363	14/11/17 11:26AM ID: 67552958	The sites rumoured are either the highly polluted one, or that which has been designated for other worthy uses.		
364	14/11/17 11:51AM ID: 67554742	The location will be difficult. The impact of travelling further with maybe no local bus route will make it very difficult to reach emergency treatment. Buildings do not treat patients, Doctors and Nurses do!		
365	14/11/17 11:59AM ID: 67556312	You have already made up your minds what you are going to do and where you will build it.		
366	14/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67557030	One of the above places named will get the new hospital if passed (no doubt the miners who raised the money and helped the building of the Dilke won't like it. Mind - most of them are dead now - and when the last fight about it took place the deeds were		

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		suddenly missing!!		
367	14/11/17 12:16PM ID: 67557825	The Dilke hospital is in a good location to serve the FOD area, so it would seem sensible to use that existing site, obviously without impacting too much visually on the surrounding forest. This has been managed at the crematorium		
368	14/11/17 12:19PM ID: 67558328	New hospital in central location eg five acres area on good bus routes		
369	14/11/17 12:34PM ID: 67559017	Only partly agree as the site being considered is where?		
370	14/11/17 12:36PM ID: 67559553	Not aware of all the facts. Where will it be built?		
371	14/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67559704	Without knowing where this magical "available site" is, it's a bit difficult to make any suitable comment. However, the comments I have already made still apply.		
372	14/11/17 1:26PM ID: 67563717	As above		
373	14/11/17 1:55PM ID: 67566080	This smacks of criteria drawn up by professional classes no account of how poor people are consulted		
374	14/11/17 2:30PM ID: 67567097	NOT ENOUGH CONCRETE INFORMATION TOO MANY ,PERHAPS,WHAT IF'S, NOTHING DECIDED UPON YET A SO THERE IS NOTHING TO AGREE WITH, AT THE END OF THIS FARCE LEARN FROM YOUR WISHY WASHY APPROACH,AND PERHAPS, MAYBE, DONT USE THIS METHOD AGAIN.		
375	14/11/17 5:14PM ID: 67582814	NEW SINGLE HOSPITAL IS NOT AN OPTION SO CANNOT GIVE AN OPINION ON WHAT MIGHT BE GOOD ABOUT IT		
376	14/11/17 5:33PM ID: 67583923	new hospital would be a waste of £11m of tax payers money invest in extra staff for the 2 excisting hospitals		
377	14/11/17 5:56PM ID: 67585222	new hospital should not be approved if the opinion of the public (TAX PAYERS) who will fund it as although it is money allocated by the NHS it is collected from the tax payer		
378	14/11/17 8:52PM ID: 67596258	We should use the existing site and develop rather than buy more land.		
379	16/11/17 8:25AM ID: 67699651	You are progressing a policy of cutting services for the future		
380	16/11/17 1:41PM ID: 67721913	I think the issue of transport is key and the location of the new hospital within 30 minutes of anywhere in the Forest by car could be a major problem as there may be many still dependent on public transport (or local facilities like Dial-a-Ride). I think the location of the new hospital should take into account accessibility by public transport, and indeed there should be an attempt to include as part of the construction project the possibility of linking up with transport providers to increase accessibility, perhaps with a subsidised transport option.		
381	17/11/17 6:16AM ID: 67768480	If the location is not in cinderford Glouster would be just as quick		
382	17/11/17 9:34AM ID: 67776591	It will be Coleford		
383	17/11/17 11:01AM ID: 67783960	Accessibility for those who cannot drive. Appropriate levels of Car parking for staff and patients.		
384	17/11/17 1:20PM ID: 67795447	The need for accessibility by public transport and car parking provision for both staff and patients needs to be given high priority. There should be plenty of bookable rooms for "peripatetic" services and GCS staff who need to hot-desk or use rooms for 1:1 and other small meetings.		

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		I agree with the need for a new purpose-built hospital largely because of the huge cost of maintenance of current buildings and the impossibility of bringing up to current standards for service provision and for hygiene		
385	17/11/17 8:22PM ID: 67826573	My mother has recently been in Lydney hospital for 3 months. The care was fantastic, a completey different level of care to Gloucester hospital with local, familiar nurses. Her recovery definitely improved as a result of being moved to this hospital. I personally have had 3 operations at Lydney hospital and could not have asked for better care.		
386	19/11/17 3:40AM ID: 67868464	It is hard to agree with a criteria for a development I feel totally opposed to. I also have reservations at how influential consultation findings would be on this planning matter		
387	19/11/17 11:47AM ID: 67878106	and 'criterias' are not fact.		
388	20/11/17 10:47AM ID: 67919645	Propose criteria sounds fine but proposals can be reneged on quite easy by stating that no promises were given after all you have all ready made plans to cut 50% of beds already a depleted service and it has not been built yet. What else will be shelved by the time it is built		
389	20/11/17 10:50AM ID: 67920705	The hospital should be accessible by car and also by public transport, Not everyone has a car or drives		
390	20/11/17 10:54AM ID: 67921100	Refurbish the two existing hospitals which seems to serve the forest well		
391	20/11/17 10:56AM ID: 67921291	Public transport is practically non existent in many villages - so makes little difference		
392	20/11/17 11:00AM ID: 67921468	Lydney hospital should have the money spent on updating it. It has all the facilities now and more beds. Don't waste RATE PAYERS money on less		
393	20/11/17 11:06AM ID: 67922093	We need hospitals in Lydney and Cinderford. you are removing healthcare from the Forest of Dean		
394	20/11/17 11:25AM ID: 67923822	no central point in the Forest of Dean, which can be accessed easily		
395	20/11/17 11:36AM ID: 67925252	No mention of where the hospital will be built. Section 10 possible site - no more than 30 minutes by car from Newent to the Nearest possible site - you would be lucky!!		
396	20/11/17 11:46AM ID: 67926340	Transport links within the forest of Dean are very poor. There is no acceptable public transport		
397	20/11/17 11:50AM ID: 67926821	I suspect the decision has already been made and the position		
398	20/11/17 11:52AM ID: 67927141	Location I think would be a problem unless you have transport or other means of getting there. I do agree with section 10		
399	20/11/17 1:28PM ID: 67934952	<p>I think access by public transport is vital, this is not a wealthy area and as such not everyone has access to a car. The site should of course be accessible by car but it MUST be accessible to 90% of residents by public transport.</p> <p>The current covenants of usage on existing sites needs to be considered as well. I understand that the Dilke has a covenant on the land as it was a gift from the local miners for health services for the area.</p>		
400	20/11/17 1:58PM ID: 67939118	invest in the 2 present hospitals		

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401	20/11/17 6:32PM ID: 67951985	Without full disclosure of the proposed location it is not possible to say. It is also apparent that the consultation with all NHS staff, including all local health, welfare and care professionals has been completely inadequate. Expressions like, 'best value for money' call into question the impartiality of the process and only serve to undermine the confidence and trust of the population. It has to be clear that this is about better meeting needs and not actually about saving money. Will there still be enough beds beyond 2025? Needs will change too!		
402	20/11/17 6:52PM ID: 67964055	More beds are needed.		
403	20/11/17 8:50PM ID: 67970184	At the moment Lydney hospital is very close to my family.		
404	20/11/17 8:51PM ID: 67970746	Keeping two hospitals open. Waiting times will go up		
405	20/11/17 9:31PM ID: 67972425	Is lydney too far south for northern residents?		
406	20/11/17 9:46PM ID: 67972448	You are proposing new provision with fewer beds than at present, in spite of the fact that the population, especially in Lydney, is growing hugely. You have dismissed having a birthing unit, although that is one of the first things any Forester will say they want back. You seem to have decided on only one site, although we are all quite happy with the current situation with two sites, which is convenient for everyone. This survey does not ask us, those who lives here, what we really want. It sounds as though what you want is for us to agree with what has already been decided. You should have been carrying out this survey earlier, with questions like: Do you or don't you want a birthing unit? Would you like the present two hospitals to continue on their current sites, with some expansion?		
407	20/11/17 11:09PM ID: 67975757	I do not believe you will have any community support, let alone that of the local health services - many of the Drs who live and work locally have supported Lydney and the Dilke for many years. Also, finding a site that is accessible via public transport is going to be particularly difficult, considering the complete lack of public transport, especially during the evening / night		
408	20/11/17 11:30PM ID: 67976830	The nhs is already stretched		
409	20/11/17 11:32PM ID: 67976628	I really think the new hospital should be built in Lydney for 2 main reasons 1 biggest number of people living closest to lydney 2 it's on a main transport network as Lydney is on a main route to wales and Gloucester and has rail connections so it's easier to move patients and people around if they need to go to the main hospital on Gloucester or Cheltenham		
410	21/11/17 6:49AM ID: 67984871	Poor road network to Gloucester from there		
411	21/11/17 8:14AM ID: 67987739	2 local units are better than 1		
412	21/11/17 8:31AM ID: 67987636	I would assume the proposed new site would be whether land is available and whether it is easily accessible for those who need to travel a distance to get there. The more central it is the better but it depends on available land I'm guessing.		
413	21/11/17 9:31AM ID: 67993018	It's all lies, 11 million wont build a new hospital, the college is costing 30 million, do you think ??? (Cant read writing) Stop going into our school pushing your agenda onto our children		
414	21/11/17 9:43AM ID: 67995624	Leave as is		
415	21/11/17 10:24AM ID: 67997738	Both Dilke and Lydney are both kept spotlessly clean with dedicated staff and excellent facilities supported by local inhabitants a a money left by individual collections and		

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		fund raising to finance improvements due to lack of funding by the NHS		
416	21/11/17 11:02AM ID: 68002834	you need to find a location where public transport is available from all parts of the forest. I don't believe such a place exists.		
417	21/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68003760	* I do not agree that cinderford should be a sole location * I do not agree that there should be co location with GP surgeries / dentists - otherwise the Forest will end up with something like Chepstow community hospital. A lovely building with a lovely car park and completely useless for meeting the needs of residents at times of need I strongly object to any proposed reduction in beds. The Forest has a number of residents registered with Welsh GPs - presumably if they are in patients in Lydney or Dilke they are categorised as out of area. Many people living in the Forest (ie Glos) have an NP postcode - the same applies to those bordering Herefordshire and Tewkesbury		
418	21/11/17 12:09PM ID: 68007840	It must have good public transport links and be located to minimise the average travel time and distance to the facility. It is possible to do this by analysis of demographic and population distribution.		
419	21/11/17 12:59PM ID: 68014711	Hospitals should be placed closer to the general population which can only be done with multiple hospitals		
420	21/11/17 1:11PM ID: 68016051	common sense should prevail. If the new hospital does not offer more than the two present hospitals combined and provide extras for the future there is no point in continuing with the proposed new hospital wherever the location		
421	21/11/17 1:28PM ID: 68017061	Location as now is not the over riding issue if access to adequate transport for users and carers is considered. It would be interesting to see figures for existing hospitals in terms of travel by car or public transport.		
422	21/11/17 1:50PM ID: 68019262	Not Coleford. It has the worst weather conditions in the Forest. (I had to travel to school there and loved all the snow days!) which makes it difficult to get to.		
423	21/11/17 2:12PM ID: 68021118	How many people you can accommodate and staff amount This new hospital should have bigger services to cover for bith hospitals as they already are too slow in offering a service		
424	21/11/17 5:59PM ID: 68040980	Public transport links		
425	21/11/17 8:43PM ID: 68054591	Whatever the location, a centralised hospital will be less accessible for many. The NHS spent millions on a computer system to "give patients more choice"...when there was nothing wrong with the old one. Why reinvent the wheel? Why not pour money into improving what is already there instead of spending a fortune on something that will line the pockets of everyone but the people it should.		
426	21/11/17 8:52PM ID: 68054607	Have not had a booklet		
427	21/11/17 9:13PM ID: 68056615	Haven't received the booklet		
428	22/11/17 9:25AM ID: 68078094	Spend money extending the hospitals we already have		
429	22/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68098204	I have not seen it , and I would presume many people haven't.		
430	22/11/17 1:18PM ID: 68100659	It depends on terminology and what we understand by the work 'community'		
431	22/11/17 4:02PM ID: 68114941	Increased number of beds. Location need to be suitable for public transport links		

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432	22/11/17 5:18PM ID: 68119085	YOU MUST CONSIDER WHAT IS BEST FOR THE FOREST OF DEAN PEOPLE , TRANSPORT, WHERE IT IS GOING TO BE BUILT WHAT CLINIC'S WOULD BE IN THE NEW PLACE IF THAT GOES A HEAD.		
433	22/11/17 5:58PM ID: 68122238	Land prices Job creation Brownfield sites		
434	22/11/17 7:09PM ID: 68130952	You should consider how poor transport impacts on people's ability to get to hospital. We are also a rural area that needs the service we currently have if nit improved at least maintained		
435	22/11/17 7:29PM ID: 68132322	I think it is essential to have a range of ordinary members of the community involved in the location decision making process.		
436	22/11/17 7:57PM ID: 68135180	A complete waste of money and for no reason especially as lydney and the dilke have both got the most up to date xray machines		
437	22/11/17 8:00PM ID: 68134896	Mainly loss of beds arent things hard enough already.better access to dilke and redevelopement could provide for both areas .		
438	22/11/17 10:09PM ID: 68143986	We need to keep the 2 hospital thats why		
439	22/11/17 11:26PM ID: 68147432	Really easy access to a bigger hospital via ambulance for serious emergencies. Straight up the relatively fast, straight A48 from Lydney seems essential for life- threatening situations.		
440	23/11/17 3:56AM ID: 68151774	No criteria... Keep the dilk		
441	23/11/17 7:28AM ID: 68155501	Depends on where the new sit is and if we will have to pay for parking as is usually the case when creating a new super hospital		
442	23/11/17 10:23AM ID: 68167250	Shortage of beds and distance to travel for recidents of The Forest of Dean.		
443	23/11/17 10:39AM ID: 68171014	Community buy in.		
444	23/11/17 10:45AM ID: 68171808	Reducing community hospitals and just building one would not be of any help to the people of the forest or Lydney they need a proper hospital catering for much more than a community hospital		
445	23/11/17 1:04PM ID: 68184427	In Lydney we have many new houses built in latter years which add to the population with families. There are many like me, who do not have a vehicle and just as old. Should you not choose Lydney and provide a new building at Dilke, I need to say there is no bus service from here to there and useless to suggest it would be provided to help everyone concerned to keep appointments. Should it be required for appointments, a bus service would only run throughout the day if it pays I.e. Railway station is an example obviously understandable since there are a few have not got a vehicle or the use of one.		
446	23/11/17 1:05PM ID: 68185054	Transport difficulties		
447	23/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68185359	Public transport. Too much reliance is being put on car availability and not enough by a long way on public transport		
448	23/11/17 1:19PM ID: 68186198	Geography of hospitals in the Forest to Gloucester, so all areas provided for. Cinderford too far away		

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449	23/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68185433	The impact it would have on the disabled and more elderly people within the community. A community hospital should meet the needs of the community. If it is located too far away, it is not meeting the needs of the local community and would therefore not be a "community" hospital. Transport to and from the hospital would have to be taken into account when considering the location.		
450	23/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68187356	Dilke site should be where new hospital is built		
451	23/11/17 1:36PM ID: 68187842	I sincerely believe 1 sinlge hospital, where ever it is placed, will leave areas of the Forest of Dean Vulnerable		
452	23/11/17 1:57PM ID: 68189374	Need to know what services the new hospital would offer		
453	23/11/17 2:16PM ID: 68191457	The forest is. To a small place when you are ill, or old. Having the two wonderful hospitals as we do now is good for everyone as most folk can get to them either as a patient or as a visitor.		
454	23/11/17 3:59PM ID: 68205047	The proposal is more biased towards people living inthe south of the Forest of Dean, those inthe northern area may be forced to go to Gloucester where currently the option of using the Dilke is an option.		
455	23/11/17 4:01PM ID: 68202139	<p>As well as meeting the budget and the listed criteria, the surrounding area of the chosen location should be well considered also.</p> <p>My grandfather was in the Dilke hospital back in the summer before passing in June. Whenever we visited, one of the main reasons for his good spirits was the position of his bed and the view from his window.</p> <p>His stay was made so much more bearable and enjoyable by being able to look out of the window and watching the local wildlife including deer, birds and wild boar.</p>		
456	23/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68208184	Not making one community hospital and funding the two we already have. The Forest of Dean is vast and many areas are inaccessible without a car, which a large part of the elderly population and those in disadvantaged situations don't have access to. We rely on the buses, and currently there is a hospital on each major bus route. To get rid of these would likely cause an influx of ambulances being called when they aren't really needed.		
457	23/11/17 4:54PM ID: 68210200	It won't be better for everyone but being relatively young, fit and mobile, it won't affect me so much.		
458	23/11/17 5:16PM ID: 68208067	<p>Wherever you move the services to they will become less accessible to the residents of Lydney.</p> <p>If the planners have their way this town will almost double its population in the near future and nowhere in the plans do I see any real commitment to improvements in the infrastructure that supports the community. What we will need in the future is more not less.</p> <p>Having worked for many years in passenger transport I am fully aware that the costs of transport are significant in the budgeting of patients attending any hospital. Waiting times for transport are a continuing cause of much dissatisfaction amongst patients.</p>		
459	23/11/17 6:43PM ID: 68218182	<p>The bed capacity is being reduced.</p> <p>New hospital but not close Lydney or the Dilke.</p>		
460	23/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68224481	As I said before, the area is greatly spread out and would many more people to travel long distance with poor public transport if they don't have a car. Only having one hospital is in my mind a very poor option.		
461	23/11/17 9:51PM ID: 68227454	Use the existing site. Don't waste time and money building a new one when the existing one can easily be improved		
462	23/11/17 10:56PM	Proposed site. sites should be in consultation. It really seems the out come is already		

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	ID: 68229867	done and dusted.it should have been in consultation the opportunity to retain services as now or combining two sites (Dilke and lydney) to one of existing sites.		
463	24/11/17 5:26PM ID: 68280677	Consideration should be given to update both Cinderford and Dlike Hospitals - as they are both in areas of increasing population.		
464	24/11/17 5:49PM ID: 68283834	Allow all to have a vote on this issue separately at next local election. Ask teenagers for their views Must include ability to expand social care for elderly in future years Bring specialists into community to reduce commutes to larger hospitals Include local hubs for Skype consultations in libraries		
465	25/11/17 12:39AM ID: 68296343	Need more beds more facilities like minor operations because gloucester hospital is over crowded long waiting times and I think we should have chemo available in the forest not have to travel to Cheltenham		
466	25/11/17 3:27PM ID: 68314392	People will need to travel further where ever it is located		
467	25/11/17 9:56PM ID: 68324008	Many of the patients will not own a car or have easy access to one. Greater importance should be to public transport.		
468	25/11/17 10:25PM ID: 68324788	A central location should be chosen,, equidistant to all the main forest towns.		
469	26/11/17 12:49PM ID: 68339330	You have dot distributed the said leaflet , you should be increasing the number of beds in the Forest not reducing them , the governments policy is for an increased number of people to receive medical treatment in the community which includes community hospitals not decreasing the numbers, resulting in your policy around health being the exact of the goverment.		
470	26/11/17 4:40PM ID: 68346876	Because you have already pick a site this is just pandering		
471	26/11/17 5:11PM ID: 68348185	The hospital should be centrally located with good transport links but there is no absolute need for it to be in a centre of population.		
472	26/11/17 7:36PM ID: 68352582	As mentioned earlier it needs to be near a main road for the reasons given previously.		
473	26/11/17 8:50PM ID: 68355431	Keep both hospitals open, as a tax payer I feel it is in the interests of me, my neighbours and my loved ones they both stay open as they are.		
474	26/11/17 10:52PM ID: 68358642	The bed allowance is not adequate, 20 beds is no where near enough. 50 is nearer to the mark Position is also important, cinderford would be the best option		
475	26/11/17 10:52PM ID: 68358247	I feel the Forest of Dean is being penalised for being a (very large) rural area. Residents of Gloucester or Cheltenham do not have to travel over an hour for treatment, they have at least 3 large hospitals to choose from. That being said, there will be additional strain on these due to the number of patents you will be failing in the Forest of Dean who will have no choice but to travel to one of these sites (the new site will have less beds than the 2 current sites). Whichever new site you choose people living on the opposite side of the Forest will have to travel over half an hour for treatment. This does not seem fair in contrast to the cities and their 3 hospitals. Gloucestershire NHS trust has a duty of care to ALL of it's residents..not just the lucky people who live in Gloucester or Cheltenham.		
476	27/11/17 12:14AM ID: 68359960	Correct number of beds being clear about the options for where it will be located before the others are closed. One in Cinderford does not help me - and they can reach Gloucester more easily. Transport is key and the size/bed numbers facilities		
477	27/11/17 1:37AM ID: 68360934	Any new build should be on the site of and incorporate and update the existing Dilke facility		

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		To do otherwise is wasteful and nonsensical.		
478	27/11/17 10:38AM ID: 68381384	Areas should be considered based on: prioritise brownfield sites and those in need of development Access to local transport -Forest residents cannot rely on taxis Access to hospital in adverse weather conditions		
479	27/11/17 11:01AM ID: 68384151	The criteria seem reasonable, but I would like to see some thought given to the fate of the two current hospital sites. Will they simply go to the highest bidder or will the local community be consulted on possible uses? vital that good public transport is high up on the list of criteria		
480	27/11/17 11:14AM ID: 68385925	If the new site should be no further than 30 minutes by car, people could make it to Gloucestershire Royal in 30 minutes and they could get a bus to Gloucestershire royal easier		
481	27/11/17 11:24AM ID: 68386762	A new site is likely to be built on currently undeveloped land. Public transport is very poor		
482	27/11/17 12:15PM ID: 63850876	Coleford area is by far the best option (I don't live in Coleford by the way) it's equal distance between the two current hospitals and easily accessible from all the surrounding villages.		
483	27/11/17 12:17PM ID: 68390306	It reads accessible by car or public transport; I think it is essential that it is on a public transport route.		
484	27/11/17 12:19PM ID: 63857226	Talk to the foresters face to face		
485	27/11/17 12:31PM ID: 63893756	The criteria break the trust.		
486	27/11/17 12:50PM ID: 68394402	The hospital should compliment not replace the existing hospitals		
487	27/11/17 12:58PM ID: 65232749	It should be at Lydney Dilke or somewhere between Not Coleford or Cinderford needs to have free car parking for all staff, patients and visitors		
488	27/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66172599	The hospitals we already have should be improved, not new ones built		
489	27/11/17 1:04PM ID: 66300508	In section ten the criteria is assumes there will be a new hospital the position or area is decided on will be of benefit to one of the three main populated regions, with virtually no public transport available it will be of detriment to the other two.		
490	27/11/17 1:05PM ID: 66332753	I do not agree because of the failure to maintain the hospitals that we have should have been taken care of years before, The government have been wasting money and starving the NHS of funds and I feel that they should be ashamed of themselves for allowing it to get this bad.		
491	27/11/17 1:09PM ID: 66995259	I'm giving up on this biased survey. You've made up your tiny minds.		
492	27/11/17 1:17PM ID: 67826155	Our local hospital is all we have left in the forest of Dean. You have destroyed our bus service, the police station has gone. Are we back in the 1930's?		
493	27/11/17 1:18PM ID: 67939992	Very difficult to choose a site that is equidistant from main towns with a decent bus service. Also mobile phone signal is bad in quite a few areas, eg Cannop valley, Parkend and Speech House		
494	27/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67982613	Have a good site already.		
495	27/11/17 1:23PM ID: 68045948	All this pretending that the new site has not been agreed. It's going to go at the Northern Quarter so current Dilke patients will not be affected		

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496	27/11/17 1:23PM ID: 68048727	As I have already said 50 percent reduction in beds with an increasing population		
497	27/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68124069	mm		
498	27/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68218197	<p>In common we imagine with many consultees, the Forest of Dean Green Party has concluded that the 'consultation' (no doubt despite the best intentions of the CCG) addresses the wrong conundrum.</p> <p>Given that NHS services, in our view erroneously, are increasingly centralised, specialised, commodified, and subject to Fordian/industrial management assumptions, the key questions should be focused upon how we can provide resilient and sustainable local community arrangements which are a true partnership between citizens, communities, and the services and professionals we fund and:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are flexible in the face of the rigidities and implicit lack of capacity in the 'specialist' system • Provide necessary services as close as possible to the point of need • Promote resilience in grass roots communities • Put people and families back in control and reverse the tendency for people to be passive and 'incompetent' consumers • Assist professionals and services to be experts in supplementing, complementing, strengthening and sustaining the 'core economy' of interpersonal and economic relationships (rather than working mindlessly to make these essential assets redundant) • Challenge the notion that real care can be outsourced • Encourage politicians to attend to nurturing sustainable, self-reliant and interdependent communities instead of 'brokering' services • Attend seriously to sustainability. <p>We believe that the fundamental purposes that should have been addressed concern health and social services in the round within the Forest of Dean. The design of locally provided in- and out-patient building based services only makes sense in this context but the consultative document instead reflects the siloed realities that plague the NHS, largely reflecting an accommodation of a range of professionals' priorities.</p> <p>In our view, any credible consultation starts by sharing all the key data upon which any recommended proposals are based including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a full description of the purposes of the exercise, • full disclosure the funding available and its sources – including the extent to which capital resources associated with the current sites are implicated, • the principles that frame decision-making • In the context of an invitation to propose alternative solutions. <p>To understand the Forest of Dean it is necessary to appreciate that it is a scattering of disparate and poorly connected settlements. The loss of local employment, consumer lifestyles, and public policies that have not recognised the need to nurture communities have given rise to a loss of social cohesion, and a marked rise in social isolation and service dependency. Increasingly the professionals who serve our communities – from GP's to Community Nurses and Social Workers to Clerics - have found their work 'functionalised' and their multi-skilled and problem-solving roles controlled or abolished. As we see it, resilience is the key consideration when planning public services that serve Forest communities. A central problem resides in the assumption that health and care outcomes are essentially the consequence of specialist institutional and professional activities. This stimulates lots of demand and, in turn, rationing measures that only serve to make things worse. Sustainable ways forward are to be found if a less deterministic approach is pursued. This, we believe, begins by aspiring to invest to deliver as much as possible locally – in key settlements/GP practice areas.</p> <p>The current consultation misses the point and only serves to polarise those who, for a spectrum of reasons, care enough to participate. Instead we would recommend a settlement/GP practice (by settlement) based consultation exercise based upon</p>		

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		<p>explicit and widely publicised principles which are that services that meet peoples' needs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are local by default • Help people to help themselves and each other • Attend to purpose, not outcomes • And manage value not cost. <p>The Forest of Dean Green Party invites Gloucester Care Commissioning Group to meet with us to explore this approach. We are surprised, given the founding rationale for CCG's, that the local/community approach to planning seems not to have taken hold. Health and Social Care is a societal issue and there will be no sustainable solutions forthcoming as long as the debate is restricted to money and services.</p>		
499	27/11/17 1:37PM ID: 68347499	The hospital should be centrally located with the area, connected via public transport but does not need to in a centre of population.		
500	27/11/17 2:01PM ID: 68401715	does not need to be co - located with primary care - how many GP surgeries are there in the Forest - lots!!		
501	27/11/17 2:04PM ID: 68402511	It appears that the site is chosen. Where is in reach of public transport from all of the Forest?		
502	27/11/17 2:09PM ID: 68402751	I understand a new site has not been decided. How will you be able to find a site that is easily accessible to both North and South Forest Areas		
503	27/11/17 2:23PM ID: 68404579	Public transport must be provided as a priority		
504	27/11/17 2:28PM ID: 68405009	It is essential that public transport to the site of the new hospital is guaranteed as many of the elderly population do not have car transport available.		
505	27/11/17 5:40PM ID: 68426525	Again good location a good central location		
506	27/11/17 7:00PM ID: 68432116	both lydney and the dilke hospitals have had a vast amount of money spent on them recently I think this should be taken into consideration		
507	27/11/17 7:54PM ID: 68437627	Does not create a local hospital		
508	27/11/17 9:13PM ID: 68442893	The site of the hospital for all foresters. Lots of people have tirelessly raised funds for both hospitals and the good will of others should be taken into account.		
509	27/11/17 9:29PM ID: 68443771	<p>Should be accessible by car AND regular public transport.</p> <p>Affect on the infrastructure - other road congestion that a new site may cause.</p> <p>Has the Dylke just been upgraded??</p>		
510	27/11/17 10:17PM ID: 68446397	Already made my point.		
511	28/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68467843	Transport in the forest area is difficult. Existing hospital at Dilke most important to us for emergency treatment, and routine clinics / X ray examinations which would be an all day expensive trip if at Gloucester or Cheltenham		
512	28/11/17 10:11AM ID: 68469429	As Lydney is the main centre of Population (?) I'm afraid it will be located there. I'm wholly opposed to this		
513	28/11/17 10:59AM ID: 68468729	Needs to be accessible by car AND (not or) public transport. Not everyone in this area can run a car or afford a taxi. Weather and difficult roads need consideration too. A 24 hour minor injuries unit accessible for the majority of local residents		
514	28/11/17 12:49PM ID: 68485363	Access by public transport important. There must be enough beds to meet the needs of the Forest people		

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515	28/11/17 12:55PM ID: 68486122	It should be designed to be able to "expand" in the future, as the population of the forest is going to increase. A maternity unit would be good		
516	28/11/17 2:05PM ID: 68489803	We do not what this. Listen to us, stop forcing what you want down our throats. Fund our hospitals with your 11 million - or is that a lie too?		
517	28/11/17 2:15PM ID: 68493533	you should not contemplate closure, you should be improving our already excellent hospital - The Dilke belongs to us, you don't own the land, you promise money and you will deliver nothing		
518	28/11/17 3:12PM ID: 68500041	Leave the perfectly good hospital alone.		
519	28/11/17 4:29PM ID: 68501677	Cost. How is this absent when considering the location of a new hospital? Especially when it is the criterion used to rule out the option of maintaining the two existing sites.		
520	28/11/17 5:18PM ID: 68506827	I'd like to know where the extra money is coming from when there are cutbacks in finances to the NHS when there seems to be plenty of money being put towards HS2, overseas support and tax avoidance schemes that business gets away with and nothing for the care and assistance that the taxpayer pay's for including the cost of this consultation		
521	28/11/17 5:50PM ID: 68511309	Access by public transport		
522	28/11/17 6:15PM ID: 68513747	updating our hospitals		
523	28/11/17 7:21PM ID: 68517211	I think the provision of public transport to the new site needs further consideration. Bus services to travel ACROSS the Forest are abysmal. I am concerned that wherever the hospital is sited will cause transport difficulties for those without their own transport.		
524	28/11/17 8:35PM ID: 68521086	I refer you to my summary on page one		
525	28/11/17 10:43PM ID: 68525896	The previous page is a completely loaded question . "How often do you beat your wife?" is the famous example. If I were to say I agreed even partly, you would use this data to support your plans. The criteria you should consider is how the Dilke can be protected as a historical centre for health and social care provision for FoD. The well being of FoD's residents is not just bound up with modern facilities and optimistic dressing up of the benefits. The consequences of the 'wrong' actions however beneficial they sound will be dire for the Dilke and the wider Forest with a prime site for development increasing noise, pollution and exploitation.		
526	29/11/17 7:01AM ID: 68535728	All said in my first comment		
527	29/11/17 8:50AM ID: 68540312	I think that current public transport should be extended to reach the area if a site is found. More buses and new routes should be considered for the right site. New development at the Cinderford northern quarter is underway. There will be new access routes/roads and development going on there which could provide the mains support etc needed.		
528	29/11/17 9:03AM ID: 68540953	The criteria to Improve Local access seems to have been ignored. There is no weighting given to specific objectives and no prioritisation offered. The criteria list, if in order of priority, should have Improve Local Access to Services as the #1 priority, whereas it indicates the desire to revamp the models provided is paramount.		
529	29/11/17 9:24AM ID: 68543075	Should be most central		
530	29/11/17 10:21AM ID: 68549433	With what I have already said. Care of the community and basic economics		

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531	29/11/17 1:40PM ID: 68570222	The hospital would need to be accessible by public transport, not by either car or public transport.		
532	29/11/17 2:50PM ID: 68577651	See comments in section 6		
533	29/11/17 2:55PM ID: 68576457	I do not agree because I feel we would have poorer medical care		
534	29/11/17 4:37PM ID: 68585900	Building the new Community Horp		
535	29/11/17 4:51PM ID: 68586958	Please read my comments stated earlier		
536	29/11/17 4:59PM ID: 68589599	It's obvious you want to sell the land of the present hospitals for housing.		
537	29/11/17 6:07PM ID: 68594718	Transport links within the forest of dean are not too good.		
538	29/11/17 7:47PM ID: 68602733	I am not a supporter of centralised services. The emergency dept at the Dilke has been invaluable for me and my family during the 13 years we've lived in the Forest.		
539	29/11/17 9:32PM ID: 68609549	Be more realistic about the infrastructure iod the FoD and transport options.		
540	29/11/17 10:07PM ID: 68612011	Better to have two hospitals in two locations		
541	29/11/17 10:27PM ID: 68612377	it reads as if public transport is not a definite requirement. also the site will be decided on land value not by the needs of the populace		
542	29/11/17 10:36PM ID: 68613722	Central		
543	30/11/17 1:48AM ID: 68619336	Because a perfectly good location for a single hospital exists (the Dilke)		
544	30/11/17 7:54AM ID: 68626708	I think it should the option that enables the new hospital to be open the quickest		
545	30/11/17 9:24AM ID: 68632714	You cannot and should not reduce the amount of beds available in the present climate we are in a position were more elderly people could and will require more assistance absolute no no to reducing beds		
546	30/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68644907	Keep what we've got with more investment and 24 he A and E!		
547	30/11/17 11:56AM ID: 68648093	As per answer 1 - I want Lydney hospital to stay		
548	30/11/17 12:04PM ID: 68648314	A suggestion - Elton Corner		
549	30/11/17 12:15PM ID: 68649937	I think both hospitals should remain		
550	30/11/17 12:36PM ID: 68650415	As the largest population centre in the area is Lydney and still growing, there is no option but to build it in or near that town		
551	30/11/17 1:04PM ID: 68654178	Needs to be accessible by car AND public transport		
552	30/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68654353	I consider that the new hospital should be strategically sited in the middle of the Forest of Dean and in this regard Cinderford meets this criteria. Giving ease of access both in terms of car, bus and pedestrian access. Forest Vale industrial estate may provide an opportunity for the new hospital		

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553	30/11/17 1:17PM ID: 68655265	not big enough for the area and it needs to be central, certainly not in Lydney		
554	30/11/17 1:22PM ID: 68655462	Existing hospitals are now in areas of largest population with Coleford sited between. with Lydney the easiest to reach from Tutshill area		
555	30/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68655912	If we have one hospital it needs to be more central to ALL the towns I.e. The Barracks / Moseley Green Area. also Coleford and Cinderford in winter snow and ice, very difficult to get to. Lydney has main road A48 and mainline rail		
556	30/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68656495	Other criteria apply Accessibility and acceptability		
557	30/11/17 1:37PM ID: 68657153	Must have regular public transport for pensioners and those unable to drive		
558	30/11/17 1:43PM ID: 68657717	A feeder for Gloucester only not for locals people will make a difference as far as you can see		
559	30/11/17 1:49PM ID: 68658071	Another single new community hospital would use up more land and be a waste of money. The money would be better spent on one of the hospitals being made larger to have more patients from the forest		
560	30/11/17 4:19PM ID: 68671687	Public transport in the FOD is not fit for purpose. Not everyone has access to a car .		
561	30/11/17 4:35PM ID: 68672939	Currently have access to a car, but cannot predict the future, and any resultant need for greater reliance on public transport. Having had to attend Gloucester for clinics following a minor injury some time ago, the stress of the journey in itself, plus the costs of parking and fuel, make access to local outpatient clinics very important.		
562	30/11/17 6:59PM ID: 68684197	The two existing hospitals are ideally situated for local access. Lydney is getting many more houses as is the cinderford area.		
563	30/11/17 8:03PM ID: 68688474	There is no public transport as such in the Forest of Dean. Look at cost of travelling to any new proposed site on public transport. Look at demographic living nearby.		
564	30/11/17 8:53PM ID: 68691014	You are being very coy about the proposed location; access to this hospital is almost as important the facilities it provides.		
565	30/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68691841	As previously noted, 2 perfectly good hospitals already in place.		
566	30/11/17 9:19PM ID: 68690988	The only bit I don't think is required is that the site should be in or near Cinderford, Coldford or Lydney. A site equidistant from these population centres would be just as acceptable, although I admit, probably less likely to find a site.		
567	30/11/17 9:53PM ID: 68693955	public transport is not available across the whole Forest		
568	30/11/17 10:04PM ID: 68692660	I do not know the answer to this. Many people that work at the community hospitals and have done for years do not drive so this in itself would present a problem.		
569	30/11/17 11:29PM ID: 68697728	By building a new facility to replace Lydney and Dilke hospitals will mean people (mostly elderly) having to travel further to visit patients or to receive treatment on poor roads with an ever depleting bus service.		
570	01/12/17 12:04PM ID: 68726686	The only Town within The Hundred of At Braivels is Cinderford. When deciding to give each Town and equal opportunity to access any future hospital is Cinderford. Cinderford is the center of the Forest of Dean.		
571	01/12/17 3:36PM ID: 68743737	I don't actually disagree. My point is that your explained options are far too simplistic...		
572	01/12/17 4:08PM ID: 68746859	Consideration should be given to access to services available in bordering counties (Herefordshire, Bristol area - for those close to Severn Crossing) and Wales.		

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573	01/12/17 5:42PM ID: 68758917	Because we don't need one		
574	01/12/17 9:40PM ID: 68772512	I do not agree with one hospital to cater for the Forest where ever it is people still will have to travel, millions have just been spent at Lydney with the new x ray/scan unit and we will have less beds so more people will have to stay in Gloucester/ Cheltenham where they may not get as many visits as being in the Forest and visits are important		
575	01/12/17 10:01PM ID: 68773319	We need to keep both our hospitals and another one too!!		
576	01/12/17 10:16PM ID: 68769636	We need easily accessible hospitals with more beds and more treatments and outpatient services. Why can't specialists travel to outlying hospitals instead of expecting patients to travel?. They are the ones who can afford it.		
577	02/12/17 12:10AM ID: 68776184	The Forest is geographically a large area. It is impossible to provide a maximum journey of 30 minutes for all residents given the condition of some of the roads especially in the dark. The roads are in some areas in need of repair. We are trying to reduce the number of cars on the roads to protect our environment. Many elderly and disabled would need transportation and public transport does not operate in a way that would support patients journeys. With the proposal of more building of homes means that patient numbers are going to increase so any singular new facility would become in need of expansion within a comparatively short time which would increase costs further. There is also the need to consider patient safety when travelling in adverse weather conditions in a hurry to transport a patient to hospital because they can't wait four hours for an ambulance. Which has happened to our son more than once!		
578	02/12/17 5:03PM ID: 68802747	We need to have the hospital as central as possible		
579	02/12/17 5:08PM ID: 68802920	Agree with the criteria proposed, but think we have to have the hospital most central to stop activity leaving the Forest - if in Lydney then lots of people will find it easier to go to Gloucester and we might then loose services in the Forest		
580	02/12/17 9:15PM ID: 68810605	I would only consider expansion of the two existing facilities.		
581	03/12/17 10:01AM ID: 68822540	As previous comments, transport will be an issue. Also resource distribution and site limitation problems. What happens if further expansion is needed? Again it makes economic sense in the long term to invest in the current sites.		
582	03/12/17 12:42PM ID: 68827622	I don't agree with the whole idea, full stop		
583	03/12/17 1:25PM ID: 68828534	It should have public transport links (i.e. be on bus routes) from all major towns and villages.		
584	03/12/17 2:23PM ID: 68830693	The needs of those living, like myself, in the furthest away areas of the Forest of Dean.		
585	03/12/17 2:45PM ID: 68830703	<p>You will not achieve a maximum travel of 30 mins, no matter where you place the new proposed hospital, if that is taken as the proffered option and again experience dictates to me that we will not be taken into account.</p> <p>How do you measure a size of a community and how, on your proffered option can you increase the size of that community? Transport needs to be looked at. During the consultation we were told that the current 46 beds available from both hospitals would reduce to 24 under the single option hospital proposal. I think you have greatly underestimated the number of beds needed.</p>		
586	03/12/17 5:47PM ID: 68836434	Placing it in one of the three towns suggested would greatly affect the residents of Lydney or Cinderford, depending on which town loses its local facilities. It might be better to locate a new hospital as centrally between the three towns as possible.		
587	03/12/17 6:04PM ID: 68837293	The reduction in the number of beds		

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588	03/12/17 9:20PM ID: 68844339	no single hospital can be within 30 minutes of all areas of the Forest, we need 2 hospitals and more staff		
589	03/12/17 9:54PM ID: 68844422	How can I fully agree with something I don't know. I understand the criteria but feel unable to "completely" agree - it would seem to be blessing something I have no knowledge of.		
590	04/12/17 12:58AM ID: 68849402	This is terribly worded. The questions are heavily loaded. The 2 hospitals should not be closed. This should be the first and only question.		
591	04/12/17 9:49AM ID: 68864834	Population (taking into account increase next 20 years) accessibility in winter months		
592	04/12/17 10:03AM ID: 68866084	Central		
593	04/12/17 10:23AM ID: 68868096	Co location with GP would be good - like Tewkesbury		
594	04/12/17 10:42AM ID: 68869487	You will have a hospital as a feeder for Gloucester Royal Hospital, not for locals		
595	04/12/17 10:50AM ID: 68870679	Saying "If its not broke don't mend it" Two hospitals are needed in the Forest for accessibility		
596	04/12/17 11:09AM ID: 68872441	An insoluble conundrum which will please some and disappoint the remainder		
597	04/12/17 11:23AM ID: 68873123	Environment - recovery of patients is affected by their surroundings ie - Looking out onto woodland or concrete, and also in knowing that their families are nearby and do not have to take long Journeys into Gloucester or Cheltenham Hospitals. Less congestion and pollution on already congested roads, especially at rush hour times		
598	04/12/17 11:32AM ID: 68873979	The choice of site is critical and will have much opposition. A site near the centre of the FOD would probably be the best. The 30 minute is good. Please allow plenty of parking including disabled. Make the hospital functional, pleasant in appearance but not elaborate. Show you have spent money wisely and use some good old from the other two		
599	04/12/17 12:40PM ID: 68880185	The present location(s) are ideal. Other factors to consider are Ease of Access (Traffic), Distance, Parking etc		
600	04/12/17 1:41PM ID: 68885614	Reuse of current estate on a reprove and decant basis.		
601	04/12/17 1:44PM ID: 68886599	If it's not broke don't fix it		
602	04/12/17 2:07PM ID: 68888839	you can travel a long way in 30 minutes! so not a local hospital		
603	04/12/17 2:14PM ID: 68889116	A new hospital would be best in Lydney because it is near the railway and A48. is a rapidly expanding town, and would maintain the excellent facilities given to the town in our current cottage hospital		
604	04/12/17 2:16PM ID: 68889799	Just sort it		
605	04/12/17 2:20PM ID: 68887254	To be fair any new hospital should be in the centre of the forest and not at Lydney as it is a three sided town bordered the River Severn		
606	04/12/17 2:26PM ID: 68890816	Cinderford too far from Coleford Should be either Coleford or Lydney		
607	04/12/17 2:29PM ID: 68891210	Need to think about access for ambulance and public transport		
608	04/12/17 3:12PM	Population growth, infrastructure should be considered - Gloucestershire CC Highway		

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	ID: 68895236	etc		
609	04/12/17 3:28PM ID: 68896637	I think that any new development should be central to the FOD and have easy direct access from the key residential areas. Transport and helicopter access routes to enable easy transfer to Glos, Hereford and Bristol are crucial.		
610	04/12/17 4:04PM ID: 68902015	Accessibility, public transport throughout the Forest of Dean.		
611	04/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68918338	The overall process is flawed. The assessment should have been presented in the consultation to ensure clarity on the strategy. See my comments on the first question.		
612	04/12/17 8:11PM ID: 68914041	There should be more emphasis on solving the problem of inadequate public transport. Many families in the Forest of Dean do not have enough resources to own a car. There should be consideration for subsidised or voluntary services such as Dial a Ride to be co-ordinated and extended.		
613	04/12/17 8:14PM ID: 68915523	Because of the total lack of beds where you have an aging community and once the tolls on the Severn Bridge stop there will be a large increase of people living in the Fof D more than has been predicted. That in the medium term there is not going to be an improved social service to support infirmed people at home due to lack of available funding either at local or national level. That incomes in the Fof D are relatively low and cannot afford to pay for home assistance and therefore need more NHS support.		
614	04/12/17 9:01PM ID: 68922358	Setting criteria such as, "reachable by car or public transport" means that people without their own transport will have difficulty getting there. Criteria should read, "by car and public transport".		
615	05/12/17 8:28AM ID: 68939951	The location should be weighted towards the larger population centres not only now but future. e.g. There is a lot of housebuilding in Lydney.		
616	05/12/17 9:20AM ID: 68945489	I do not agree with the concept of only one community hospital		
617	05/12/17 9:30AM ID: 68945937	I do not trust you to do anything that meets the community interests (rather than your corporate ones)		
618	05/12/17 9:34AM ID: 68947065	Central IN Forest		
619	05/12/17 9:38AM ID: 68947581	Central and in the Forest		
620	05/12/17 9:45AM ID: 68947831	The two hospitals have provided good care for residents of the forest of Dean for many years. Both hospitals have received substantial sums of money via the " Friends " of each hospital to purchase much needed equipment. I believe these items and the money should remain in the Forest and not absorbed into general NHS funds		
621	05/12/17 9:56AM ID: 68949038	A cinderford site would be unacceptable to Lydney residents and likewise to residents in the west of the area		
622	05/12/17 10:20AM ID: 68949437	It should not be on the Northern Quarter development. It should not be linked to a GP service (Co Location)		
623	05/12/17 10:40AM ID: 68952890	A new hospital should have local transport for people who are unable to drive		
624	05/12/17 10:48AM ID: 68953238	New hospital should have more not less beds - Consider two wards, one acute, one Specialising in dementia / care of elderly		
625	05/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68955953	Improve and modernise the Dilke		
626	05/12/17 11:20AM ID: 68956573	I believe that Coleford should be the site, 1) neither Lydney or Cinderford reside to consider that they have "lost" 2) It is the most accessible for all foresters		

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627	05/12/17 11:28AM ID: 68956983	Location is critical as is full transport links. Ageing population, non car drivers may struggle		
628	05/12/17 11:31AM ID: 68957748	Close to a school so can be part of it		
629	05/12/17 11:51AM ID: 68959300	There is no where in the forest that a single hospital would be within 30 minutes of all or even majority of residents		
630	05/12/17 12:04PM ID: 68960131	One criteria suggests the new hospital should not be more than 30 minutes from Gloucester? That's how long it takes now to get to the main general hospital in Glos. It should be central to the forest		
631	05/12/17 12:07PM ID: 68961257	being on the edge of the "forest of dean it takes 30 minutes to reach Cinderford		
632	05/12/17 12:15PM ID: 68961871	The ideal site - college site, neutral to both Cinderford and Lydney. Centrally sited. Roads to east, west and south ok. All utilities on site. Public transport ok. Bus stop on site and on main road. A roads to Cinderford, Lydney, Drybrook and Micheldean. A new hospital must have at least 40 plus beds or a building capacity capable of taking extra beds if necessary. The site has been delegated as suitable for health provision by the local area NDP, by the inspector who signed off the plan		
633	05/12/17 12:22PM ID: 68962397	On a good day, the extremely busy hospital in Gloucester is only 30 minutes away. I would prefer to have the Dilke renewed or a hospital in Coleford which is halfway between Dilke and Lydney		
634	05/12/17 12:30PM ID: 68962982	1. Parking facilities - staff, outpatients, visitors 2. Where is the "accessible site" - why so enigmatic? 3. Guaranteed assurances on regular service by public transport: an aging population is unlikely to be car driving		
635	05/12/17 12:43PM ID: 68964195	Because of a lack of beds as according to the Government, there will be less beds not more as I feel if a new hospital was built then it would make more sense, especially with the patients coming through the doors needing treatment, and if the resources isn't there then it won't be any point of having a new hospital built. Plus the government keeps saying having that they have no money, so how can you think about building a new hospital for the forest of dean. Yet the government can only afford money to spend elsewhere which does not include the Forest of Dean all though we deserve all we can get		
636	05/12/17 1:35PM ID: 68969853	Transport		
637	05/12/17 1:37PM ID: 68970023	The lack of public transport		
638	05/12/17 1:49PM ID: 68971310	30 minutes distance from Lydney is a very long way		
639	05/12/17 1:50PM ID: 68968022	As previously stated a lot of families within the forest are on low incomes and travelling by car is impossible for some families and may be easier to go to Gloucester than FoD, which I assume you would like to avoid. If as I believe this will go ahead no matter what the local communities want then a shuttle bus that is available regularly to the main site be made available either free or heavily subsidies for locals on low incomes and no car		
640	05/12/17 1:51PM ID: 68971481	24 beds insufficient with all new houses going up. If based in Coleford, difficult route for outlying villages and traffic chaos in Lydney area to access mid forest		
641	05/12/17 2:01PM ID: 68972234	location in many respects is the least most importance issue (provided its in FOD) Its about what it is		
642	05/12/17 2:06PM ID: 68972774	Central- Cinderford makes sense. On a bus route		

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643	05/12/17 2:08PM ID: 68971131	not sure		
644	05/12/17 3:47PM ID: 68982221	My reasons are given in the previous page.		
645	05/12/17 3:53PM ID: 68983060	must be central to the forest of dean		
646	05/12/17 3:58PM ID: 68982400	I'm having to answer this on line & cannot read the actual section you referring to but I do think it will take away facilities & options of care for individual patients especially older people who need pastoral care & ease when health & disability strikes in later years ~		
647	05/12/17 7:09PM ID: 68997548	It will be further to travel		
648	05/12/17 7:51PM ID: 68999097	If the Cinderford Town Council have offered a site on the Northern Quarter then this should be used.. Wherever the hospital is built people will have to travel...		
649	05/12/17 10:07PM ID: 69006760	An urgent care/ minor injuries provision need to be considered to help reduce waiting times at Gloucester a&e		
650	05/12/17 10:26PM ID: 69007484	Keep existing hospitals		
651	05/12/17 10:28PM ID: 69007530	The forest elderly,and sick		
652	05/12/17 11:09PM ID: 69005756	The minor injury units are used by more than just the forest residents which needs to be taken into account it is also used by the Wye valley residents Chepstow and Monmouth by closing one your increasing work load else were.		
653	06/12/17 8:24AM ID: 69023240	Why can't you improve what we already have? Especially as money has already been spent on these sites? Cinderford is already going through development with the Northern Quarter it would be a burden to further develop that area for more new builds. And I fear that the redundant Dilke and Lydney hospital would end up a derelict eyesore or unnecessary housing		
654	06/12/17 8:42AM ID: 69024883	Concerned regarding reduction in bed numbers and provision of services to forest based users		
655	06/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69033344	The location of the hospital is being used as a devisive issue in the Forest of Dean in order to divide any opposition to the idea of a new 'community hospital' - Whatever that may mean because we cannot tell because of a (deliberate/) lack of information.		
656	06/12/17 11:54AM ID: 69046470	Concerned about the proposed reduction of inpatient beds given the ageing population		
657	06/12/17 12:20PM ID: 69043447	By saying it should be no further than 30 minutes by car, you are assuming that patients have and can drive a car or are wealthy enough to go by taxi.. It is not good enough to state that it must be accessible by car or public transport. It would have to be accessible by public transport. This would in itself involve building new routes of public transport. The cost of this does not seem to have been considered. If you are expecting co-location of primary care services all to be on that one site then this flies in the face of local access.		
658	06/12/17 12:29PM ID: 69048488	The transport issue is vital. you say 'accessible by car or pubic transport' but it should read 'car AND public transport'		
659	06/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69050850	We don't want you to remove these facilities, local people use them, people who don't have the finances or ability to travel to your proposed new build. Keep these hospitals working please, thank you!		

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660	06/12/17 12:52PM ID: 69052555	As I don't agree with a single hospital then I cannot agree with any other alternatives		
661	06/12/17 4:36PM ID: 69075776	Does not need GP services		
662	06/12/17 4:58PM ID: 69077458	Think it should be located in coleford area it's more central to the forest better bus service available in that area and 2 main routes to gloucester because there are lots of accidents and road closures on the a48		
663	06/12/17 5:10PM ID: 69077987	because I am against the proposal		
664	06/12/17 6:05PM ID: 69081914	Criteria are fine - transport and access are likely to be the main issues. Needs to have good links to Gloucester		
665	06/12/17 8:35PM ID: 69089263	The forest definitely needs a new hospital that is fit for purpose, however the bed numbers are appalling... it needs to have at least the same as Dilke and Lydney combined, certainly not less.		
666	06/12/17 10:29PM ID: 69093917	Consideration of public transport routes I in detail need to be looked at. I.e Lydney to cinderford is an un regular and requires 1 change bus route. Coleford and Lydney would be better proposed locations. This is because Cinderford is only 30 mins from GRH. Therefore Lydney and Coleford are further from access to healthcare if the hospital was built in cinderford. Lydney is a good 25 mins from Cinderford		
667	06/12/17 10:47PM ID: 69094443	There are no good criteria. It should be obvious that if you reduce the number of hospitals from two to one, the distance people will need to travel will worsen. This in a situation where most people already have too far to travel.		
668	06/12/17 10:55PM ID: 69094304	I am unsure how a new site to suit everyone will be achieved. Would the monies raised from the sale of the existing hospitals be used to provide a suitably sized plot or simply be absorbed back into general funds?		
669	06/12/17 11:22PM ID: 69095116	Easy access to majority of population is very important. The southern area of the Forest of Dean also has to cover areas up to and including Tutshill and Sedbury.		
670	07/12/17 9:11AM ID: 69107630	Section 10 suggests you have already made up your minds!		
671	07/12/17 9:16AM ID: 69108269	Should be approx.: Half way from Lydney and Cinderford i.e Coleford (Ps I do not live in Coleford) I also believe people from Lydney would not use a hospital in Cinderford and Vice Versa. Newent people do not drive to the Dilke for minor injuries or seek appointments @ the Dilke		
672	07/12/17 9:18AM ID: 69108693	Bus companies can change or stop routes at any time		
673	07/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69110025	Extending the Dilke down towards Cinderford Bridge		
674	07/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69110229	More beds and facilities needed not less		
675	07/12/17 9:41AM ID: 69110478	Impossible to satisfy all criteria		
676	07/12/17 9:47AM ID: 69110639	If there is to be a new hospital, the number of beds would have to be more than we now have at both hospitals, a 24 hour A&E unit, the location should be as near as possible to the A48		
677	07/12/17 9:50AM ID: 69111163	Difficult for non drivers		

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678	07/12/17 9:58AM ID: 69111845	Difficult for non drivers in terms of accessibility		
679	07/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69111001	Need to make sure pubic transport routes are commissioned. Need to make sure that there is a network of accesible GP surgeries so not looking for one large co-located GP surgery.		
680	07/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69112140	Must be covered by public transport for the complete area		
681	07/12/17 10:01AM ID: 69112083	We need to keep what we have and invest		
682	07/12/17 10:05AM ID: 69112382	1) you do not specify the alternative site 2) you do not specify if car parking will remain free 3) not in the "northern quarter" at Cinderford		
683	07/12/17 10:09AM ID: 69112884	I think where the 2 hospitals are, are just right and I think the should be updated, with the money. not enough detail was given in this booklet about what we would be having. It seems to me. we would end up worse off		
684	07/12/17 10:12AM ID: 69113320	Should be accessible by public transport. What is meant by Forest of Dean - whole district council area or smaller area?		
685	07/12/17 10:22AM ID: 69114166	Public transport practically non existent in FOD area - not everyone has a car or access to one e.g elderly. Lydney has some land available and Dilke is on a bigger site. If money available, why not spend it on existing hospitals - people have raised a lot of money over the years supporting them!		
686	07/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69114606	This should be decided by the peoples GP's and reps from the people (keep councils, politics out of this		
687	07/12/17 10:48AM ID: 69115546	Again I see both remain and new site as having benefits, however I am not convinced that a new "shiny" build will attract staff any more than the present two do. Loyalty and job satisfaction do not necessarily go together I also think that this consultation document is biased towards a "new build" and until I can be convinced by facts rather than nice wording, I can only support two hospitals serving the Dean. Be very careful of over accommodation . Take note the dilemma that the Police and Fire service are in by the case of regionalisation of the Fire service and the centralisation of the Police at Waterwells.. Both overprovision and under used		
688	07/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69117003	A lot of local residents rely on local buses and not all areas are covered		
689	07/12/17 11:00AM ID: 69117446	We would prefer from the Forest of Dean that improvements at both our hospitals is implemented		
690	07/12/17 11:04AM ID: 69117789	not all people have cars and not all areas are covered by local buses		
691	07/12/17 11:28AM ID: 69119966	Location is critical - Cinderford / Lydney will campaign forever. Logical answer is 5 acres college site on the A4136 road. Good road to Mitcheldean, Drybrook, Lydbrook etc and Cinderford and Lydney. Public services on site, bus services and access ok on to site. The site is owned by public bodies, West Dean Parish Council. NDP has been accepted and passed by Government inspector. The plan site has been passed as suitable for health use. Number of beds - you are teating the issue like wagebarining. Why don't you put a realistic offer of 35 beds with build capacity of 50 if need arises in future with growing population. 2nd re build at Dilke - you own the land - its more central to the whole forest		
692	07/12/17 11:30AM ID: 69120809	It must be central like the Dilke or easy to get to like Lydney. Parking should be very much improved		
693	07/12/17 11:35AM ID: 69121102	Hospital will not be within 30 minutes travel. no regular public transport - requires getting to Gloucester First! This is a waste of public money		
694	07/12/17 11:39AM	Less beds. Easier for me to get to Lydney		

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	ID: 69121561			
695	07/12/17 11:43AM ID: 69122027	Transport: Bus companies are private, schedules and services can be withdrawn or altered at anytime		
696	07/12/17 11:48AM ID: 69122395	you say 30 minutes by car. Cheltenham, Chepstow etc are within 30 minutes		
697	07/12/17 11:54AM ID: 69122850	Should be near to main road eg A48 for ease of access, buses emergency vehicles nothing moves out of Coleford in bad weather and Cinderford has easy access to Gloucester by bus and car		
698	07/12/17 12:01PM ID: 69123420	Because of the unique geographical area of the forest of dean, 2 hospital sites are necessary		
699	07/12/17 12:08PM ID: 69124239	This question should not be posed at the current time. The question being asked is "do foresters want a new hospital or not?" The majority of the forest people would not have had access to this form, it should have been "door dropped" / posted. This survey will give a grossly unfair representation of people's views		
700	07/12/17 12:16PM ID: 69125014	We should keep the two hospitals that we have already and upgrade them, the forest needs these hospitals due to geography and transport problems of the area.		
701	07/12/17 12:24PM ID: 69125839	Impossible to get to in 30 minutes. Public transport almost non-existent and requires going into Gloucester to catch Not enough beds, no convalescent facilities - fracture clinics A waste of public money. Use existing hospitals for convalescent and rehabilitation		
702	07/12/17 12:48PM ID: 69128003	Access for non drivers		
703	07/12/17 12:51PM ID: 69127907	transport infrastructure again.		
704	07/12/17 12:53PM ID: 69128414	dk		
705	07/12/17 12:58PM ID: 69128902	Because there will be less beds which is crazy! You need many more beds for locals		
706	07/12/17 1:04PM ID: 69127099	I didn't say I didn't agree? I said I partly agree. The part which I do not agree with is whether or not it is affordable or not. If the other two hospitals go, then a suitable replacement should be provided, otherwise leave the other two hospitals alone.		
707	07/12/17 1:08PM ID: 69129346	Accessibility for people who do not drive		
708	07/12/17 1:10PM ID: 69129859	Must be less than 30 minutes		
709	07/12/17 1:14PM ID: 69130047	Do not agree with the single option		
710	07/12/17 1:16PM ID: 69130476	Accessibility for people dependant on public transport		
711	07/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69130862	Would prefer both hospitals to be updated		
712	07/12/17 1:25PM ID: 69131209	difficult for non drivers to access		
713	07/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69131709	Any decision on this should definitely be made by a citizens advisory panel made up of local residents who have resided in the Forest of Dean area and Lydney for over 10 years and also a clinical advisory panel similarly of local standing not incommers from		

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		larger hospitals. GCS NHS Trust and GCCG governing bodies should accept local views not make decisions that affect rural areas. Newent is near Gloucester (and was in Gloucester city council area) and it is North Forest nearer Gloucester so people who lived there can be accommodated there and only use Dilke for after care by preference and only use it for outpatients if they get free transport due to poor public transport services		
714	07/12/17 2:30PM ID: 69137759	This is a leading question		
715	07/12/17 3:27PM ID: 69141231	I do not agree with the proposal of a single hospital.		
716	07/12/17 4:37PM ID: 69130392	The fact that Lydney is expanding and the roads are getting so bad with poor road conditions and frequent roadworks, potholes etc. The greater aspect of accidents from people driving more in the Forest due to the sheep, deer and boar darting into the road.		
717	07/12/17 5:20PM ID: 69153088	it needs to be in the centre of the forest so equal distance away from everyone . think bigger than now as population is growing rapidly		
718	07/12/17 6:14PM ID: 69156409	An additional consideration relates to the environment in which the hospital would be located. I hear about the therapeutic effect the Dilke setting has for patients and this does need to be thought about in the future. A business park setting, with little outlook, would not be ideal.		
719	07/12/17 7:50PM ID: 69162188	The Dilke and Lydney needed as well as a new hospital		
720	07/12/17 9:54PM ID: 69168492	The 2 hospitals we have are good.. just update them..		
721	07/12/17 11:23PM ID: 69171221	Both of the current sites should be retained and refurbished.		
722	07/12/17 11:36PM ID: 69171396	It should not be further away than the existing hospitals. The Dilke was built by public subscription to treat mining accidents as quickly as possible. There should be a maternity unit.		
723	08/12/17 12:12AM ID: 69173390	WHERE IS THE BOOKLET? NOT AVAILABLE OBVIOUSLY FOR ORDINARY PEOPLE TO EASILY SEE>		
724	08/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69182051	why take away 2 beautiful hospitals to put up another hospitals with less beds. it will be cutting the jobs in the forest you will get a bigger back log of patience in the bigger hospitals. don't waste the tax payers money		
725	08/12/17 10:11AM ID: 69189649	Site of new hospital needs careful consideration Number of beds should be flexible, as at present local hospitals are used for overflow from other ares. Would they be given more beds?		
726	08/12/17 10:58AM ID: 69195154	See previous answer re central location such as Coleford		
727	08/12/17 10:59AM ID: 69196142	See before		
728	08/12/17 12:13PM ID: 69201474	The number of beds available must be at least the equivalent of what we have now.		
729	08/12/17 12:56PM ID: 69197790	If a new location is considered, the 30 minute car journey guide will be difficult to achieve especially to the northern area of the forest (Newent area for example) . 30 mins. equates to about 15 miles. The selected location should be closer to areas of greatest population density or area of maximum development. If there is " an available site " why was n't this stated ? A site does not "offer a design and development " - this can only be achieved by appropriate planning		

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		Also the suggestion that a new development would consider the " input of local communities " is rather fanciful. What does the local community (as opposed to medical professionals) know about hospital design?		
730	08/12/17 12:59PM ID: 69207977	It should be accessible by car AND public transport		
731	08/12/17 1:03PM ID: 69208116	The most important thing is accessibility for those who cannot drive or have no transport of all ages. This will be difficult in the forest as public transport does not link up all of the villages. People who need care do not need to take 2 or 3 buses and take all day it would be as bad as going to Gloucester		
732	08/12/17 1:06PM ID: 69208376	I don't agree with any cut backs on health provision		
733	08/12/17 1:08PM ID: 69208636	Needs to be on a bus route and more beds		
734	08/12/17 1:15PM ID: 69208951	accessible by public transport is essential		
735	08/12/17 1:18PM ID: 69209235	My wife does not drive, so we need bus service to the location of the new hospital		
736	08/12/17 1:21PM ID: 69209405	difficult for non drivers and no reliable bus service		
737	08/12/17 1:23PM ID: 69209637	good access to Gloucester to help travel		
738	08/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69210038	I feel it will be difficult meet all of stated criteria		
739	08/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69209867	Access by car is the only option. An aging population may need to use public transport, that is available to Lydney but not to Coleford or Cinderford. Also a car journey to either of those two towns from Tidenham Parish would involve very poor roads.		
740	08/12/17 1:43PM ID: 69210672	To "drain (??)" the forest by bus routes to allow public transport to be used . I think Elton corner is the best site		
741	08/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69211689	It is very important that the new hospital is sited near good transport link to Gloucester if an emergency develops and specialist care is required		
742	08/12/17 2:02PM ID: 69212373	Not at all. The Criteria are inadequate		
743	08/12/17 2:10PM ID: 69212817	With the proposed population of the forest nearing 90,000 and over a quarter of that number would be over 65 years old, one hospital would not cope with such large numbers. MORE BEDS NEEDED - NOT LESS		
744	08/12/17 2:12PM ID: 69212635	I think that Coleford should be ruled out as a location. It is in the N.W. corner of the Forest and would lead to unnecessarily long journeys for many. I also think that the deadline of 2021/2022 is probably too short. It would be better to take longer and get it right than rush ahead and have to correct mistakes/misjudgements later.		
745	08/12/17 2:13PM ID: 69213332	Transport issues after 6.30pm the forest has no buses		
746	08/12/17 2:23PM ID: 69214311	If Lydney chosen it would be too far for Newent residents		
747	08/12/17 2:34PM ID: 69214178	It needs to be central in the Forest of Dean. Newent would not offer anything easier to get to regarding travel and what we experience already getting to GRH.		
748	08/12/17 4:09PM ID: 69221167	You have not defined where the available site is . Give that info and we'll go from there.		

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749	08/12/17 4:10PM ID: 69222652	Not enough information about proposals as mentioned previously		
750	08/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69223870	It will be more difficult for some to get access to services or visit patients.		
751	08/12/17 5:38PM ID: 69228085	Location should be accessible by both car and accessible by public transport - not the or option suggested in your document. Preferably the hospital should also be accessible on foot from a main population centre.		
752	08/12/17 5:56PM ID: 69228887	Your wording does not use clear english. You say 'Car OR Public Transport' which leaves you an option to position it without Public Transport, and that is unacceptable. Perhaps you meant to use 'AND'.		
753	08/12/17 7:30PM ID: 69232958	You can agree with the criteria but I imagine that sites have already been put forward for consideration; not only is that logical it would have been more honest to have shared them with the public/clients.		
754	08/12/17 8:35PM ID: 69234916	Lydney hospital probably does need replacing, site there is more limited for development, but population growing rapidly so needs to be replaced locally to Lydney. The Dilke has more scope for building development/improvement, again local population steadily growing. To be frank Coleford needs its own community hospital too.		
755	08/12/17 9:47PM ID: 69239111	We need a combined total of beds in the new as the existing two hospitals. Existing bus routes to be taken into consideration		
756	08/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69241016	The criteria to "reflect the unique heritage and character of the Forest of Dean" should be higher priority. The Dilke was funded by miners and it is our hospital, not yours to close down.		
757	09/12/17 3:36AM ID: 69245233	Local transport is not frequent in some areas, villages. Some patients will require specialist vehicles or support. This is a current ongoing issue.		
758	09/12/17 8:21AM ID: 69249254	There is no consideration of population demographics. Many people do not have a car so travelling is a challenge, especially in the winter. Outpatient and diagnostic facilities will be underused as people will not be able to get there. Local people do not want a new hospital with fewer beds.		
759	09/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69250508	Travel links in the Forest are getting worse so that has to be looked into for certain parts of the community		
760	09/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69250641	No trust in this survey. Should spend the money on the existing hospitals.		
761	09/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69251815	We all pay our NI and Taxes - but the funds / budgets are being "stolen"/ syphoned off to the Private Sector and Management killing our NHS.		
762	09/12/17 9:51AM ID: 69252094	No certainty of outcome. You shouldn't have a survey without offering a clearer picture of location outcome.		
763	09/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69258731	I do not agree because I love the dilke hospital and Lydney hospital because they are an asset to the forest and I think the staff are dedicated to there jobs. I also do not agree with this proposal because many people will loose there jobs and some patients of the dilke will loose there home because I've heard that some elderly patients live in the dilke.		
764	09/12/17 3:13PM ID: 69259351	Please see my response on first page. Section 10 illustrates what I've already written - the decision has been made, this survey is rather disingenuous. And however can people make informed decisions when you're withholding key facts - like, you have a site in view but you're coyly not telling us where! With respect, but I think you've made a mistake with this strategy. Transparency, candour and honesty are crucial to success. Section 10 omits an important criterion: "It should have the support of local residents and patients "		

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		<p>A 30 minute car trip is too far for, I would estimate, a large number of people.</p> <p>Has this best value assessment factored in ALL the hidden costs to patients, staff, other services and, ultimately, the public purse? (Having actually run a year-long, county-wide BV assessment for an adjoining county, I doubt it.)</p>		
765	09/12/17 3:31PM ID: 69265161	Maintain the two existing hospitals		
766	09/12/17 4:22PM ID: 69266661	Wherever the hospital is placed it will be easier for some people to access it than others		
767	09/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69266970	As answered earlier, I don't accept the need for a new single community hospital, so the proposed criteria are irrelevant.		
768	09/12/17 6:38PM ID: 69270946	Views of local people not the Government		
769	09/12/17 7:12PM ID: 69272353	Sufficient parking, easily accessible,		
770	09/12/17 7:31PM ID: 69272966	Consider accessibility for the present population demographic which has changed in the cent years.		
771	09/12/17 8:39PM ID: 69274042	This survey is complicated and incomprehensible, I find the biased nature of the questions hard to answer.		
772	09/12/17 8:44PM ID: 69274409	Insufficient emphasis seems to be given to the geographical location being as central as possible within the whole FOD area (not just the traditional Forest area). Cinderford is physically most centrally placed and the new Northern Quarter would have the benefit of location on the crossing of primary east/west and north/south routes. Public transport across the FOD area is very poor. It will be very important to use some of the savings that should accrue to boost the hospital car service.		
773	09/12/17 9:41PM ID: 69276030	<p>I do not agree with selling off the Dilke. As for Lydney I feel it has been added to in an add hoc manner over the years to provide a muddle of rooms/facilities. I think it does need replacing and could accept it being on a new site in Lydney where there is an expanding population and bus transport.</p> <p>My question is what is the site worth? I imagine most of the existing buildings would need demolishing and taking away. What happens to all the equipment in the hospital? Can it be re used?</p>		
774	09/12/17 10:45PM ID: 69277903	Must have good public transport links.		
775	09/12/17 11:01PM ID: 69277567	<p>It is not sufficient that a site should be 'accessible' by car or public transport. Access should be via good road routes but crucially the chosen site and public transport services to be provided must be such that patients and visitors from all over the FoD can attend the hospital and return home within a reasonable time.</p> <p>Since it is proposed that the new hospital will provide end of life care, the site chosen must be such that rooms can provide a suitable peaceful setting.</p>		
776	09/12/17 11:26PM ID: 69276227	While this option is opposed it should be made clear that too much emphasis is being placed on the convenience of health care professionals and Gloucestershire care services rather than on patients. The location of the hospital should be considered in relation to the alternatives for patients. It is much more important that there should be a hospital available close to patients in the south of the area rather than available to someone who is only 30 minutes away.		
777	09/12/17 11:54PM ID: 69279078	<p>The distance of travel to Gloucester from Beachley, Sedbury and Lydney. more than 30 mins.</p> <p>The rise in numbers of patients due to new houses being built in Lydney, Tutshill and Sedbury and possibly Beachley when the Army Camp closes.</p> <p>Factories in the area working 24hrs</p>		

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		Public Transport Accessibility to other methods of Travel, train etc for staff particularly in bad weather.		
778	10/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69288956	Listen to the people of the Forest of Dean. It is those people who will have to suffer the lack of beds.		
779	10/12/17 3:08PM ID: 69299170	Consideration needs to be given to the problems of access caused by patchy or nonexistent bus services particularly if the healthcare recipient has urgent need of treatment. Ambulance services in the West are overstretched and likely to remain so, so having places like the Dilke and Lydney hospitals permanently available when the new facility is built would keep access difficulties under control.		
780	10/12/17 4:50PM ID: 69302265	The facilities and medical requirements should only be decided by the medical staff and personnel in and using the hospital. In my opinion the hospital wards should have full nursing staff requirements and a team of surgeons and consultants employed within the hospital and the hospital run as a proper hospital NOT requiring local GP's to carry out medical procedures, otherwise leave things as they are, leaving the professionals in GRH to continue their excellent work.		
781	10/12/17 6:41PM ID: 69307490	<p>The county already struggles for bed Space, people having to travel to Cheltenham for treatments etc, there needs to be more funding, as ive said the Dilke and Lydney should remain as minor injury units however a major hospital Needs to be built within the Forest of Dean it needs to be on main routes so that those from Around the Forest of Dean can get there easily and not rely on Services provided by Ambulance Cars etc so they can have treatments,</p> <p>The Residential areas of the Forest of dean and it's population is Growing Sooner or Later there will be an even greater need for More Local Services to be Accessable to Everyone in the Area, i cannot see how it would not be cost effective to build a major Hospital now rather than Later Especially as there is Discussion of a Hospital being Built anyway, this would ease the Strain on Gloucester Royal and Cheltenham General, and shorten waiting times and Traveling times for many Unwell People.</p>		
782	10/12/17 7:09PM ID: 69309218	As I have explained. Huge sections of the Forest of Dean will be isolated and transport needs to e addressed.		
783	10/12/17 7:27PM ID: 69310011	It needs to be on a main road, as central to the Forest as possible.		
784	10/12/17 8:00PM ID: 69311181	What about Newent? Will it really be accessible by public transport?		
785	10/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69314391	As above . We need hosp within an easy distance		
786	10/12/17 9:54PM ID: 69315151	Scope for expansion. Parking should be provided free of charge.		
787	10/12/17 10:00PM ID: 69314609	The Forest of Dean is a large, spread out area wherever a single hospital is sited more people will be at a disadvantage than they are now.		
788	10/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69316550	<p>We do not need a new hospital we have two perfectly good ones with greater capacity.</p> <p>This process of seeming to consult has happened before We now have a half built replacement of a perfectly good College when the original one had playing fields, space and room to expand. 7000 people objected to this. The road access alone has been way over budget. The hospital issue has parallels.</p>		
789	10/12/17 11:29PM ID: 69318153	I don't agree that one hospital will be beneficial to all FOD residents as is unlikely to be close enough for many to use.		
790	11/12/17 1:22AM	Our heritage, we have lost enough in recent years. The Dilke in particular is a suitable		

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	ID: 69319269	site, pleasant in outlook, central to the Forest, easy to get to, steeped in our history and plenty of room to develop.		
791	11/12/17 7:04AM ID: 69323472	Older people struggle to get around their home areas let alone travel any great distance to and from hospital with the current arrange there is hospital within easy reach of most, that was why people made sacrifices build them. When you think about location you will be taking up more land from nature and you will be effectively threatening lives as while I know the NHS closed most of the a and e departments in community hospitals these hospital provide important safety network, I have had cause to use the dilke when I was badly attacked by a dog, they were the closest and they helped me. Your criteria should consider what the people of the forest want. Try looking at the outcry over this proposal on social media and take a clue.		
792	11/12/17 8:56AM ID: 69328043	Cinderford would be the obvious location for a single hospital		
793	11/12/17 9:30AM ID: 69330283	maintaining the existing sites allowing them to compliment each other in services they provide and allowing wider access to remote areas.		
794	11/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69333644	If a new hospital was agreed, Cinderford would meet all the criteria for the location of a new hospital		
795	11/12/17 10:15AM ID: 69334011	There are limited options for the location of this proposed hospital, and the public have not been informed of any choices. It will be almost impossible to find a central site.		
796	11/12/17 10:27AM ID: 69334747	How can you expect me to agree when the location has not been disclosed. A thirty minute car journey would be at least an hour by public transport if it is available. I am elderly now and I may not be driving when this has been concluded		
797	11/12/17 10:46AM ID: 69336992	The premise that the major population lies in the three forest towns is flawed. Populations are Cinderford - 8615 Coleford - 8730 Lydney - 9035 West Dean - 10280 West Dean lies in the centre of the Forest and has the largest population. The site of the hospital must be at the centre of the largest population. Suggest parkend - the field next to Whitehead park		
798	11/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69337414	Not at all		
799	11/12/17 11:09AM ID: 69337984	This is taking away the heritage of the Forest of Dean, and the work that local people have put into the 2 hospitals. The locations of these hospitals, was not a problem before the car age and public transport why change it now		
800	11/12/17 11:19AM ID: 69339225	30 minutes by car could be near Gloucester - I don't think anyone wants to go that far for their hospital. The new hospital MUST be in the Forest area		
801	11/12/17 11:30AM ID: 69340070	The present Dilke Memorial hospital is in a most beautiful spot in the Forest not a concrete jungle. for a car driven passenger like myself, free parking is really good. Why not rethink and spend your money on the Dilke Memorial hospital		
802	11/12/17 11:42AM ID: 69340956	I don't agree at all because I feel there should still be two hospitals and I think most of the population would also want this. At the end of the day, I don't think their views will be taken into account and you will just rail road through what you want		
803	11/12/17 12:04PM ID: 69342976	This question pre supposes that the proposal will be approved, which goes against the democratic process		
804	11/12/17 12:13PM ID: 69343900	Do not understand the need to change what works well at present		
805	11/12/17 12:41PM ID: 69344749	Not needed		

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806	11/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69348547	The 30 minute travelling is not much different than a trip into Gloucester. 24 beds for the whole of the forest, which is expanding seems inadequate		
807	11/12/17 1:16PM ID: 69349570	The ideal place is Lydney (field by Clinic) Everything gets taken to North Forest, nearer Gloucester. Forgotten down Tutshill and Sedbury Area		
808	11/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69349990	Cinderford and Lydney are already miles apart and Gloucester hospital 25 miles away. This will cause more deaths in the Forest of Dean		
809	11/12/17 1:26PM ID: 69350568	As above. And no sites have been suggested as yet		
810	11/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69352059	Accessibility is key. and both public transport provision and ease of road access must be priorities for staff and patients and traffic volumes at peak times, winding or hilly secondary routes will all impact. major expansion is planned for Newent - we need a forest hospital community hospital in Tewkesbury / Ledbury are not accessible and GRH not an option		
811	11/12/17 1:42PM ID: 69352689	All 3 towns are growing and not just one facility will be able to manage these numbers		
812	11/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69353060	All 3 towns are growing and not just one facility will be able to manage these numbers		
813	11/12/17 1:46PM ID: 69353273	Cutting down on beds for one, growth of house being built more people. Joined up care in peoples homes will not work, your views on paper sound fine, looking at it practically, doesn't work not the answer for care		
814	11/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69353642	Bad roads, very poor public transport should be a major consideration, not bureaucracy which only wants to save / make money		
815	11/12/17 1:57PM ID: 69354254	With 1400 new houses proposed in Lydney - where are the hospitals beds, schools and roads to take an extra 2500 cars		
816	11/12/17 2:00PM ID: 69354689	If the Northern Quarter development of Cinderford is proposed / Would be concerned about safety underground		
817	11/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69355409	seems ok - nowhere will get unanimous support so just get on. Everyone uses private car as no public transport anyway		
818	11/12/17 2:21PM ID: 69357566	See box in question 2 re accessibility to people unable to drive		
819	11/12/17 2:25PM ID: 69358158	perhaps equi - distance from one of the population centres would be fairer		
820	12/12/17 9:15AM ID: 69402860	Lydney would be preferred. Access much safer		
821	12/12/17 9:31AM ID: 69404481	30 minutes by car is too long, especially as that equates to considerably more by public transport which is not good in the forest. Are you planning to increase the ambulance service		
822	12/12/17 9:40AM ID: 69405841	As above, our preferred location would be Cinderford and we would not wish to travel any further into the forest.		
823	12/12/17 9:42AM ID: 69406336	Has to have space for parking		
824	12/12/17 9:56AM ID: 69406496	Too much emphasis on cost and design when the main priority should be accessibility for both patients and staff. If staff do not wish to travel you will end up with an inefficient hospital		
825	12/12/17 10:02AM ID: 69407650	It should be sited equidistant from the 3 main population centres as far as possible as long as accessibility is maintained and public transport improved		
826	12/12/17 10:12AM	Even if the site is accessible by car and public transport, the cost of diesel and		

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	ID: 69408049	especially public transport would be prohibitive for low wage earners if they have to use this facility regularly eg. physiotherapy and for senior citizens especially if they have to visit partners etc staying in hospital. It would probably take longer to go to a new hospital by public transport as you would need to go on two buses to get there as the forest is a difficult area to get more buses, it is easier to get to Gloucester by public transport therefore the two existing hospitals provide better coverage of the area than one bug hospital in the middle of the forest		
827	12/12/17 10:28AM ID: 69409275	See question 1		
828	12/12/17 10:45AM ID: 69411350	1. Location has not been disclosed 2. A 30 minute car journey would be at least 1 hour by public transport! If it is available 3. due to age I will not be driving a car by the time this issue is resolved		
829	12/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69411998	A combination of all options		
830	12/12/17 11:11AM ID: 69412690	The site would need to be large enough to provide a greater amount of space for a more realistic number of beds that which is proposed		
831	12/12/17 11:26AM ID: 69414603	Coleford and Lydney are far more accessible for all compared with cinderford. Traffic infrastructure would need to be addressed though. Coleford and Lydney are both notorious for traffic jams due to bad planning of traffic lights		
832	12/12/17 12:34PM ID: 69189253	'Refurbish tour present Hospitals and keep the bed capacities.		
833	12/12/17 12:36PM ID: 69170899	The two hospitals are perfectly placed as is. - can't think any other location will affect more people than I care to think		
834	12/12/17 12:52PM ID: 68805720	Transport available for people who don't drive.		
835	12/12/17 12:55PM ID: 68698732	The FOD area is quite widespread and currently both hospitals offer a good range of services for the community.		
836	12/12/17 1:02PM ID: 68495936	If we have one hospital, it needs to be more central to all the towns, Lydney being the most ideal, it is on the A48, plus the train station, getting to the forest in the winter is not an easy route.		
837	12/12/17 1:03PM ID: 68480231	as now		
838	12/12/17 1:37PM ID: 69429793	Reasons as in question 1		
839	12/12/17 1:43PM ID: 69430104	1st choice - Five acres - all services ok for whole FOD - Transport - site - services - etc. NDP report ok for Health. Cinderford / Lydney will never agree - Lydney not central 2nd Choice - redevelop Dilke. You own the land. Link in with existing wards. Improve quote / number of beds. you save on land - some ward costs. you quote 40 beds. If you read latest health providers report, the number of beds now insufficient - I would sufficient provision for 150 beds		
840	12/12/17 2:47PM ID: 69431539	The single new community hospital is a limited and the only option		
841	13/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69497069	Distances and availability of public transport		
842	13/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69511914	This is not for our "future". The Forest population is growing not shrinking. We need more beds not fewer. This is a short sighted, impossible plan. Why has it been so hard to get these documents? Why do so many people still not know your plan? Why did you go into our school and push you slanted ?? to our children.		

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843	13/12/17 1:36PM ID: 69514652	You people don't know and don't care. Shoving a hospital in Newent or Coleford is useless. The Dilke was built in the heart of the Forest but you don't give a damn you just want your own way.		
844	13/12/17 1:46PM ID: 69517178	Because you've not funded our hospital properly you never intended to give them the 11 million you are only going through the motions about this consultation because you have to you've made up your minds.		
845	13/12/17 1:51PM ID: 69517906	We don't want a new build stop lying stop manipulating - get lost		
846	13/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69518471	Because this is ????? you are talking drivell. You can't build a hospital to fit the needs of the Forest for 11 million. Stop lying to us.		
847	13/12/17 2:37PM ID: 69520001	you are wrong! We know far more than you about the Forest needs. The need is two hospitals you are twisting facts and telling half truths and down right lies. We cannot trust you and we don't. This is not going forward this is shifting backwards. We would be in the ????? GRH will no longer by funding a lot of surgery and we will be forced to go to Cheltenham. The Dilke Mat Unit should never have closed the time taken to reach GRH could be life or death in an emergency situation. This also applies to any other acute situations.		
848	13/12/17 3:09PM ID: 69524456	how does it make logical sent to close a fantastic hospital and build a smaller unit with ????? We know this is all a *****		
849	13/12/17 3:29PM ID: 69527695	It is a wrong move quite simply and typical of the muddle headed ????? the NHS you claimed lack of funds for our hospitals but suddenly you can find money to build a new one. Do the right and sensible think expand and fund the Dilke as you should have been doing. No wonder the NHS is doomed.		
850	13/12/17 4:04PM ID: 69531730	How is 11 million building anything when the college is costing 30 million? This will end up a PFI we don't want it. Extend the Dilke it's a wonderful hospital.		
851	13/12/17 4:16PM ID: 69532684	We all know the lies and half truths you've told. You've said 11 million isn't enough to extend our hospitals but somehow it would build a new one - come off it! you must think we are idiots - well you do. I've seen your easy read document its what I give my primary school pupils.		
852	13/12/17 4:41PM ID: 69533764	You don't want the Dilke site because you can't charge for parking there - we don't want your shiny office site out of Newent or Coleford we might as well go to GRH in that case. You've been dishonest and decision on your plans and we don't want your new hospital. You haven't maintained equipment and it should have been but you have been deliberately running it down for decades.		
853	13/12/17 4:45PM ID: 69535763	We don't want it - its all lies and twisted figures you are being totally dishonest		
854	13/12/17 5:04PM ID: 69536015	You are paying no attention to the real issues in the Forest such as transport to get to Newent or Coleford is as hard for many as getting to GRH. The builders of the Dilke know more than you do. Such muddled thinking is deplorable. removing the Dilkes maternity unit and the ancient rights of free-mining as few children are now born in the Forest. GP care ???????? not our health centre in the Forest give of improvement but also our culture.		
855	13/12/17 5:15PM ID: 69537442	You are wrong simple as that. The hospital we have is perfect, perfect site, perfect staff, perfect - except that you've been trying to close it for all my life time.		
856	13/12/17 5:33PM ID: 69538184	You are dishonest you've merged the services, lied, covered things up and you don't give a stuff as long as you get your way. The Cheltenham set can sod off and leave us alone.		
857	13/12/17 5:52PM ID: 69539270	You don't know our Forest. You don't care about it - we know the only sensible site is the Dilke site but you lot are so up yourselves you think you know it all - you know nothing - when did the Dilke become unfit for purpose over night - this is lies. But you've made up your minds this is all box ticking to make out you listened. You are diabolical and dishonest.		

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858	13/12/17 5:54PM ID: 69540245	No one site is acceptable. Far too many problems attached to reducing services to one site		
			answered	858
			skipped	2132




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If the option of a single new community hospital in the Forest of Dean is agreed, how do you think a recommendation should be made on the location?


							Response Percent	Response Total
1	A recommendation to the Gloucestershire Care Services NHS Trust Board and NHS Gloucestershire Clinical Commissioning Group Governing Body from local clinicians, through a Clinical Advisory Panel			<div><div></div></div>			4.12%	76
2	A recommendation to the Gloucestershire Care Services NHS Trust Board and NHS Gloucestershire Clinical Commissioning Group Governing Body from a representative group of local people, through a Citizen's Advisory Panel			<div><div></div></div>			26.63%	491
3	Gloucestershire Care Services NHS Trust Board and NHS Gloucestershire Clinical Commissioning Group Governing Body consider the evidence and use an agreed set of criteria			<div><div></div></div>			4.01%	74
4	A combination of the options above			<div><div></div></div>			49.08%	905
5	I don't have an opinion on this			<div><div></div></div>			16.16%	298
Analysis							answered	1844
							skipped	1146

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How have you participated in this consultation? (please tick all that apply)

			Response Percent	Response Total
1	Attended a presentation		16.83%	319
2	Attended a drop-in session		10.45%	198
3	Visited the Information Bus		16.20%	307

How have you participated in this consultation? (please tick all that apply)

						Response Percent	Response Total
4	Read the information in the consultation booklet and completed the survey					84.33%	1598
Analysis	Mean:	4.24	Std. Deviation:	1.61	Satisfaction Rate:	98.61	answered
	Variance:	2.58	Std. Error:	0.04			skipped
							1895
							1095

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				Response Percent	Response Total
1	Open-Ended Question			100.00%	1159
1	12/09/17 1:56PM ID: 63830846	Excellent booklet - very clear			
2	12/09/17 2:26PM ID: 63832558	The original contributors to the fund enabling the current hospitals to built aentury ago would be very disappointed at the way the local services have been cut back over the years. Hopefully the new facility would prevent any further erosion of said services.			
3	12/09/17 2:40PM ID: 63834497	Please don't put it in cinderford			
4	12/09/17 2:48PM ID: 63834810	would improve the ability to provide increased services locally- more opportunities for collaborative care and caring for people in a way that will obviate hospital admissions. Hopefully single room in patient care - improve patient experience/recovery rates/ infection control			
5	12/09/17 2:57PM ID: 63835189	While I can as a Forester understand the attachment people have locally for both old hospitals they are simply too old and unfit for purpose now. I am an employee of the Trust and it would be wonderful to be able to work in a brand new purpose built hospital that would give locals all the access to health care they need on one site.			
6	12/09/17 3:02PM ID: 63836042	I feel the present hospitals are not fit for purpose. One hospital in a central location would be much better. The Dilke site would be an excellent setting for a hospice with inpatient provision.			
7	12/09/17 3:07PM ID: 63836655	I think it's about time we have a new hospital to care for all the people in the Forest of Dean that's up to date.			
8	12/09/17 3:26PM ID: 63837910	Is there going to be a public apology for misleading us in the recent past about these closures?			
9	12/09/17 3:39PM ID: 63838287	I have not been invited to any consultation. we live on the edge of the FOD. We should have been at least leafleted on our views.			
10	12/09/17 3:50PM ID: 63839738	Look closely at the soon to be redundant RFDC site in Coleford There should be some childberth facility in the new building to eliminate the 25 mile each eay journey There must be an A and E department			
11	12/09/17 3:51PM ID: 63839434	The timetable seems ambitious. It is a good way forward to build a new community hospital in the Forest of Dean. I think Lydney would be the best location (although furthest distance for me) as it has a large and increasing population. The A48 should provide a good route to Gloucester			

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		Hospital if you need more urgent A and E care. (Frustrating if you go to minor injuries unit and are then told you need proper A and E). There are issues about the use of the land at The Dilke in the future as it is community owned.		
12	12/09/17 4:09PM ID: 63841164	Whatever option is chosen the reduction in beds must not occur, you cannot replace 2 facilities with 1 that operates on a lesser service basis, as the population of the forest of dean grows adequate care facilities should exist locally, as a minimum 50 beds should be made available in conjunction with strict processes and procedures for their allocation and usage.		
13	12/09/17 4:21PM ID: 63842226	Would like to see more services brought to the Forest to stop patient having to travel to GRH / CGH		
14	12/09/17 4:32PM ID: 63842446	The population in Lydney, Coleford, & Cinderford are growing rapidly with many new homes being built. If a Hospital is to be built it should be one that includes minor operations, birthing units, 24hrs A&E etc. If this is not the case, the Community will suffer		
15	12/09/17 4:54PM ID: 63842875	This is a key issue for the Forest of Dean yet many people will be unaware of it. Please do what you can to involve local people in the process!		
16	12/09/17 4:59PM ID: 63842893	Typical throwaway society. Work with what you have, improve what you have. Invest in what you have Increase in population is a factor that is mentioned, yet the beds will be cut by half, but you need more provision for an increasing population?!		
17	12/09/17 5:00PM ID: 63843878	I am well aware that Lydney and The Dilke hospitals are outdated, overcrowded, expensive to maintain and generally difficult to work in due to all of the above limitations. A new hospital would be much more efficient , all round and would be much more pleasant to work in and as a patient more pleasant to attend. Efficiency all round.		
18	12/09/17 5:00PM ID: 63843937	Minor injuries and outpatients locally are really important, anything which reduces access to these services (services available or hours they are available) would be unacceptable and unfair to the local population.		
19	12/09/17 5:04PM ID: 63844223	A VERY ANGRY FORESTER AND I WONT STAND BY AND SEE MORE OF OUR HERITAGE UNDERMINED BY A COALITION OF LOCAL LABOUR AND CONSERVATIVES COUNCILLORS AND M P S		
20	12/09/17 5:28PM ID: 63845858	Explained in my previous comments.		
21	12/09/17 6:02PM ID: 63847296	I am shocked that given the Dilke was paid for in part by Forest folk ,who were not wealthy to keep their family's healthy . I am horrified the hospital will be sold another one built at great cost ,after works on both Lydney and Folke .What a waste of money . It underlines how poorly the NHS is being run .		
22	12/09/17 6:02PM ID: 63847092	The only option I have is to find info online, I can't travel to other destinations. That doesn't mean I don't have an opinion, or a voice. The Foresters will be up in arms about this. Think about what we want.		
23	12/09/17 6:13PM ID: 63847807	If a local hospital is built it must have the ability to admit expectant mothers as heritage is important to Foresters and we should be able to give birth in the local area. Totally unacceptable to have to travel and give birth in Gloucester		
24	12/09/17 6:15PM ID: 63847129	The case for location of a new hospital needs to be objective as possible. It needs to be in the right place to encourage all patients in the Forest of Dean and surrounding areas to travel to it and use it. The local GPs will not want to put their necks on the line and help make a decision about where it is - too controversial. And patients will want something to remain in Lydney or Dilke depending on where they live. The Forest deserves a new high quality facility to encourage providers to use it CCG &		

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		GCS need to have the bottle to carry this through because there will be lots of people who can't see past Lydney Hospital & Dilke Hospital.		
25	12/09/17 6:40PM ID: 63848923	i personally think that we need one hospital located central in the forest, supplying all services on a smaller scale that a big hospital does.. minus big ops... anything that can be done on a day bed should be available at the new hospital. xrays defo at new hospital a& e as well as minor injuries, and all support health care, it would be well used.		
26	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63851203	the hospital should be central to all in the forest with maternity and a&e and an ambulance service		
27	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63849552	<p>The geographical position of the Forest of Dean has meant that we have very piecemeal NHS services. As part of Gloucestershire NHS Trust we cannot access facilities a few miles away in Wales.</p> <p>We have 2 small Community Hospitals with limited out of hours facilities and only minor injuries A & E. - however these are conveniently situated and accessible by public transport.</p> <p>Major injuries/ out of hours facilities are 25+ miles away. Pharmacy facilities after 7pm mean a 50+ round trip to Quedgley (even though the NHS helpline think this is only 14 miles away!!! - yes, as the crow flies!)</p> <p>Maternity facilities 25+ away - 'Over Roundabout births' are not unknown!</p>		
28	12/09/17 7:48PM ID: 63850947	<p>It is a shame that this opportunity is not being used to give the Forest the birthing unit that it so desperately needs. If the sites are to be redeveloped then services such as maternity should be brought back into the locality for the benefit of the residents.</p> <p>Although I understand the economic case you need to listen to the people who live in the Forest, especially with regard to transport. For example, there is no direct bus service to Lydney from Littledean, there is also no direct bus service to Cinderford from Newnham. A return trip across the Forest by public transport for a half hour appointment with bus times and connections could take up to three hours. There is a genuine risk that the most economically disadvantaged and vulnerable people within the Forest, those least likely to own private transport but also those most likely to need services, would be those least able to access them. A detailed transport impact assessment is vital.</p>		
29	12/09/17 7:50PM ID: 63851593	The forest needs 2 hospital facilities. One will not be enough and how can you possibly pick one location when the forest covers such a vast area? I strongly believe investment in current facilities will greatly improve service. I sat for an hour to be told X-ray was closed and come back Monday- invest the money that would be wasted on an £11m new building to provide the services! Small operations and clinics are vital to be accessible in the current locations. Already cutbacks on sexual health services for Gloucestershire have had a negative impact. People rely on access to local facilities. If a new facility was to be built in Cinderford for example, would a new bus service be implemented for people requiring public transport. Currently there is not one and to make anything like this viable it would need to be a regular service. Cutbacks have been made on the bus service already so I doubt this would even be considered. Without the Dilke my grandad would not have been able to return to the forest and by cutting beds more people will be bed blocking in Gloucester. Then where will they be shipped out to!? Invest in current facilities and staff pay then maybe services will be more accessible and of better efficiency.		
30	12/09/17 7:57PM ID: 63851785	Diagnostic services are beneficial in the forest and reduces waits at GHNHSFT, community hospital needs to be more than elderly inpatient beds, with supporting Allied health professionals working out from this facility, again this reduces demands on an already stretched community care service in Gloucester Listening to the views of local people is key in providing a service that is required Due to the distance to the next city, Gloucester I would suggest that a community hospital is required in this area or a similar community healthcare facility		
31	12/09/17 8:12PM ID: 63849252	My personal opinion is that the money that has been spent on the options analysis would have been better invested directly in patient care. The £11 million available for a new facility should be invested instead in the existing facilities.		

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32	12/09/17 8:17PM ID: 63852746	Again my biggest worry is what will happen to the old sites? All of the fundraising for the state of the art x ray machine at Lydney, and the hard work of the miners to provide the building for the dilke. I hope your plans protect this site somehow I'd hate to see houses here it would seem so disrespectful to those miners.		
33	12/09/17 8:44PM ID: 63853741	Against: My view £11m will be the cost of car parking only and definitely would not cover a newly built facility!!! £100m wouldn't be enough to cover the re-organising/re siting what they have on the two existing sites! Computer installation would cost a huge amount to instal and would need to be compatible with other institutions. Probably more than £1m would be a figure. With transport links in the Forest one facility isn't an option. For Keeping: £11m spent on existing sites would enhance and completely modernise, facilities and additional staffing. The Forest being rural and mileage between existing sites Dilke and Lydney is minimal but covers a large/different area and beneficial to all. It is so easy when spending someone else's money to have BIG ideas and spend spend spend! The Forest of Dean needs the existing facilities and £11m would see these two buildings brought into the era in which we live!		
34	12/09/17 9:08PM ID: 63854847	as a born and bred Forester I would really like to see a maternity facility reinstated as we have very few true Foresters being born. Limb plaster facilities would be useful . We do appreciate having community hospitals to enable us whenever possible to avoid the journey and waiting time at Gloucester. could the Dilke and Lydney possibly still be used as short term care for the elderly ? Or one as a bed hospice.		
35	12/09/17 10:09PM ID: 63858217	Disgraceful what you are purposing, moving forward does not mean reducing the service you provide. Cutting beds and no maternity ward is going back in the dark ages not forward. So its all lies		
36	12/09/17 10:11PM ID: 63858542	I would prefer to keep both hospitals as the distance the forest covers is fairly large. I understand this is not achievable so the location is key. Lydney is not central.		
37	12/09/17 10:35PM ID: 63859618	The forest is a beautiful place with a great heritage. I am proud to be a forester, one of the last to be born at the Dilke. I will fight your "idea" to the end		
38	12/09/17 11:15PM ID: 63860822	This proposal appears devoid of meaningful benefits to the communities affected, and appears to be focussed on cost saving and the capture of released land value. It is neither convincing nor necessary. Serious consideration should be given to either making substantial improvements to the proposal, or abandoning it before public opposition grows.		
39	12/09/17 11:37PM ID: 63861643	They should be improved as they are. Not messed around with!!!!		
40	13/09/17 12:08AM ID: 63862369	I have long thought it is time to close the two existing hospitals. Whilst there is a powerful emotive story behind the Dilke, the NHS has to be driven by results and efficiency, not sentimentality. We should care more about having good quality healthcare in buildings that are fit for purpose than having buildings that are outdated. Having the hospital in Lydney or Cinderford is better than Coleford because they are easier to access. Simply there is no point having the two hospitals if they are not properly staffed. It is far better for people from Lydney to travel to a new hospital in Cinderford and have better care than continue to have a poorly maintained one in their own town and vice versa. There will be strong public outcry about closing the two hospitals but I urge you to push forward and don't let public moaning stop the rest of us getting good healthcare. Having a maternity unit may make it more appealing to the public.		
41	13/09/17 12:15AM ID: 63862263	It is very doubtful if the publics views will be taken into account. The NHS has never had a good track record at public consultation. Today, the NHS is being organised to allow privateers in through the back door and		

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		this scheme fits that plan nicely.		
42	13/09/17 12:42AM ID: 63862770	I'm all for a new hospital in the Forest of Dean and would like to see a good range of services in the set up. I strongly believe that a maternity/birthing unit would be widely appreciated by the local community and would be an exciting prospect in helping to preserve our forest heritage. I believe the Dilke site could be used for a high quality end of life facility which would benefit and care for families greatly in such difficult times. It would be able to offer a the chance for loved ones to be near each other without having the added stress of travelling to and from Gloucester. This way the legacy of the Dilke and the Miners contribution to the forest would still play a vital role today.		
43	13/09/17 1:22AM ID: 63863590	The savings are made bringing 2 hospitals into one. Not from denying locals access to even fewer beds		
44	13/09/17 6:39AM ID: 63866330	Don't close the Dilke.		
45	13/09/17 8:21AM ID: 63869400	There should be more beds in th new hospital and it should be built on the Dilke site.		
46	13/09/17 9:01AM ID: 63871067	Keep our hospitals on their original sites.		
47	13/09/17 9:05AM ID: 63871298	the money should be spent on improving the existing hospitals		
48	13/09/17 9:11AM ID: 63871612	The Dilke was given to the NHS It is disgusting the site has not been fully utilised. Selling off assets and thinking we will be fooled with offer of a new smaller hospital. Follow the money! Shame on you corrupt lot.		
49	13/09/17 9:23AM ID: 63872281	Build it centrally in terms of geography.		
50	13/09/17 9:41AM ID: 63873543	I would go with option 2 as long as the current dilke and lydney sites are retained for healthcare and the hospitals re-invested in.		
51	13/09/17 9:53AM ID: 63874454	The solution needs to be implemented quickly		
52	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63873739	This 'consultation' is not a meaningful consultation because you already state that your proposal to close the existing hospitals and build a new one is the only option acceptable to you (ie fits your criteria which have been set to make sure that it is the only one that complies).		
53	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63872453	There is no doubt that both Lydney and Cinderford hospitals need work but this has been a direct result of the starvation of funding over many years. Both hospitals are very highly regarded, the former was brilliant with the cancer care for my mother and without it would've caused even more stress. It's sensible for the powers that be to have a proper consultation with the actual residents in the area, then publishing the findings. This booklet feels as if it's an afterthought to appease the naysayers. Only with the full cooperation with the residents will you be able to come to a sensible conclusion that benefits both parties.		
54	13/09/17 11:00AM ID: 63878442	This is too important to ignore please don't do this		
55	13/09/17 11:17AM ID: 63879954	Is this really necessary?		

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56	13/09/17 1:28PM ID: 63889969	The Dilke should not be closed. It's the first port of call for minor injuries if you live in the Cinderford area.		
57	13/09/17 1:36PM ID: 63890460	The Forest needs a community hospital, but I am worried about the low number of in-patient beds that are being proposed and worry that it will not cover the needs of the elderly population in the Forest of Dean. I also worry about the impact this low number of beds will have on the current staff covering both Lydney and the Dilke.		
58	13/09/17 2:43PM ID: 63895325	It's time for a change and to get the forest health and wellbeing of its population into the 21st century .		
59	13/09/17 2:57PM ID: 63896446	The Dilke hospital in my opinion was built to improve the quality of healthcare in the forest of Dean this is the next step in that process I do believe we should not be held back by our history and also believe that our ancestors wouldn't want that for us either		
60	13/09/17 3:33PM ID: 63897712	I agree that one new community hospital is the way forward. It should be in Coleford or Lydney as the are farthest from Gloucester. The new hospital should be large enough to have outpatient clinics running daily . It should also be supported by clinical diagnostics including endoscopy, audiology, cardiology and respiratory function departments. OT, speech therapy and physio are vital. A wide range of radiology should be available too. most importantly there must be enough in patient beds. At least 50 to cope with the needs of an aging population and patients requiring "step down" care. It would be foolish to consider any fewer beds. The care offered could be nurse led or with staff grade Doctors covering the day time and oncall at night. It could be a perfect job for doctors wanting parttime work or winding down before retirement. If the beds weren't needed they could be mothballed but ready to be reinstated at short notice e.g. winter pressure.		
61	13/09/17 3:45PM ID: 63898452	I think that all options should have been open to the public, as overall locals would have suggested redevelopment on the current site. I can't believe that despite locals wanting more from a local hospital the answer is to provide less! We need more beds and a maternity unit at the very least!		
62	13/09/17 4:27PM ID: 63902862	Unnecessary!		
63	13/09/17 4:29PM ID: 63903591	100% agree that new facilities are needed, keeping a community hospital is very important.		
64	13/09/17 5:05PM ID: 63901967	This proposal affects everyone but especially the elderly, who often have no way of getting out of the Forest to go to hospital. The way in which this proposal is presented is far too complicated for them to understand and participate. This is very sad as they are the ones most likely to be affected. They often cannot attend your meetings, and have no internet facilities. In many cases they cannot get out and about and do not even understand what is being suggested.		
65	13/09/17 5:26PM ID: 63907288	I agree a new hospital is needed , but I think the Dilk and Lydney hospitals should also have a use for instance to be used as an elderly care home , hospice or mental health facility.		
66	13/09/17 5:53PM ID: 63908134	An ill-thought out proposal by people who have their own cars or can afford to take taxis to Gloucester.		
67	13/09/17 6:25PM ID: 63909392	I think it would be better all round for the community in the Forest of Dean we have to move on as it's a lovely place to live we been here for 35yrs now and love it		
68	13/09/17 7:14PM ID: 63911121	I think there should be more services put in to the existing hospitals. The fact that public transport is unreliable and that the county council has reduced the amount of buses in the forest would make it more difficult to get to the hospital if it was based at five acres as rumoured		

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		Having the two local hospitals works well, so if it's not broke don't fix it.		
69	13/09/17 7:27PM ID: 63912052	I am a retired nurse - and I don't believe the current situation of 2 hospitals is now outdated and not fit for purpose. The cost of maintaining these buildings is high and we would attract staff to the area. I understand that forest people are extremely protective of their community hospitals but we do need to move forward and I'm sure we can adopt the ethos of the forest people and incorporate in the new building. Having worked at the Colliers court facility the general public were hesitant at first but with perseverance and openness I really hope the proposal is successful		
70	13/09/17 8:26PM ID: 63914633	It's a disgrace!		
71	13/09/17 8:31PM ID: 63914403	INVEST IN WHAT WE HAVE		
72	13/09/17 10:39PM ID: 63919641	Have been talking about it for too long - need to get on and get a new hospital like others have		
73	13/09/17 11:06PM ID: 63920277	Your current proposals are unacceptable. You need to restart your consultation with no preconditions.		
74	13/09/17 11:35PM ID: 63920870	Disgraceful way to keep THE PUBLICS well earn money		
75	14/09/17 1:00AM ID: 63922365	The Dilke was paid for by our miners, we want to retain our own hospital.		
76	14/09/17 1:24AM ID: 63922328	The loss of the Dilke hospital will be one of the most saddest points in Forest Life in 50 years I have been here. Redevelop and modernisation of existing facility would be my personal choice.		
77	14/09/17 7:28AM ID: 63926308	Shockingly onesided biased survey		
78	14/09/17 9:02AM ID: 63929597	None		
79	14/09/17 9:25AM ID: 63930983	As said before, the MIU should be 24/7 with full time Paramedic on the roster - much more able to triage what actually does need a 999 transfer to Gloucester. Also a GP in attendance. Concern is that the community beds are being 'cut' - as an HCP, I have often tried to get a patient admitted to either LDH or the Dilke only to be told that there are no beds available - this tells me that the beds as they are at the moment are well used - so to cut them almost by half?? Where is the logic - this will put more stress on the already stretched ambulance service i.e. taking patients to GRH when they would much better benefit from a community bed Locally!		
80	14/09/17 9:52AM ID: 63932618	Some people dont drive and would be good if was still in the Cinderford area theres plenty of fields which could be built on for a hospital in stead of houses. (Grammar field by colliers court in cinderford and Fairfields etc)		
81	14/09/17 11:21AM ID: 63939072	The most important thing would be access by public transport.		
82	14/09/17 12:09PM ID: 63939309	Concern about the future of the Dilke site as it is part of Forest heritage.		
83	14/09/17 12:48PM ID: 63944750	I think the new hospital has to be for people of the forest and ultimately has to be accessible. A good site would be the current college site which is closing and moving to Cinderford. It needs to house facilities that are needed and that residents are currently having to go further afield.		
84	14/09/17 2:42PM ID: 63952450	Where would the proposed combined hospital be built? What would happen to the sites where the existing Lydney and Dilke Hospitals are? If it is sold off, would the		

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		money be reinvested in healthcare and NHS services in the Forest of Dean?		
85	14/09/17 4:28PM ID: 63959375	I have NO FAITH in these consultations. I worked for Gloucestershire County Council for many years and latterly it was all consultations which were a complete waste of time & money. We had numerous consultations & asking for ideas that would be of benefit...did anyone listen NO. and then 6 months later another consultation asking the same questions?? How much do these useless consultations cost each time?? Because I am sure that decisions have already been decided this is just a ticking box exercise.		
86	14/09/17 5:12PM ID: 63964533	I am sorry I value the Dilke to highly to accept this proposal and will join a fight to save it. Lydney and Gloucester are too far away and that's where they will end up if this goes ahead.		
87	14/09/17 7:11PM ID: 63969521	Local GPs were offered the chance to run local services yet refused because they would have to appoint more Partners! Why is there no provision to employ Doctors rather than make them Partners? GP led community hospitals with a strong clinical management backed by efficient infrastructure would allow for localisation of services to suit the particular community! There should be alternatives to clinical provision for non-medical issues. Accident and emergency should be available locally. Where support cannot be provided at home, local beds should be easily available with appropriate staffing. Highly specialised services should be provided centrally by the larger Hospitals and specialist units rather than spread across poorly staffed and resourced local units. Where the NHS trust has provided infrastructure at Lydney Hospital, the quality has been questionable. Only concerted effort by the Friends has ensured that these facilities have been able to continue. There is too much 'Empire building' in the larger Hospitals which tends to suck resource away from the smaller units.		
88	14/09/17 7:12PM ID: 63971892	Somewhat pointless survey as the most important decision (ie scrapping two hospitals and replacing it with one with fewer beds that the old ones combined) has already been made without any consultation. This is a typical window dressing exercise - there will be no consultation as to the options as to locate the hospital and you will then use this as evidence that the public were fully consulted when in fact all you are doing is asking if we agree or not with the most basic of rules that other non elected, non accountable officials will use to make the decision		
89	14/09/17 10:27PM ID: 63979415	I know how the people of the Forest feel about THEIR two hospitals but I think they need to realise that having one updated and new hospital is going to be far better off for the community in the long-run rather than trying to hold onto two hospitals which are not really fit for purpose - no more money should be spent on them it is a complete waste of tax payers money. The Dilke as we know has asbestos problems surely it is better to have a hospital where there is no risk to people from asbestosis. If they feel that they want something where it can be remembered that the people of Forest spent blood, sweat on tears on getting the Dilke built could a plaque not be put somewhere on the new hospital to say this and incorporate Lydney in this too. Maternity I do not think is needed as GRH has a brilliant birthing suite which new mums speak highly of and I know some mums from the Forest have gone to Neville Hall. The Foresters as hard as it may be for them need to come into the 21st Century they need to do what is best for the whole of the community and the generations to come and not forget about the past but go forward with true Forest grit. So let's get on with it and get it built.		
90	14/09/17 11:23PM ID: 63979788	It will be a very sad day for myself, family, friends & all of us foresters if these hospitals were to close!		
91	14/09/17 11:29PM ID: 63979940	You should publish ALL responses to the public consultation, so we can tell whether the "Outcome of Consultation Report" is a true and accurate reflection of the views expressed by the public. Other consultations (see Savernake hospital report, 2007, which ended up at the High Court of Justice) have used 'independent companies' to prepare the report and it has turned out they were not independent at all, and were strongly connected to the person in the NHS running the consultation !		

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92	15/09/17 8:27AM ID: 63987416	whilst not a born Forester I have come to understand that the ability to birth in the Forest is an important issue. As a midwife I realise that a full birthing unit is not a cost effective answer to this problem and the issue of staffing such a unit would be difficult. i do ask that you look at the birthing room in Ysbyty Aneurin Bevan http://www.wales.nhs.uk/sitesplus/866/page/53162 The birthing room is accessed by community midwives and I feel would satisfy the community		
93	15/09/17 9:05AM ID: 63988810	The clear preference of the majority of people is to upgrade the existing two hospitals. Highly specialist services could be shared between them. Why build a new hospital when the existing sites can be refurbished? What is going to happen to the Dilke, a community-funded facility? This looks like a potential asset strip to many.		
94	15/09/17 10:09AM ID: 63992530	Please, please do not do anything which will impact on the lives of patients who use and value both the Dilke and Lydney Hospitals. This may be a cost cutting exercise but the NHS is one of the most important facilities of everyone's lives. None of us know if and when we may need the use of these hospitals.		
95	15/09/17 11:39AM ID: 63998442	I dont feel that this is the correct way forward. I feel certain refurbishment is needed, but not at the cost of potentially destroying one of the hospitals in the process. The Dilke is full of our history and pride, but also if you were to rebuild on the site of Lydney , this would have detrimental effects to the local residents whom live next door and very near by , with building works which are expected to last a multiple number of years.		
96	15/09/17 1:51PM ID: 64007896	I can see the evidence base and demand for a 'single community hospital' for the FOD. However, Lydney is stated as a potential option sitewhere there is already the community hospital. Has thought been given to expand this existing site.....ie a feasibility study. Similarly, has this been thought of for the Dilke? If feasibility studies have been considered and the financial or otherwise conclusion is not viable then a single hospital would make sense. But, I would also like to know what happens to both existing hospital sites should a complete alternative site be approved. I would also like to see an argument for not just another community hospital but perhaps a more integrated approach such as the model of a 'polyclinic' thereby including GP practice/s		
97	15/09/17 5:10PM ID: 64021967	I feel that a new hospital is a nessecity as the old ones are well past there prime. Working conditions aren't brilliant and I feel a new hospital would provide better facilities for both patients and staff. I fully support the new hospital proposal.		
98	15/09/17 5:15PM ID: 64021966	The size Positions of hospitals have proven to be correct for generations		
99	15/09/17 5:30PM ID: 64021854	The consultation booklet reads like a "done deal". I believe regardless of public opinion the intention is to go ahead with a new hospital either at the Northern Quarter or Five Acres. Sure you can consult but that doesn't mean that views of the public will be given much weight. I would recommend a local referendum both on whether the people of the forest want one or two hospitals as at present. And should they want one hospital it should be the residents that decide on its location and not the Clinical Commissioning Group.		
100	16/09/17 7:39AM ID: 64043076	Prevention, prevention, prevention. In the community, in the community, in the community (not in a shiny building).		
101	16/09/17 8:47AM	Please spend the money on maintaining and improving the existing facilities within		

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	ID: 64044676	the Forest of Dean		
102	16/09/17 9:17AM ID: 64046054	I think that the hospital should include a maternity unit		
103	16/09/17 9:58AM ID: 64047210	Provide adequate parking		
104	16/09/17 1:34PM ID: 64053266	<p>I really hope this can just go ahead as quickly as possible and that locals don't take it into their heads to campaign against it. They need to be encouraged to move on.</p> <p>I think a combination of local clinicians and members of the community should make the recommendation.</p> <p>There has to be a sympathetic solution for the Dilke site. Perhaps a hospice? It should NOT be sold for development.</p>		
105	16/09/17 4:55PM ID: 64058782	<p>This is so loaded to the selling of hard earned forest of dean assets to use the receipts to build another,</p> <p>Additional grounds should be developed at the dilke,</p>		
106	16/09/17 7:44PM ID: 64066602	I agree with the proposed closure of the two current hospitals and single new hospital to replace. However, the proposed number of beds is not sufficient. At least match current capacity at the outset. If after opening, it is demonstated numbers can be reduced, that can happen then.		
107	17/09/17 12:14PM ID: 64082965	We need a maternity unit again. To keep up with old forest traditions and a full operating theatre. Some procedures have stopped at the dilke due to lack of facilities and after care and people have died as a result of having to travel to GRH. Coleford shouldn't be considered as they seem to have everything.		
108	17/09/17 9:47PM ID: 64099652	This is an unacceptable proposal for this area		
109	18/09/17 7:19AM ID: 64106518	I believe the ideal location would be between the two existing hospitals, thus preventing rivalry as the location is impartial.		
110	18/09/17 8:44AM ID: 64108962	<p>I believe that the only way forward is to have one new community hospital built in the Forest of Dean to replace the Dilke and Lydney Hospitals.</p> <p>My preference would be for the Dilke to be demolished first and the new hospital to be built on that site. The Sydney Hospital could then be demolished and the site probably redeveloped for housing. Although the Dilke site would be considered to be a 'brown field' site any building other than a hospital on the site would probably be greatly opposed.</p>		
111	18/09/17 11:35AM ID: 64120030	Hands off Lydney and dilke		
112	18/09/17 11:50AM ID: 64121092	<p>I feel a new Hospital is a must to enable this ever changing population cope with the changes and I personally feel as long as we do not have to go to Gloucester it is for the best for the people of the Forest.</p> <p>It is not cost efficient to keep both Hospitals running as they are not fit for purpose. The League of Friends can join forces for the good of the Forest.</p>		
113	18/09/17 11:55AM ID: 64121359	Keep the NHS public, allow the public their say, Stop the de facto cuts. Stop privatisation and all measures that faciitate making profits out of public services		
114	18/09/17 12:25PM ID: 64123481	<p>Question 1 - The Forest of Dean should not be left behind. There are outstanding, modern, fit for purpose hospitals elsewhere in Gloucestershire, residents here should have exactly the same facilities so that services can be delivered locally.</p> <p>Question 3 - It should be clinically led and should be in the best place to serve residents of the Forest of Dean effectively. I agree with the three location references</p>		

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		and the CCG and Care Services trust must now decide which is most suitable. Other comments - Please ensure the important work of both friends organisations is noted and recognised in the new hospital. This will ensure the past is respected - but that we move forward with a brand new, fit for purpose hospital.		
115	18/09/17 12:30PM ID: 64124144	Why not update the community hospitals. I.e spending this money, people will have to pay in other ways, ie council tax, transport fees etc		
116	18/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64124377	Question 1 - I would like the "old" hospitals to be used in some form of community care / training Question 3 - Infrastructure, road, rail etc and also immediate local population numbers are very important. Also access to Gloucester and Herford Hospitals so coverage is not over lapping Other comments - I have a great fondness for both hospitals but recognise completely that we must have a new hospital for both staff and services for the people of the Forest		
117	18/09/17 12:46PM ID: 64124887	I will be attending one of the above, I had read in local newspaper regarding a new hospital. I was given this booklet at my local chemist when collecting a prescription.		
118	18/09/17 12:55PM ID: 64125787	Important to have ample free parking and excellent public transport links		
119	18/09/17 1:25PM ID: 64126922	population is growing people are living longer so i think we should have more beds in the new hospital gloucester is always full and you are always waiting for beds		
120	18/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64128248	i think it should have a lot more beds and have a lot more services for patient plus do minor operations and have more local clinic appointments		
121	18/09/17 2:36PM ID: 64132089	I think this is a great thing for the Forest of Dean, although I am worried about the reduction in number of beds. Another concern is what will happen to the Dilke and Lydney hospital sites. It would be great if the Dilke site could be kept for healthcare (as stated in the deeds), and not just sold to the highest bidder. There is a great deal of interest from fracking companies in exploiting the Forest of Dean, which residents largely oppose, and I do not think it would be a good idea for the NHS to sell off this land at a cost to the environment. I also believe the new hospital should be built on a brownfield site near or in one of the main towns to minimise environmental impact. It would be great if the NHS took more of a lead on sustainable technology and started to invest more in renewable energy - perhaps the hospital could use solar panels for example? This would help to reduce costs of running the hospital and set an example of other NHS sites in the county, and the country.		
122	18/09/17 4:12PM ID: 64141189	My only concern is that from the booklet I can see that only 2 groups of people were involved in getting it to this stage; one made up of GPs and the other County Councillors, why were the public not involved at this stage?		
123	18/09/17 4:35PM ID: 64143135	Think we should have it central and a lot more beds and operations should be available		
124	18/09/17 4:37PM ID: 64141579	I am totally against this and everyone I have spoken to is as well. We all protested against this the last time around and will again. A consultation was setup costing 26K to come to the conclusion that a new hospital was not necessary yet here we are again! It will not stop with a new hospital it will be the doctors surgeries in each town/Village that go next leaving one central health service at one location in the Forest (best guess it will be at Northern Quarter) as predicted on social media last year. No job prospect in the Forest at the moment anyway so more and more people will move away (unless the new hospital is going to employ the 3,000 more people expected to move into the Forest as per your predictions) No Public transport from West of		

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		Forest to Cinderford, Coleford or Lydney to be able to get to new hospital so more people will be able to get there anyway and will either Call local doctor out or ambulance to Glos Royal. No new Maternity unit so no more Foresters - This is the one thing which might have swayed most people		
125	18/09/17 10:25PM ID: 64159036	It would be tragic to lose the Dilke partly because it is built on public land, by Foresters, for Foresters. Any investment should be going into it and Lydney if possible.		
126	19/09/17 9:05AM ID: 64170796	1 new hospital to be created is the best option, but talk to the staff who work there and not just the managers. Its important to build a hospital that has learnt from the mistakes of building works recently, and the problems with Vale and Tewkesbury		
127	19/09/17 9:24AM ID: 64170482	The Forest is spread out over a large area, there are three main towns, but the links between all of them are not easy, the roads are winding, bumpy, hilly and not easy to navigate. The bus links are not adequate for people to get around the Forest. The three towns also have their very own unique communities, and if you are elderly or sick, you do not want to have to travel across the forest to visit other sick and elderly relatives, when at present you can go to the local hospital and see them there. A lot of time, effort and money has been invested in both hospitals by local residents and this should not be thrown away because management would rather everything to be under one roof. It is possible for NHS trusts to operate from two bases - just take the two major hospitals in the county GRH & CGH, they operate as one, but with two bases - so why can't the Dilke & Lydney do the same?		
128	19/09/17 9:55AM ID: 64174459	Keep the hospital in the Forest - Dilke or Coleford. Add Maternity care		
129	19/09/17 9:59AM ID: 64174713	Question 1 - As long as we do not lose the amount of beds and facilities Other Comments - Hopefully the outpatients clinics from both hospitals will be joined. And the specialists will continue to have clinics otherwise we will all be making more trips to Gloucester or Cheltenham		
130	19/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64174038	I really support the option of replacing the current two hospitals with a brand new building which may be able to offer more services to local people and save money at the same time.		
131	19/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64174939	Question 2 - Difficult to answer without knowing the final location Other comments - CT scanner is a must. Without it much of the advantages would be lost		
132	19/09/17 12:21PM ID: 64184553	Concern over reduced capacity. some years ago there was a proposal to de trunk the A40, Glos / Ross. A total waste of money on consultations, public meetings, etc. After which NOTHING HAPPENED. We now have Gloucester Bus Station. A New Hospital? I'll believe it when I see it.		
133	19/09/17 12:33PM ID: 64185055	I feel the location of the new hospital is important for the people of the forest it should be accessible via car and on local bus routes with free parking. The number of beds is important it has to be adequate to serve the forest people and it appears the consultation number of beds is a lot lower than the present number across the two sites. I feel we need to consider end of life beds providing a home from home setting for the local community as we do not have this currently.		
134	19/09/17 4:04PM ID: 64199770	Gloucester is too far to travel every day when visiting someone with a long term illness. The Dilke Hospital is excellent in providing care as a stepping stone between hospital and home. The Dilke Hospital is invaluable as a Minor Injuries Department, especially when you need to wait 2 weeks for a GP appointment and do not have time to wait at Gloucester A & E.		
135	19/09/17 4:07PM ID: 64202799	The number of hospital beds in the Forest should not be reduced - ie. two wards needed rather than just halving the number of beds.		

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136	20/09/17 3:14PM ID: 64286596	Will we have a minor injury department or A & E - PLEASE		
137	20/09/17 4:54PM ID: 64294863	<p>In my opinion the following should be considered</p> <p>1 The inclusion of an out of hours GP/doctor</p> <p>2 out of hours X-ray unit, no having to go to Gloucester after hours</p> <p>3 A&E out of hours is essential</p> <p>4 review of maternity services</p> <p>5 more beds not less than available now</p> <p>6 minor ops unit</p> <p>And Transport transport transport</p> <p>I have attended Tewksbury hospital and was very impressed with it, something like this with beds would be wonderful</p>		
138	20/09/17 5:17PM ID: 64296646	A bigger and easier accessibility to all department		
139	20/09/17 6:56PM ID: 64301284	<p>I have to take my daughter to Gloucester hospital for paediatric orthotics, we live in Alvington. The long distance for a very short appointment is frustrating, difficult to co-ordinate with my work commitments and results in my daughter spending long periods of time in a car, either missing school or travelling after school resulting in a later bedtime. Neither of these options are in her interest and detract from our efforts to keep her physically active. Is there any chance of these services being available more locally?</p> <p>She also attends physio at the Dilke, I am unclear from the consultation document if paediatric physiotherapy is included in the services to be moved.</p>		
140	20/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64302984	<p>I have expressed my main concerns above - apart from the access issues if the two hospitals are replaced by a single site, my main concern is the massive reduction in the total number of beds proposed.</p> <p>How does the proposed merger between the 2gether Foundation Trust and GCS Trust affect who will decide on this proposal?</p>		
141	21/09/17 9:55AM ID: 64327728	Question 1 - Provided the 2 hospitals are not first closed and then the money is not available for the new hospital		
142	21/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64327875	It is time to provide a fully staffed new hospital in the Forest of Dean as long as it has enough beds for Forest of Dean patients and not those outside the area. Perhaps old hospitals would be used as mental health facilities or convalescent homes.		
143	21/09/17 10:07AM ID: 64328287	I would like to think that some kind of recognition to the miners would be made statue or ward names		
144	21/09/17 10:09AM ID: 64328701	I think a public vote on the location of a new hospital imperative		
145	21/09/17 10:15AM ID: 64328838	<p>Question 1 - I agree to the preferred option, on condition that the new hospital is completed and open before both existing hospitals are closed. At least one should remain open if the other becomes the site of the new hospital</p> <p>Other comments - My preferred location would be on the existing Dilke site, keeping the idea of the ward / wards having views over the Forest. Seeing as Lydney hospital is based in a residential area it should be a good site for housing, so make a development site that could be profitable.</p>		
146	21/09/17 12:25PM ID: 64339787	Think it should have more beds not less more available things to foresters and be central to the forest		
147	21/09/17 1:18PM ID: 64343593	<p>Question 2 - If the local facility closes and the centralised one is further away, travel could be an issue.</p> <p>Other comments - A centralised facility with modern equipment and services makes sense, despite how people who may lose their current facility may feel. Public transport does however need to figure highly in any decisions</p>		

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148	21/09/17 1:39PM ID: 64343992	The Dilke belongs to the foresters. It was paid for by forest mines and stands on forest land and under covenant. Must be used as a health facility.		
149	21/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64345773	Its well known the desire to close the Dilke has been on going for years - stripping of services - leave our Dilke alone.		
150	21/09/17 1:50PM ID: 64346487	I think there should be more beds available		
151	21/09/17 2:25PM ID: 64349409	A new hospital is really needed to replace the out of date facilities. Whilst acknowledging the past it must NOT hinder the need for new facilities, the future is what counts.		
152	21/09/17 2:35PM ID: 64349703	I believe that Lydney would be the best site for a new hospital. It has excellent transport links to both Gloucester and Bristol and has been earmarked for the largest increase in population of all of the Towns. It is easily accessible from all areas of the Forest and is well served by public transport. It is the only Town in the Forest to have a railway station which would enable those with family living elsewhere in the country to still visit relatives who may have to stay in hospital.		
153	22/09/17 9:54AM ID: 64389739	I support the proposed approach and welcome the opportunity to have an open process to decide where the location of the new hospital will be		
154	22/09/17 2:41PM ID: 64408574	ONE CENTRAL LOCATION MAKES SENSE BUT IT IS VITAL THAT THE NUMBER OF BEDS DOES NOT REDUCE AND ALSO TAKES ACCOUNT OF INCREASED POPULATION AND AGE GROUPS OVER THE NEXT 50 YEARS.		
155	23/09/17 12:17PM ID: 64441660	I would like to suggest that the new Hospital to be built in Lydney or near Lydney bypass area as got really good access to A48 to Gloucester and suggest maybe a new Ambulance depot for the whole of Forest of Dean at same new site to save money on old Ambulance sites. Public transport is a bit better from Lydney than over areas of the Forest Of Dean including access to train station. Getting to Cinderford & Coleford on public transport is somewhat limited for local residents. Also Lydney has been planned for most houses to be built over the next 5 to ten years would be good for regeneration for the town.		
156	23/09/17 12:30PM ID: 64442436	Would prefer a new hospital around Lydney area.		
157	23/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64442541	New hospital with easy access by car or bus		
158	23/09/17 12:40PM ID: 64442630	Would like hospital in Lydney area as being elderly it's becoming hard to get around, Lydney bypass good access to A48		
159	23/09/17 1:24PM ID: 64441507	All my opinions already stated		
160	24/09/17 12:57PM ID: 64478624	I think a new hospital is really needed in the Forest. One site with robust services is ideal. It needs to be centrally located to minimise travel. The existing hospitals are not accessible by public transport - it is easier for me to get to Gloucester by bus than the Dilke, even though I only live 3 miles from Cinderford.		
161	24/09/17 1:07PM ID: 64478754	Please can we have good range of services at the new hospital. We need good access to outpatient services, not ones that run just once a month. I would prefer to access services in the Forest, but often find I have to wait longer to do so than if I am prepared to travel to Gloucester. Being treated promptly will always trump being seen locally, for those able to travel - particularly if appointment is for a child. We also need good access to other services such as X-ray - what is the point of having MIU open if they can't do X-rays or tests?		
162	24/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64488807	Build the new facility, and maintain the Dilke as a rehab unit together with minor injuries .		
163	25/09/17 11:10AM ID: 64513471	I would prefer Lydney. However a hospital in the Forest community must come first		

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164	25/09/17 11:12AM ID: 64513679	Where ever the new hospital will be, I am sure locals will eventually come round. It would be lovely to honour the miners history		
165	25/09/17 11:24AM ID: 64514421	We have to move for the future but not forget the past. Please remember the miners		
166	25/09/17 11:25AM ID: 64513980	The present hospitals seem to work well and suit most people why change .		
167	25/09/17 12:26PM ID: 64519377	<p>Question 2 - At present I can drive and am happy to visit either local hospital as and when required. They serve mine and my family's needs adequately.</p> <p>Question 5 - What Presentation? What Drop in session? What information bus?</p> <p>Other comments - I was born at the Dilke, as were both my children. My mother and other family members died there, my father was a miner who made contributions from his wages to pay for it. There is a great emotional tie here which you are under estimating. This issue should be decided by Foresters for the Foresters.</p>		
168	25/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64520383	None at this time.		
169	25/09/17 7:44PM ID: 64553785	<p>I think that there will be a lot of sentimentality to keep the original hospitals however the plan for a single new hospital would be the best option for the area as at the moment a lot of the services are duplicated ie X-ray, inpatient facilities and miu. By having a single hospital these resources could be pooled together and improved.</p> <p>With regards to location, a site would need to be easily accessible by public transport and at the moment the most central location bus wise seems to be coleford.</p>		
170	26/09/17 5:28AM ID: 64570539	I think that the clinical advisory panel and citizens advisory panels recommendation should be produced and then alongside the trust board and governing body a group decision should be made in the location of the hospital.		
171	26/09/17 2:00PM ID: 64599401	New hospital should be based in Lydney. Have a maternity department. Keep Dilke for health use. Poor bus services in Forest compound the problems of travel.		
172	26/09/17 3:11PM ID: 64604243	Just concerned that our two excellent hospitals will disappear and be replaced by a small hospital that will not be adequately staffed, financed or provisioned for the needs of this widespread community so people will still be travelling to Gloucester, Hereford or Cheltenham Hospitals for treatment as before. The result of this will be a huge expenditure bill for something that is not fit for purpose and the loss of two community hospitals which provided a great service despite their age and layout.		
173	26/09/17 3:53PM ID: 64607717	there needs to be consideration for A&E/ Out of hours emergency care as the only options at the moment (gloucester/ abergavenny) are difficult to access quickly from the forest.		
174	27/09/17 1:17PM ID: 64661250	I would like to see an urgent care centre with assessment beds within the Forest of Dean. Currently all unwell patients particularly the frail, elderly, are transported straight to the Acute Hospitals because there are no facilities within the Forest for an acute assessment and short stay within the forest. The default is always the acute. Many Foresters want to stay in the Forest, they want to be able to access the same care locally and this will particularly apply to patients who have decided that they do not want to be resuscitated or transferred to the acute. We should be able to offer them the same ceiling of treatment as what they would have had if transferred to the acute in their own community. Rapid Response can play a major part in this process as we already have resources to assess patients within their own homes and this could be extended to an urgent care centre with the support of the inpatient unit and MIU. This would also free up the paramedics and ambulances as they would not have the long waits at the acute enabling them to respond to other emergencies quicker.		
175	27/09/17 2:05PM ID: 64663658	<p>Has the expected population growth taken into account the 'scrapping' of the Severn Bridge tolls from 2018.</p> <p>There is already anecdotal evidence that people have been buying houses in the EOD & surrounding areas based upon the above & commuting to Bristol for work?</p>		

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		Has the number of 'Beds' being considered taken into account the expected older population growth in line with incentives to reduce the number of 'Acute' beds in favour of 'community' beds? To serve the population of the FOD would it not make sense to 'centrally' locate the new hospital, this is where Lydney as a site has a disadvantage?		
176	27/09/17 2:31PM ID: 64667414	New hospital should be in the cinderford area but with good access roads		
177	27/09/17 4:02PM ID: 64673255	concerns: environment noise more vehicles more people disrespect to our memorial hospital, Dilke and the people who had it funded and built What will happen o the existing jobs of those at both hospitals?		
178	27/09/17 4:48PM ID: 64676133	I think you should publish the results of the survey so that participants can assess the views of the prospcive patients and community. You need to be clear about the facts and figures used to generate your options and recommendations. You need to be clear how you are going to fund this and any ipact on local or county taxes. You need to be clear how you are going to manage non forest patients and give local population priority as you are reducing the number of beds for this reason. You need to publish your Risk Register and how you propose to mitigate these risks. These should cover, clinical, financial and time dependent factors. You booklet states that "there is an available site". You need to be upfront and state where this is so that we can have a proper consultation. At the moment parking at both hospitals is free. It is essential that this remains the case. Too often we have seen health boards use this "new" build as an opportunity to charge patients. Often the excuse is to encourage to others to come by public transport which does not exist or is very poor,		
179	27/09/17 5:06PM ID: 64677892	Public Transport has been reduced in some areas of the Forest - if these proposals are to proceed to development of a new hospital the transport situation needs to be addressed. There are many patients in the area who can not afford to pay taxi costs, and using Arriva transport can be very difficult - I know of people who have only been able to attend for part of an appointment due to a driver insisting that she had to be elsewhere and was prepared to leave them behind.		
180	28/09/17 9:51AM ID: 64708751	The needs see in two large hospitals, GRH being one horrendous experience. Here it is peaceful and perfect. You have been hell bent on closing this place for decades, you are deceitful and sly. and you have no idea what we really need		
181	28/09/17 1:39PM ID: 64729004	Nice idea having one hospital, but we are very rural and transport is a big issue, so keeping both is better, especially as one big one will not be doing maternity or other surgery so we better off with what we got, as it works for people Lydney side and Cinderford etc		
182	28/09/17 1:44PM ID: 64729429	I am concerned that the proposals for bed numbers are too small. If we have a winter bed emergency or if, as seems to be the case, more homes continue to be built, then I think a minimum of 30-35 beds would be realistic. As stated, I think any single hospital should be sited around 5 acres, Coleford		
183	28/09/17 1:50PM ID: 64729796	Question 3 - We must ensure that everyone in this rural location is able to access the hospital. You will never please everyone, but please can we have a new hospital		

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		<p>regardless of the views of those who have never either worked or visited either unit. There is no room for sentiment</p> <p>Other comments - Very well laid out information. What the single minded objectors are forgetting is that when closure of units was being considered 10 years ago, at that point, NO community hospital was on offer.</p> <p>Good Luck</p>		
184	28/09/17 1:52PM ID: 64730172	I think the hospital should be in Coleford, perhaps at 5 acres		
185	28/09/17 2:05PM ID: 64730994	It has always been your intention to close our hospital and removal services, equipment and surgical referrals.		
186	29/09/17 4:43PM ID: 64793956	<p>I have used both hospitals in the Forest of Dean for minor injuries and ailments. It was not too far to travel to either hospital.</p> <p>The attention was prompt on each occasion.</p> <p>The follow up was satisfactory.</p> <p>On one occasion the X-ray equipment at Lydney was out of action. It was necessary to travel from there to the Dilke Hospital near Cinderford. A minor inconvenience, but preferable to travelling to Gloucester or Southmead which were the next closest alternatives with the added problems of parking, traffic, distance/time and unfamiliar territory.</p>		
187	30/09/17 4:56PM ID: 64850488	<p>I visited the Vale Hospital in Dursley and was most impressed and feel that a similar hospital would be good for the FoD.</p> <p>The location of a new FoD hospital should be served by bus services from the main centres of population in the area, preferably with a frequency at least half-hourly.</p>		
188	30/09/17 9:10PM ID: 64860479	Your own survey says we need more beds and there will be an increase in FOD residents. The end result of the paper concludes we will end up with less availability. What is the sense of this. Cheltenham and Gloucester are specialising in various conditions going specific buildings. i.e. cancer, CVD, renal , respiratory etc. Why could the FOD not do the same. Why is there no maternity unit. The panel must be aware of local customs that relate to being born in the Forest - why change the cultural path of a local society. Local people have a right to retain their way of life. Why cannot the Forest be used as a "Clearing House" for recovering patients from Cheltenham and Gloucester or longer term patients. Work more with end of life units and local charities		
189	30/09/17 10:23PM ID: 64863811	this survey is framed to get the answers wanted, not an open-handed consultation at all		
190	01/10/17 8:23AM ID: 64872291	Closing the hospitals will have a detrimental effect on the people of the Forest of Dean and will destroy the history and heritage of the two sites. No doubt, the two sites will then be allocated for housing, increasing the population of the Forest. Will one new hospital site be able to cope with this extra growth in population? How will schools, Doctors, dentists, roads, etc. then cope with this? The repercussions of this will be phenomenal!		
191	01/10/17 3:31PM ID: 64885544	Keep and improve what we already have.		
192	01/10/17 3:50PM ID: 64886182	It is long overdue. Sadly, someone will be upset wherever it goes. Planning for the future, I do not feel 2 hospitals make sense. Go for one, in an ideal site for they town. Short term savings for a cheap, out of town site will compromise the long term use of the unit		
193	01/10/17 6:07PM ID: 64891088	Any change of hospital provision in this area must be able to continue to give good service and provide the necessary care to the area. The number of beds must NOT be reduced. A few years ago much finance was put into providing a new operating theatre suite at Lydney - no longer used. The area urgently needs a mid-wife led maternity facility.		
194	01/10/17 6:52PM	preferred option is option 2 see under question1		

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	ID: 64892853			
195	01/10/17 8:30PM ID: 64896557	Dilke MIU was recently closed for 6 weeks and the two MIU s worked together at Lydney. Both sets of staff were impressed with how well the two units worked together and how the expertise of both sets staff complemented each other.		
196	01/10/17 8:30PM ID: 64896678	forest needs a single new hospital, needs to be built in Coleford and not at Lydney or Cinderford		
197	02/10/17 11:55AM ID: 64923813	I think the new community hospital would be better located in or near Lydney due the the infrastructure of the roads to Gloucester, Cheltenham & Bristol hospitals in an emergency. Also, it is easier to access Lydney for all the Forest of Dean than any other of the options for it's location.		
198	02/10/17 4:28PM ID: 64944993	I'm totally in favour of 'joined-up' health services and I think this is an absolutely wonderful opportunity for the Forest of Dean to achieve just that - whilst obviously being mindful that some health procedures can only be carried out in a general hospital or more specialist environment. I would also very much like to see health promotion being on the 'agenda' too.		
199	02/10/17 5:08PM ID: 64946659	Community hospitals provide important services and any reduction has a significant impact on the community. The proposed reduction in the number of facilities is clearly cost driven but I question if the whole life costs have really been taken into account. In particular, no information is available regarding the disposal costs of the legacy hospitals and the costs associated with recruitment and retention of existing staff. The lack of information on the proposed location of a new hospital does not allow residents to make informed comments on its viability. I consider that this is no more than a feasibility study that lacks maturity and should not have been presented without greater detail to the public to ask them for comment.		
200	03/10/17 9:45AM ID: 64980423	Its obvious this is all about cost. The 2 local hospitals have a fine caring reputation and need to be updated and left in situ		
201	03/10/17 9:51AM ID: 64980741	Question 2 - This would depend on where a new place for the hospital would be Other comments - Will be visiting the bus, drop in sessions and attending a presentation ASAP		
202	03/10/17 9:55AM ID: 64981529	Has the site at Coleford next to the Co-op been explored?		
203	03/10/17 10:01AM ID: 64982329	Planning for the future would 24 beds be sufficient?		
204	03/10/17 10:09AM ID: 64982516	Often new buildings are commissioned only to find insufficient staff are available to run it. Can not the 2 existing hospitals be utilised? There could be specialist services in each to avoid duplication of cost.		
205	03/10/17 10:15AM ID: 64983493	The people of Lydney and local people have donated thousands of pounds to make Lydney hospital the special and wonderful hospital it is and a well used hospital it is too.		
206	03/10/17 10:38AM ID: 64984080	The Forest community hospitals cannot afford to lose approx. 50% capacity which is what will happen if the so called "super hospital" is built		
207	03/10/17 11:06AM ID: 64986099	Local health professionals have been poorly contacted prior to starting this consultation. The Forest Health and care review referred to in this document has not been conducted yet and has not been published		
208	03/10/17 11:11AM ID: 64988025	The information is presented very well, an excellent example of community consultation in an area sensitive to changes to hospital provision		
209	03/10/17 11:17AM ID: 64988335	My Main opinion is for hospital outpatient appointments to be made available in the forest for all, within reason. Transport costs to Gloucester / Cheltenham are expensive and time consuming. The sooner people can be back in their local hospitals the better. We need to have as many beds as possible for residents not		

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210	03/10/17 11:20AM ID: 64988820	More bed space needed. With an increasing elderly population in the Forest, 24 beds is NOT planning for the future		
211	03/10/17 11:26AM ID: 64989213	Question 1 - It would be useful to know where the site is (you do not say) it needs to be more central for all towns i.e close to Heart of Forest school would be fair to all		
212	03/10/17 11:29AM ID: 64989446	The dilke is in an ideal location. Its clean, its peaceful there. Its a Gem		
213	03/10/17 11:36AM ID: 64989777	A truly forest hospital serving the people of the forest with local access and modern, clinically appropriate services for the community with access to all the community services including Health visitors, midwives along with elderly care, OT, physios outpatients etc. and Macmillan Thank you for the opportunity to give feedback and to be consulted		
214	03/10/17 1:00PM ID: 64996820	Your criteria for placement of the new facility seem well rounded. I must stress however, that access is of paramount importance - public transport (such as it is) and adequate parking. Parking, I see as a major point for consideration.		
215	03/10/17 2:30PM ID: 65004232	I feel we need a small hospital and a 24/7 medical centre together offering GP, nurse and A&E care for Forest people, with work patterns now any hour our health care must follow suit. To see someone, get medication and help anytime is what is needed. The care for the dying in terms of help from a doctor ie medication is shameful thing in the forest and is not improving. Thank god for our district nurses. A 1 hospital is not the only thing we need, this is looking at 10 years ago. we need to look for now ie the future not previous resources. Let try thinking outside the box for a change and do something great.		
216	03/10/17 2:56PM ID: 65006512	I believe that this is very exciting opportunity to have an up to date hospital within the Forest of Dean so that people can receive the best possible care in a community environment. Unfortunately as much as The Dilke and Lydney Hospitals have been invaluable to the areas they are now old and need updating.		
217	03/10/17 6:50PM ID: 65021112	The Foresters are very passionate about their hospitals, and have long seated loyalties to both the Dilke and Lydney. Legally you would probably be unable to recoup any money from the Dilke as would be unable to be sold, and Lydney would not bring in much. One new purpose built hospital is required but with the same number or increased number of beds offered now. Physio dept improved and an increased out patient facility, with examination rooms, but also with internet rooms to connect to Gloucester or Cheltenham for brief assessments with consultants at the other end. This could be invaluable for time saving. Don't underestimate the passion of the Foresters you have a hard fight on your hands to build one hospital, they will only agree and not cause you complete chaos if they have an improved facility not a budget cost cutting exercise inflicted from on high.		
218	03/10/17 7:30PM ID: 65022864	In my humble opinion it's either maintain the current, or build in Lydney. The huge increase in Residential Properties in Lydney means the idea of not having a Hospital or A&E in the Town is both dangerous and irresponsible		
219	03/10/17 8:39PM ID: 65025971	Just annoyed and frustrated, that NHS is in great need for money in every aspect, that some pen pusher wants to build a new hospital, when we have two perfectly good hospitals.....		
220	03/10/17 8:47PM ID: 65024407	The main concern I have is that the development of a single community hospital does not also require the local GP surgery to move this location as well. If rumours are to be believed that Northern Quarter is the preferred location that it does not jeopardise the viability of Dockham Road surgeries. A good percentage of residents can walk to Dockham Road but not to Steam Mills.		

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221	03/10/17 9:06PM ID: 65027144	Leave the hospitals alone. Two hospitals are better than one. Looking after more people.		
222	04/10/17 7:11AM ID: 65037543	concern as to to closing of the current sites before a new one is up and running		
223	04/10/17 8:49AM ID: 65039239	My only other comment other then all I have said in the last box is, on any panel that decides the outcome of where the hospital is built, be careful of two things that I have experienced in my working life. First is not to have too many people that have a vested interest, unless it is evened out with opposing views. It will then take forever to come to an aggressive decision where few will be happy. This does not just mean ordinary people, but Doctor and other healthcare officials that will be worrying about there travel needs. Two in my book would be to have some total outsider to view it from a totally different perspective.		
224	04/10/17 11:57AM ID: 65053308	I am extremely disappointed in this consultation and the proposals that come with it. I require the proper information and would also require the document to be representative of the meetings that were attended by friends of mine. This is a vile betrayal of the public, the NHS and the future of provision in the Forest of Dean. I am currently campaigning against this proposal.		
225	04/10/17 2:19PM ID: 65063259	Also the overall population of the Forest of Dean needs to be remembered particularly in relation to in patient beds		
226	04/10/17 3:28PM ID: 65069576	The hospital needs to have at least the same capacity for in patients that both hospitals have now.		
227	04/10/17 3:40PM ID: 65070219	In deciding the location of the new hospital priority should be given to the question of access, especially for those without cars who will need to depend on public transport or taxis. Those of us with cars can reach any part of the Forest quite easily but for others transport will be a problem. There can be an assumption among the kind of people who will be overseeing this process that people have cars. Many of those most likely to be using the hospital - young parents, elderly and disabled - will not have easy access to independent transport.		
228	04/10/17 4:38PM ID: 65074554	They are to old to offer up to date medical needs		
229	04/10/17 6:08PM ID: 65079600	I think that local residents AND STAFF at the hospitals should be consulted at every stage of planning and heavily involved in decision making as it is our hospital and we will be the ones impacted by the move.		
230	05/10/17 10:19AM ID: 65105126	On the amount of beds required, consideration should be made of the number needed to accommodate patients being hospitalised in this new hospital instead of being sent out of the Forest of Dean area		
231	05/10/17 10:42AM ID: 65106956	I was a patient in the Dilke hospital and received wonderful care and help to get me fit enough to return home. If the new hospital can match or enhance these criteria item I would support it		
232	05/10/17 10:47AM ID: 65107511	On a bus route and with plenty of parking		
233	05/10/17 11:07AM ID: 65108787	Question 3 - Need to ensure a reliable and regular bus service serves chosen site from all parts of Forest of Dean		
234	05/10/17 11:11AM ID: 65108956	Question 1 - Yes with reservations Other comments It is difficult to make any useful comments without knowing a location. Transport to a hospital must be a priority The population of Forest of Dean is likely to rise when Severn Bridge toll is abolished		
235	05/10/17 11:36AM ID: 65109241	Looking through your consultation booklet in my local surgery today has prompted me to write to express my views on the location of the new hospital. I believe that the new unit would be best situated in Lydney for the following reasons		

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		<p>1) I understand there is an ideal site available in the town centre which is well located for pedestrian access and parking as well as public transport</p> <p>2) There are two excellent GP practices in the immediate locality which could presumably be relocated to the new unit (if that's the desired option) with the minimum disruption to patients, staff and doctors</p> <p>3) Approved housing planning applications mean that Lydney will become the largest population centre in the area therefore, location of the unit there, would minimise travelling and the environmental impact of large number of people moving through the Forest on what are for the most part poor road systems. Luckily, recent winters have been fairly benign weather - wise but when we do get adverse conditions driving up into the forest can be very difficult</p> <p>4) Located immediately adjacent to the A48 it would offer better communication to major centres to which patients are referred in Gloucester or Bristol. Road links to those centres from any of the other suggested sites are poorer with narrow twisting roads which must slow ambulance transportation. The A48 is straighter, faster and offers more opportunities for emergency vehicles to safely overtake than any of the other options.</p> <p>5) The last reason is an emotional one. Throughout its history, Lydney hospital has been embraced by the local community in a way quite unlike the Dilke. As a child, I was told by my parents, that, before the NHS, the hospital was supported by local subscription. Everyone paid so much a week for the hospital was a mantra I heard a lot. This connection has carried on post the NHS, the friends (of which I am not a member) continue to raise huge sums to support, maintain and improve the hospital buildings and equipment. I believe this type of support has never been so strong at the Dilke</p> <p>It may be that in these cash strapped times finding a cheaper location on which to build a modern block would tick all the boxes. Politically, a location in none of the main population centres would be an easy option, the "lets offend everyone equally" approach.</p> <p>However this isn't just a building. It needs to go somewhere where the community will embrace it and cherish it, rather than be somewhere remote. We need to show that, that even in these cynical times, the idea of a community taking an institution to its heart and valuing it is not an outdated concept but one which still thrives, Lydney hospital has always had this special place in the soul of the community and locating the new one there would be living proof that the NHS and the community can work together in true partnership and an inspiration to other trusts.</p> <p>I believe that there are sound, practical and environmental reasons for locating the new unit at Lydney, but there is also the opportunity to do something very special</p>		
236	05/10/17 12:49PM ID: 65116130	The location is vital and the decision should be made largely by locals with limited bureaucratic input		
237	05/10/17 12:53PM ID: 65116449	<p>Question 3 - but the proposed hospital should be sited on an accessible location for all users</p> <p>Other comments - currently both local hospitals enjoy active support groups, it would be shameful if a more detached hospital were to lose this support</p>		
238	05/10/17 2:48PM ID: 65124090	Have many beds will be lost, if any. How big a car park, and how much will the car park cost to use. Plus, if charging is started, who will get the majority of the cash.		
239	05/10/17 4:03PM ID: 65118516	The Community hospitals are a valuable asset and EVERY effort should be made to keep them. It is not acceptable to say there is not the finance available - it could be found if the will was there.		
240	06/10/17 10:57AM ID: 65162564	Hoping that this is not simply a paper exercise . I would respect the views of the clinical professionals on the ground as to what would work best for services and for patients. There would need to be a balance of citizen and professional views taken into account in determining the way forward. How one achieves a properly representative set of views from the public is always problematic, however, hence the importance of taking the feedback from this consultation, which is as reasonably open as it can be, seriously.		

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		Furthermore, I would be particularly keen to see no 'run-down' of existing services on the two sites prior to a new site going ahead and the closure of the current sites should not precede the arrival of any new one. At present I will have to accept the statement on trust in the consultation booklet that the existing facilities would not close until the new one is ready for full use.		
241	06/10/17 2:22PM ID: 65180160	Question 2 - Need to ensure hospital beds without going to Gloucester or Cheltenham		
242	06/10/17 2:31PM ID: 65181676	Some years ago I had an endoscopy at the Dilke. Why are you now hoping to re instate this? who no maternity unit? I had both my children at the Dilke. how much money is wasted by closing these facilities only to now reopen one of them		
243	06/10/17 9:30PM ID: 65204643	Fund the existing hospitals properly and reinstate the maternity unit.		
244	06/10/17 9:55PM ID: 65205077	for once lets hope that common sense will prevail and a not fit for purpose new hospital is not built but the money invested in the current 2 magnificent hospital		
245	06/10/17 11:45PM ID: 65208121	Obviously a lot of objection to the new facility is down to the history of the two current hospitals. I feel however the Forest should have a newly built more modern hospital that is up to date and can accommodate future changes		
246	07/10/17 6:57PM ID: 65232954	The following services are must haves in the forest Accident and emergency unit 24hrs Maternity unit Operating facilities 24 hr Cover by doctors If we use 47 beds now we will still need at least 47 in the future - losing 20 odd beds is losing them from the NHS in Gloucestershire, it doesn't matter where the patients come from many would prefer here rather than GRH. We should lose nothing that we already have and plan to provide abetter and fuller service to the patients		
247	09/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65300501	Please do not make this new hospital an excuse to do away with what we have at present. I was born in Lydney and can remember being a patient at LDH , I have needed to use A&E and/or MIU on many occasions. My first baby was born in Lydney Maternity home and my Husband had his appendix removed in 1969 in Lydney Theatre. We seem to be going backwards, instead of making progress as we should be.		
248	09/10/17 9:05PM ID: 65330450	Everything always goes to Coleford or cinderford lydney has the growing population and the lawsuit able site in the old tuffins site but it will make no diffarence		
249	09/10/17 11:00PM ID: 65335388	Please take into account the views of your staff that work both in the hospitals and the trust. They are doing the job on a daily basis and know what the limitations of the current buildings are. There is a need for massive investment in community services if you are reducing the number of beds e.g. Reablement or separate GCS care agency. Please show us the evidence behind reducing the number of beds, I would suggest that you look at a period of three years in order to capture a true representation of the number of patients from outside the area, as well as the figures for local people whom are placed in community hospitals elsewhere.		
250	10/10/17 9:53AM ID: 65350570	This new hospital is being proposed but will it meet all we need so we don't have to travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham for so many appointments		
251	10/10/17 9:56AM ID: 65351999	1) Better transport to new hospital site (present transport links inadequate to any new site) 2) Build and open new hospital BEFORE closing existing		
252	10/10/17 10:07AM ID: 65352277	You are acting in a ridiculous way trying to close a fantastic hospital to get an inferior one in its place. Stuck to far away fro most of the rural foresters. 20 beds to serve the entire forest! Are you all idiots? I leave our Dilke alone. We don't want your flashy		

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253	10/10/17 10:18AM ID: 65353010	There is no sense in this ridiculous plan and we know you have deliberately underfunded and under equipped our hospitals for years. This is a bad decision by people who cannot see beyond 11 million to play with. Keep your new build		
254	10/10/17 10:21AM ID: 65354070	Number of beds totally inadequate		
255	10/10/17 10:40AM ID: 65354189	<p>Question 4 - Ask the foresters you bastards. the dilke should be retained. Lydney should be retained. Small is beautiful. Down with the " Cheltenham Set" Middle class - hang them from them from the highest tree in the forest.</p> <p>Question 5 - and yet I am still cynical over this vague and ultimately stupid plan which will adversely affect the ;east well who are getting the poorest deal from healthcare.</p> <p>Other Comments - Dilke is excellent, easily accessible, staff sterling. You have destroyed district nursing and health visiting, Mental health and acute hospital O/P. Momentous journey to access.</p> <p>You bastards have killed our health service.</p> <p>This is discrimination against foresters by the "Cheltenham Set"</p>		
256	10/10/17 10:45AM ID: 65355939	I think it would also be a benefit to consider providing (at least space for) on site crèche / Nursery for those working at the new site		
257	10/10/17 10:47AM ID: 65356108	Give us back a maternity unit to give us back our rights to be "true foresters"		
258	10/10/17 10:52AM ID: 65356635	I think the new hospital will need more than 20 beds as suggested		
259	10/10/17 10:54AM ID: 65356762	Question 1 - but we need more than 20 beds		
260	10/10/17 11:09AM ID: 65357649	I agree with the proposal as you cannot keep old buildings going for ever and facilities do need upgrading, You cannot live in the past for ever.		
261	10/10/17 11:09AM ID: 65357680	<p>Question 1 - I think its got to happen eventually.</p> <p>Question 2 - Don't understand the question. not good grammar</p> <p>Other comments - The biggest concern people seem to have including myself, is that there is no casualty department open in Lydney / Dilke outside daytime hours. Will there be in the new hospital?</p>		
262	10/10/17 11:10AM ID: 65358101	There MUST be MORE beds. A reduction in bed numbers is totally unacceptable		
263	10/10/17 11:27AM ID: 65358389	<p>Question 4 - The Dilke is the only sensible site.</p> <p>Other comments - I have seldom seen such underhanded actions or such middle headed views. If the two hospitals we have had been maintained and funded, instead of being stripped of services and equipment. We would not be in this place. you have been trying to close those hospitals for decades, this is all financial spin</p>		
264	10/10/17 11:46AM ID: 65359962	for me transport would be the top for getting there		
265	10/10/17 11:53AM ID: 65361474	is it really necessary to close either hospital for whatever reason		
266	10/10/17 12:01PM ID: 65361936	If option 3 is confirmed why are the affordability, acceptability and access only partly met?		
267	10/10/17 12:03PM ID: 65362577	It should have all the facilities of the present hospitals and other specialised ones. It should be near the centre of the Forest le. Near the speech house hotel		

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268	10/10/17 12:11PM ID: 65362736	I don't think anyone is going to listen to what people in this area say. Newent is not considered at all in this consultation.		
269	10/10/17 6:03PM ID: 65391594	Very little was explained about the clinics that would be retained or lost. For instance no mention was made about the provision for physiotherapy, podiatry, Rheumatology, which we currently have. This information must be made clear. In fact there was a lot of "spin" about how wonderful this proposal would be for the Forest, but not enough substance to convince us. Certainly the reduction in beds that is proposed is very worrying for us, as there would be no contingency to cope with any unexpected emergency.		
270	11/10/17 4:21PM ID: 65458786	Attending hospital is for most people, including myself, a stressful event and it becomes many more times so if one has to travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham therefore it would be splendid if more services eg oncology treatments could come to a new community hospital here in the Forest.		
271	11/10/17 5:46PM ID: 65464879	what we have now needs looking after not getting rid of. the replacement wont be of such a good standard		
272	12/10/17 9:47AM ID: 65494661	I think if a hospital is to be built to replace the two smaller hospitals available at moment. It should be larger than planned, at least 40 beds		
273	12/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65495455	I was widowed last November and the Dilke and Lydney hospital were very caring and efficient		
274	12/10/17 9:54AM ID: 65495654	Possibly Lydney area for a new hospital as trains, transport is good, also accessible from all areas		
275	12/10/17 9:58AM ID: 65495756	The facility must have ample car parking space available with space for expansion. bus services must also be improved to make access readily available at all times. There should be space to expand facility in future years. Think big to provide for increased population in the area, with additional services as needs increase		
276	12/10/17 10:07AM ID: 65496312	Question 1 - Yes with the reservation that it is hard to assess the merits of something which does not yet exist Question 2 - It depends on other factors e.g an adequate bus service to the hospital Other Comments - This booklet and the consultation video seemly heavily slanted in favour of one particular option with little discussion of the alternatives. There are also possible legal issues around potential future uses of the Dilke hospital which is not mentioned and need resolving		
277	12/10/17 10:11AM ID: 65496764	So little consideration for End of life care - real need for in patient hospice - or palliative care NHS provision. In 2015 my late husband received excellent care from rapid response team		
278	12/10/17 10:24AM ID: 65497075	I feel it is best for people of the Forest of Dean to have both community hospitals in the same place and to be re developed as necessary		
279	12/10/17 12:49PM ID: 65510727	There must be enough inpatient beds - not a reduction on current number. Aging population - more people living alone. more focus on self responsibility for health outcomes		
280	12/10/17 12:53PM ID: 65511143	Question 2 - I don't understand this question - I agree with option 3 Other comments - There should be provision for a maternity facility. you should be mindful of the amount of money donated by local people over very many years		
281	12/10/17 1:03PM ID: 65511831	The presentation on 10 October at the Main place, Coleford was excellent as it set out clearly reasons, next steps and eventual outcomes clearly. go for it!		
282	12/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65512085	Question 4 - STICK IT! Other comments - we want our hospitals funded properly not some new hospital that will be no better		

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283	12/10/17 1:11PM ID: 65512512	Question 2 - Unless there is no facility in the Forest Other comments - The more journeys to Gloucester / Cheltenham are not needed the better		
284	12/10/17 1:15PM ID: 65512721	Money spent on this project / survey could be better utilised on existing facilities		
285	12/10/17 3:13PM ID: 65521766	There must be a commitment to maintain or improve the current available beds. Given the level of elderly people in the Forest it is vital that home care is improved as part of this overhaul. This area can be isolating because of its size and location. There should be a community space for groups, meetings etc. To assist this space should be designed with a view to being able to hire it out at a cost. e.g. things like slimming world, weightwatchers, maybe some support groups and even social events. A small cost effective coffee shop would be good (albeit a luxury but it would promote community use of the hospital) Mental Health needs to be catered for - maybe some of the 2gether classes held at the new site Technology should be utilised efficiently to improve cost position of services e.g. network, hardware, software and related support services. If funding is available centrally or locally could this be a training hospital and use apprentices etc where possible. There should be assurances that decommissioning of the current sites will be quick to avoid dual running costs and that they will be sold to contribute to new services in healthcare only. eg not diverted elsewhere. It would be good if a brand new community board was setup for continual service improvements and fund raising - to raise the profile and enable the community to contribute both time and money. There should be a small prayer room I am concerned that sentimentality may hinder progress - in particular local councillors who have already been using social media to try and derail progress. This is a very positive investment for the Forest of Dean and it should be promoted strongly as such.		
286	12/10/17 9:05PM ID: 65546032	I went to Taurus Crafts to the advertised drop in session at 10 am. Unfortunately there was no indication that a session was taking place. I wandered about met several people also wandering but no one who knew about it. So after 20 minutes I left. Later a neighbour had a similar experience but before she left she was approached by someone who invited her to join a group which she found helpful. Why not put posters up with instructions for those of us who take the trouble to attend		
287	12/10/17 9:35PM ID: 65551051	Think we need more beds not less and minor operations to help with all the backlog at grh and a lot bigger m l u unit 24 hours with x-ray available on weekends		
288	13/10/17 11:33AM ID: 65574484	I have utilised both local hospitals for myself and friends and family. I have seen the persistent decline of funding and support from the NHS for both sites over the last few years. I believe that they could be put to far better use if clinics were held more and minor operations could be undertaken. Some consultants are prepared to hold clinics now at both sites and it is far easier to get to these than it is for people to get to the main acute hospitals. If you will be able to staff a new hospital why would staffing be a problem in the current ones?		
289	13/10/17 12:17PM ID: 65580252	Question 1 - I think the one big hospital should be at Cinderford. Possibly enlarge the Dilke Other Comments - The Forest of Dean is a large area and having one single hospital will effect the accessibility of the hospital to many people. Maternity care should be brought back		
290	13/10/17 12:20PM ID: 65582089	Question 1 - Only if opening hours are maintained and location of new hospital is easily accessible by public transport		
291	13/10/17 12:21PM	I beg you to think again!!!!		

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	ID: 65581551			
292	13/10/17 12:28PM ID: 65582621	I am fortunate to be aware of the extent of services provided by Lydney, as an in patient. Having benefited from Ultra sound, X ray and minor injuries I am keen that for health professionals that the Forest of Dean is viewed as a good step on their career progression		
293	13/10/17 12:33PM ID: 65582996	given the shape of the geographic area of the FOD district, any single development must consider the needs of people in the northern part to satisfy objective 2 and achieve the benefits listed on page 5		
294	13/10/17 12:44PM ID: 65584102	Please seriously transport. This is the greatest stumbling block in my opinion		
295	13/10/17 12:46PM ID: 65584243	Very clearly set out and easy to understand		
296	13/10/17 12:56PM ID: 65584392	<p>Why is this even an option?? STOP wasting money and resources NEW location totally unnecessary</p> <p>Proposed options are not viable. Depleat and diminish present facilities?! Why would anyone do that?? Only ONE sensible solution: Close Dilke, sell land to property developer. Close Albert surgery Establish new GP surgery within Lydney community hospital. sufficient land is available to extend medical depts., wards, to house 20+ beds, run more clinic, re instate basic maternity and palliative care facilities to including dementia nursing. Better use of present buildings especially stonebury. Funds are available. This should happen but will it?</p> <p>ANGRY RESIDENT</p>		
297	13/10/17 1:01PM ID: 65585469	A new hospital needs to be accessed easily on the flat, near train station and main A48		
298	13/10/17 1:04PM ID: 65585634	As a nurse who has worked in the community hospitals in the Forest, please do not reduce the number of beds. The pressure on the beds we have is huge		
299	13/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65585889	<p>first choice location - Cinderford Second Choice location - Lydney NOT coleford</p> <p>Maternity provision should be reconsidered. If some home births are acceptable surely a midwife led unit could be equally so</p>		
300	13/10/17 1:17PM ID: 65586826	This exercise continues to be a waste of paper		
301	13/10/17 1:19PM ID: 65586970	New hospital will not be big enough (no A&E)		
302	13/10/17 1:23PM ID: 65587146	Question 3 - Should be positioned as close to the centre of the population distribution, in order to minimise amount of travelling that will be required		
303	13/10/17 1:26PM ID: 65584143	<p>I have put that I think the location of the new hospital should be decided by a Citizen's Advisory Panel, had I been able to do so I would have said in conjunction with a Clinical Advisory Panel. These are the groups that I feel are most able to make a good decision on the location as they live or work in the forest and are aware of the problems of accessibility in the area.</p> <p>There is a lot of concern amongst residents in the forest that having one hospital instead of the two existing hospitals will result in a reduction in the number of available beds and the resultant problems of travelling to and from hospitals outside the area to visit relatives. Hospital visits are important for the person being cared for and I already know people who struggle to make the number of visits that they would</p>		

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		like to their loved ones due to poor public transport facilities and their relatives not being able to be cared for in either Lydney Hospital or the Dilke. They worry that a reduction in the number of community beds would make it even more likely that they would face transport problems when visiting.		
304	13/10/17 1:26PM ID: 65587442	A new hospital needs to be on the A48 for easy access to Gloucester or Bristol hospital in an emergency. Near a train station for staff transport and in a growing area		
305	13/10/17 1:35PM ID: 65587707	Question 1 - Yes but it depends on where it will be situated. It would be better if the hospital was in Coleford as the A4136 is a very good road into the town. Plus access to Lydney is good. Question 4 - I thin it is best the councils do not have a say		
306	13/10/17 1:43PM ID: 65588502	For full community ?? (cannot read handwriting) we need to evidence data around decisions and said numbers, scope of services etc		
307	13/10/17 1:48PM ID: 65589214	Once again my opinion is for a Lydney base. But I lived in Coleford or Cinderford it would be at one of those		
308	13/10/17 1:56PM ID: 65589651	Question 4 - We don't want a new hospital Other comments - I spoke to a GP who has no idea about what is going on as he has had no time to look at it. Leave our hospitals alone,		
309	13/10/17 2:00PM ID: 65590316	Question 2 - Until location is decided it is very difficult to be absolute Other comments - Until location is decided it is very difficult to be fully in favour. The old sites represent a significant value that should be utilised / ring fenced to provide new services at new venue		
310	13/10/17 2:03PM ID: 65590632	Once again the Forest is being short changed. Get rid of the chiefs and give us more on the shop floor		
311	13/10/17 5:26PM ID: 65612551	The Dilke Hospital in the the statutory Forest, belongs to the people of Forest of Dean and provides a vital service. Lydney Hospital serves Lydney well. The two hospitals provide sufficient beds and services for our needs. Foresters can still be born in the Forest. You do not have the right to reduce the services and facilities		
312	16/10/17 11:13AM ID: 65755510	It's simple it's easy getting to Lydney to go by train or bus or car to any city or town in the uk try that from cinderford or coalford !		
313	16/10/17 5:25PM ID: 65795133	The population will grow as more and more housing developments are approved , e.g. more than 400 new homes in Lydney over the next two years. I am and have been in good health during the past four years, but my wife's health declined (reduced sight from long-term type 1 diabetes, minor injuries from falling, and pancreatic cancer) and although the quality of care at Gloucester and Cheltenham Hospitals was excellent, end of life hospital care was very limited and proved to be inadequate locally. That there is only one hospice (Sue Ryder Leckhampton) for the whole of Gloucestershire (with just 16 beds) is poor- fortunately a bed did become available there for my wife and she received specific palliative care during the last few weeks of her life. Whereas I agree that a new hospital to replace Lydney and the Dilke is probably the most cost-efficient way ahead, if the number of beds and the services (e.g. Maternity, A& E, and elderly care) do not substantially exceed what's currently available(in total) then the new hospital plan will fall short of what's needed, and the smaller local hospitals may still be needed to provide beds for		

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		post-operative recovery and for the elderly waiting for places in care homes .Hopefully a combination of ALL the options will lead to those in authority making the best possible decisions in the LONG-TERM interests of the Forest of Dean !		
314	16/10/17 7:34PM ID: 65805816	Urgent care and minor injuries facilities are crucial, given the distance to any other hospital, especially out of hours. The use of mobile units on site periodically to deliver some specialist services would be good.		
315	17/10/17 9:26AM ID: 65832110	Question 1 - In principle but I have worries about location, as I don't drive. Services offered need to be as good as those already existing or much improved! Other comments - I am pleased that the inhabitants of the Forest have been consulted in an important matter to us all and I hope you receive the backing to achieve your aim		
316	17/10/17 9:30AM ID: 65832618	Question 2 - I do not understand this question Other comments - In what sense is a single hospital with less in patient beds an improvement? It will be a waste of taxpayers money and will just involve more people travelling to Gloucester for medical care		
317	17/10/17 9:38AM ID: 65833166	you have said you envisage 24 community beds. your count does not take into account the use of Great Western Court and further more community beds do not offer the same care given at G.W court where nursing care is minimal. It is therefore less expensive but does much more to encourage independence. Please factor in this level of care in one unit at least. It is available in Gloucester and Cheltenham - WHY NOT THE FOREST?		
318	17/10/17 9:42AM ID: 65833938	It is so difficult to make an informal recommendation when there are so many other health matters that need to be addressed in parallel. An ETU must be allocated to the Forest, this is essential		
319	17/10/17 9:47AM ID: 65834572	This appears to be a well thought out plan		
320	17/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65835033	Question 1 - Lydney and Dilke do not provide enough parking. Give us a new site in COLEFORD Other comments - My husband died this year after waiting 3 months in GRH. 24 BEDS IS NOT ENOUGH for a bed in forest hospitals On carers for home, there were none to be had!		
321	17/10/17 9:54AM ID: 65835406	It Would be better if a maternity unit was included to keep the Forest of Dean tradition		
322	17/10/17 10:03AM ID: 65835642	Question 4 - No No No Other comments - Leave our hospitals alone, you may have degrees but you have no sense. Go all be stupid somewhere else! Goodbye!		
323	17/10/17 10:17AM ID: 65836451	Question 4 - We don't want a new build Other comments - The lies, half truths and lack of funds is despicable. you have been trying to do these closures for years. Does any one of you have a bit of sense? Leave our hospitals alone. Put the money into the ones we have		
324	17/10/17 10:31AM ID: 65837824	Question 4 - We don't want a new hospital Other comments - There has been no transparency, no honesty here. you have tried to sneak your views onto us. We want our hospitals not a new unit that will be inferior and useless and will see us all having to go to GRH. Why cant you think logically?		
325	17/10/17 2:03PM ID: 65858433	Question 2 - The preferred option of a new community hospital seems the most positive.		

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326	17/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65858641	Question 4 - no New Build! Other comments - Being conically ill, I need to easy access to hospital, my family need to be able to visit easily. Only the dilke fits those needs. Its obvious there are lies and half truths being told. We know you are hell bent on destroying our hospitals, you are wrong. Leave them be		
327	17/10/17 2:21PM ID: 65859548	Choosing a town location would create major division in the Forest, if Lydney was chosen, the forest would consider once again it had been side lined.		
328	17/10/17 2:23PM ID: 65860395	The area needs modern, up to date facilities without looking to the past		
329	17/10/17 2:35PM ID: 65860638	does the quantity of beds proposed take into consideration future building plans, as recently planning permission has been approved for a further 250 plus homes in Lydney district		
330	17/10/17 9:29PM ID: 65888522	Agreeing a set of criteria to base the next step, if a single hospital is approved, is the most important step in the whole process and as such needs careful consideration and much consultation with all stake holders.		
331	18/10/17 3:50PM ID: 65943391	Total openness and full information all the way along to making a final decision on: a) specifically what services a new replacement hospital will provide b) where it will be located must be clearly published and easily understood by all residents of FOD. Foresters do not like to be taken out of their comfort zone!		
332	18/10/17 4:29PM ID: 65946834	<p>I am a physiotherapist working across both community hospital sites and strongly support the proposal for one new hospital. We have great difficulty in delivering a coherent service across both sites, and in particular we struggle with the lack of space on the wards. I work at the Dilke, and it is obvious when observing the whole team at work, that the building does not have sufficient space for the amount of large and complex equipment we now use in order to comply with the Health and Safety at work act 1974 and Manual Handling Operations Regulations 1992, and of course to provide our patient's with the highest quality care. It is a daily struggle to manoeuvre equipment in this environment whilst keeping ourselves and patients safe, and a new hospital would provide the opportunity for a purpose built environment for this new type of care we are giving in community hospitals. This will include bariatric care which is becoming more prevalent in our service population.</p> <p>I would also look forward to working with my colleagues from Lydney and not having to waste 40 minutes on travel time which could be a patient contact, as we frequently work across sites to support each other.</p>		
333	19/10/17 9:09AM ID: 65976327	big mistake to reduce the number of beds in increasing population. Missed opportunity to cater for future generations		
334	19/10/17 12:29PM ID: 65993272	The single site plan does not take into account of co-motbilty that many patients in the area suffer from, why not re invest in the two wonderful existing sites? The new housing development in Lydney means the growing population need access to healthcare on their doorstep.		
335	19/10/17 12:42PM ID: 65994006	It became evident that the majority of attendees were obsessed by a maternity unit - Assume to keep birth parents to be able to say "I'm a forester". Whilst nothing is wrong with pride in where you live, other health factors must be a priority with an increasingly aging population. Account for new housing also needs consideration for long term useage		
336	19/10/17 1:03PM ID: 65995465	<p>The provision needs to take into account, the increase in population, over 6000 homes in 20 years. A maternity unit included and more beds</p> <p>The new community hospital must meet the needs of a greatly expanded population. The planners allocation of homes is 6,600</p>		

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337	19/10/17 1:18PM ID: 65997172	Question 3 - This booklet is not a proper consultation. It is designed to produce the answer wanted. I.e a new single hospital. If that is to happen, a midwife - led birthing unit should be included and also more beds for increased population		
338	19/10/17 1:27PM ID: 65998046	<p>Question 1 - Provided its covering all the same amenities plus more that the two hospitals currently have available but not to reduce the number of beds, keep as is available now</p> <p>Question 2 - I'm alone now so feel more vulnerable if anything should happen to my health. Convenience is the issue for hospitals</p> <p>Other comments - I do hope the right decision is made. The Chepstow hospital has diminished in its services since opening - now the dementia ward is to close! Lots of services have gone since its opening - that's what usually happens I'm sorry to say. now its a "same Duck" so to speak</p>		
339	19/10/17 1:36PM ID: 65995265	<p>The number of beds mentioned in your booklet are not enough for the F.O.D. this needs more thought!</p> <p>Our local GP's need rooms to carry out simple operations and other clinical procedures.</p> <p>No mention of care for the elderly.</p> <p>£ 11,000,000 needs to be spent wisely and not wasted like other things have been in the past!</p>		
340	19/10/17 1:42PM ID: 65998725	Patients in Cinderford area already closer to Gloucester for A&E. Lydney has a good onward access to Gloucester, Bristol and Wales for transport if needed, as well as public transport for out patients and visitors. Our nearest out of hours GP in Gloucester Hospital - one hour away currently. Could the new hospital include that?		
341	19/10/17 1:45PM ID: 66000007	<p>Question 2 - But you must have a bus service. We don't all have cars</p> <p>Other comments - Please publish the result of this survey</p>		
342	19/10/17 1:51PM ID: 66000407	The existing hospitals are very good. If you do wish to spend all that money, simply update the existing buildings etc		
343	19/10/17 2:04PM ID: 66001372	due to the excessive building around Lydney in excess of 700 houses, also coleford, we need this new hospital in an area that can be accessible to local people by public transport and is big enough to cope. Because especially in Lydney the doctors surgeries cant now		
344	19/10/17 2:09PM ID: 66001989	As cinderford is the centre of the Forest, this location should be considered as transport is more accessible, as a new college and asda. Also other businesses on northern estate. What a good opportunity to have a hospital. It is level, no hills for disabled or older people to climb. Easy access for all		
345	19/10/17 2:20PM ID: 66002494	<p>Question 3 Will the larger hospital be able to continue the family feel of our smaller hospitals? or will it turn into another clinical GRH like a factory?</p> <p>Other comments - These are valued hospitals with the personal family feel which is very important when you are in your hour of need. please re invest in what we have</p>		
346	19/10/17 2:27PM ID: 66003137	<p>Question 1 - Do agree we need up to date modern hospital facility. all departments ie physiotherapy, out patients appointments in one place</p> <p>Other comments - Concerned how Lydney hospital use of beds i.e not always available for LOCAL people as many beds are used for patients from as far as Stroud, Gloucester etc. I think we have a wonderful NHS in our area, so please consider LYDNEY as approved site. Having very elderly mum with dementia very concerned no hospital in Lydney.</p> <p>Lydney would benefit the new development</p>		
347	20/10/17 10:05AM ID: 66043419	<p>This is all focused on cost and pragmatic issues. I.e MORE BEDS than we have at BOTH hospitals. MORE TRAINED specialist staff / Outpatients / more training. MRI for the Forest / more OPERATIONS carried out HERE.</p> <p>Circular bus to Medical centre in forest pharmacist ON SITE MENTAL HEALTH</p>		

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		<p>CLINIC or Therapist and LYDNEY neighbourhood plan includes "wish" for a new medical centre. How's this going to factor in with your plan to place one hospital possibly in Lydney?</p> <p>Using this weight stiff paper (Card) makes more difficult and more expensive to post. Please use A4 standard copying paper for easier use</p>		
348	20/10/17 11:07AM ID: 66046386	<p>It is already clear from comments that people in the Forest of Dean recognise the proposed NHS changes as a reduction in services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fewer hospital beds - Only one hospital for the whole area - more travel - fewer beds locally so more hospitalised in Gloucester, so many visits there for patients and family. - Travel across the Forest to the new hospital <p>They expected to see appreciable improvements to balance the losses,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - but there was no prospect of the maternity services long desired - no promise was given of specific improvements in diagnostic, feedback or treatment services to be offered, e.g will some of the scanning services for which they now travel to Gloucester / Cheltenham be available at the hospital, (surely possible with the improvement in technology for hand held scanners at least) will regularly monitoring / check ups take place locally, will even minor injuries clinics be available full time, will a Dr. be on hand there? <p>They can see that no increase in funding is available.</p> <p>They can see that a large part of the argument given for the change is improved working conditions for the providers, but little improvement for local patients promised except for a costly new building. could our money be better spent here on immediate improvements?</p> <p>They have no confidence that appreciable improvement in home care facilities is fundable or that it can really meet the need for experienced nursing support.</p> <p>Even within the Health Service will the proposed changes solve the problems? Might not expansion of diagnostic and treatment services in local Health Centres and surgeries better satisfy local need near homes, cutting down wasted time and travel, whilst retaining beds in one of the existing remodelled sites. how important are buildings? I would rather have two up to date scans, now, in portacabins or caravans at health centres than only one in a building at the same cost, some time in the future.</p> <p>Centralization seems advantageous for the provider of goods or services. it saves money by putting things in one place. In fact, it passes more of the cost on to the receiver in the forms of time and transport and onto community in terms of lost time and provision of transport facilities. For the health services it also hugely increases demands on ambulances, and leads to missed appointments and untended or worsening illness.</p> <p>The impact of centralization in the health service for patients and their families is not isolated. it is just one of the forms of centralization imposing more problems. my council offices are further away, to register a birth or death I must go somewhere else again, further away. The high street shops have closed, so go to town to buy anything if you want to see what you are buying before handing over the money. Services advertised in the telephone book or other advertising booklets are 20, 30,40 miles away, so there is extra cost in time and travel if you consult them. A bank adviser comes from Birmingham as the local branch closed. Police drive in and out occasionally.</p> <p>Replacing two small hospitals by one is more centralization. for the providers in Gloucester it is simplification, improvement, efficiency. for the Foresters, it would be added difficulty. There will still be Gloucester Hospital or Cheltenham as the main site to visit, plus trips across the Forest. Who will take them? Family cares are in use to get to work - Bristol, Newport, Cheltenham, Gloucester, Hereford. There's pressure on everybody of working age to find a job now - not many women at home all day, and more elderly at home without care and alone. For the community it would mean</p>		

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		<p>much more traffic on inadequate roads, more fumes, more congestion, more noise, more dirt.</p> <p>I've worked, in education, where establishments of higher education and further education, thirty miles apart, were amalgamated. it did not work. Courses, skills, management methods, time, dislocation, all created problems. One site was closed down and courses concentrated on the other with great upheaval in redundancies, change of courses, loss of skills. Above all, a new educational establishment of higher education was created with an income on the old further education pattern i.e much less than before. It only worked at all because dedicated staff worked under impossible pressures and long hours to maintain the standards they felt students deserved. Money went into new buildings - real estate. Many years and funding changes later it has some equilibrium.</p> <p>- Isn't the same sort of pressure / Strain on staff what the NHS is already experiencing?</p> <p>- What money is allotted to the proposed single FoD hospital? How much less in real terms than is now available for the two?</p> <p>- The FoD hospital will still be subsidiary in staffing to Gloucester. does subsidiary site working or amalgamation really work efficiently for both sites when staff are to be shared? Particularly when sites are 20+ miles apart on secondary roads.</p> <p>I also remember that one of the main reasons the police wanted a new station in Lydney was because the roof leaked. No money had been spent on building maintenance for years. They got a new building, used it for a few years, then abandoned it. How long will the new hospital last? Will it be downgraded to an out of town health centre?</p> <p>FEWER BEDS - People do want to stay at home when they are ill, with their family and familiar surroundings. But there are no longer "surplus" women at home to provide care. Attempts are made to support home care with facilities and carers, BUT it will always be inadequate in staffing numbers and costs and only a partial replacement for hospital care for families trying to support loved ones and overwhelmed by the responsibilities imposed on them and inadequacies they feel. They are inexperienced and not trained nurses. Nor are most carers. DO NOT THINK that providing "home care" can be a replacement for nursing.</p> <p>LOCATION - FoD has no central community. A new hospital will necessarily be outside a town centre. GP surgeries should remain in the town centres, accessible on FOOT for many patients, near pharmacists and shops. Regular public transport to outlying sites cannot be guaranteed.</p> <p>Well as Coleford has been given District Council Offices, Police Station and Recycling Centre, Cinderford given the 6th form / Technical Education Centre and Civil Registration Offices (and is nearest to Gloucester), while Lydney is getting a few thousand extra houses (multiplier X 4 individuals?) partly on the basis of having a railway station, the new hospital should obviously be in Lydney. Staff can come by train from Gloucester and cut road pollution!</p>		
349	20/10/17 12:19PM ID: 66057545	I am concerned about the proposed number of beds in a new hospital being likely to be in the 20's. With an ageing population, people living longer and more houses being built, has this also been fully calculated for the need of the 2030's?		
350	20/10/17 12:19PM ID: 66058438	Waste of Paper!!!!		
351	20/10/17 12:41PM ID: 66059017	I imagine the decision has already been made and this consultation is merely a paper exercise - rather expensive as it is. I suggest you take note of many letters in local press from local people, so far, apart from Mark Harper, none in favour.		
352	20/10/17 5:18PM ID: 66082598	The new hospital must have at least 50 beds plus a maternity unit.		
353	22/10/17 5:12PM ID: 66144066	We need modern facilities in the Forest of Dean. The two existing hospitals are not easy to get to unless you have a car, but public transport isn't a realistic option for me		

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		and my family. Outpatient clinics need to be reliable and run frequently enough. In my experience, the waiting times for appointments are often considerably longer than Gloucester, so don't make the Dilke or Lydney attractive alternatives. Minor injuries need to be a real alternative to A&E. Currently the X-ray facilities are not always available and the attitude of staff in the unit is not very "can-do"! When me and my family have gone to the Minor Injury unit we have often had to go back or ended up visiting A&E - doesn't give the right message when you are trying to stop people going to Gloucester and Cheltenham!		
354	23/10/17 7:57AM ID: 66159861	As a mother with small children I think it's important to keep minor injury & illness services local & ensure good out of hours services. I also think it's important that older people/people with long term illness can access help without ending up in A&E.		
355	23/10/17 10:54AM ID: 66170576	The questions so far are leading and I am not able to express myself as I would wish.		
356	23/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66184945	The initial problem of finding beds for patients from Gloucester, Stroud, Cheltenham etc needs to be a priority. Also enlisting more staff for hospitals and home visits. Forest hospitals were meant for forest people		
357	23/10/17 1:49PM ID: 66185458	It is an open secret that all the doctors in the Chepstow area advise patients (if they cant get an appointment to go to Lydney. There is a nurse practitioner there - and the hospital has long opening hours to see people in pain. We have used Lydney A&E many times as it is difficult to see a doctor within 6 days. No one ever wants to go to the Gwent!!		
358	23/10/17 2:01PM ID: 66186094	Question 3 - But - As the existing hospitals DO NOT have a public transport from all areas of the forest, this would have to change. Also car parking for more than they provide at the moment. Lydney is expanding by at least 750 houses over the next few years, I expect Coleford and Cinderford will expand as well. So your figures for estimated population by 2025 are rubbish. Other comments - If one hospital is built it must have an A&E dept, goof enough public transport and large car park. also enough beds for Forest of Dean patients		
359	23/10/17 2:09PM ID: 66187333	Question 1 - Very much		
360	23/10/17 2:11PM ID: 66187521	We need a modern hospital, to include all the facilities presently available at the two hospitals to be replaced and specially designed with more than 24 beds (not influenced by the needs of other areas)		
361	23/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66188362	Question 1 - Provided that the benefits are used to improve community social care		
362	23/10/17 6:18PM ID: 66207449	I note you do not have an option of 'none of the above' with the selection of a site. That presumes you get the go ahead for a new site. I foresee a hospital similar to Chepstow. Where it started off great, with a minor injuries unit, recovery wards, x-ray accessible on the day it was required. Now, no minor injuries, x-rays have to be booked well in advance , wards being shut, not even the local dementia ward is safe there. Are you planning on building a unit so that it is attractive to investors to sell off at the earliest opportunity. That is the only reason I can see for building something not suitable for the Forest of Dean.		
363	23/10/17 7:40PM ID: 66211694	Update current hospitals Would cost less! I believe they want to sell the valuable land the hospitals are located on. The current locations are perfect and well used- why change!		
364	23/10/17 10:37PM ID: 66218066	You clearly won't listen to the opinion of the people who bother to take this survey. The questions are weighted towards a single hospital. Not a fair survey.		
365	24/10/17 8:45AM	Suggested site: With the move of the B&E campus of Gloucestershire College to the		

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	ID: 66228103	<p>Linear Park in Cinderford, this leaves a large, accessible, brown field site at Five Acres which could be suitable for a new hospital. There is room for expansion if required. It is situated on a main road, with good links to Gloucester if required. On an existing bus route. It may be more expensive than a green field site, but would make good use of the site. The current gym and sports centre/ pool facilities could be enhanced to provide rehabilitation and exercise therapies both for those in recovery and prevention of obese related conditions, such as heart disease, diabetes, stroke & dementia.</p> <p>There needs to be more joined up thinking between sport/leisure in the forest and the NHS/ council: enabling people to access facilities at reduced cost if in medical recommendation, even if only a walk through the woods. These facilities do exist, but need to be enhanced to cover evenings and weekends so they can be accessed by those at work.</p>		
366	24/10/17 11:23AM ID: 66240099	we realise that the existing hospitals in our forest are getting tired and are approaching the limit of their capability, so we do need new place/s to replace them.		
367	24/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66247830	<p>This proposal appears to be a foregone conclusion. Residents don't want this. Those who do not live in the Forest should not be considered - if I have to travel outside the Forest for my appointments, why should others not support our facilities by coming to Lydney or the Dilke? The NHS locally, and commissioning group has lost sight of what the NHS is for. It is not and should never be about money. Please restore and expand the two existing facilities.</p>		
368	24/10/17 2:01PM ID: 66252220	<p>Re Criteria - Section 10 To make this new facility a resource for all the Forest of Dean, public transport links are crucial. Existing services are infrequent and don't link up. It is easier for many residents of the forest of Dean area to get to Gloucester rather than Cinderford or Lydney</p>		
369	24/10/17 2:08PM ID: 66252715	<p>Two concerns a) will money allocated to this project be enough by the time the actual building begins. b) will enough money professionals come forward to staff this new project</p>		
370	24/10/17 2:16PM ID: 66253201	<p>Question 3 - Good accessible roads, free parking Population growth Provision for dementia patients</p> <p>Other comments - This is long overdue, the current hospitals restrict good patient care, layout, space no ensuite, small clinic rooms. Any future provision needs to consider dementia patients growing needs. 7 day diagnostics are needed</p>		
371	24/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66253931	Must have more beds as we have a growing population. Income generating things like pharmacy, coffee hop, not costa. Parking charges funds going to the hospital		
372	24/10/17 2:25PM ID: 66254390	Could the Dilke and Lydney hospitals be used as convalescent homes to off set the reduction in beds, otherwise the beds should NOT be reduced		
373	24/10/17 2:29PM ID: 66254586	reiterate - if the new hospital provides a 24 hour A&E facility		
374	24/10/17 2:40PM ID: 66254878	I do not believe the information or the questions in this consultation to be thorough enough. there is not enough information about the COSTS of both options (new sites and renovating old sites) and no form answer regarding if the new of beds would be reduced on a new site.		
375	24/10/17 2:42PM ID: 66255424	I think the Dilke site should be used for the new community hospital. It is in a good location, it just needs modernising. The Dilke site should not be sold off to private concerns; if this happens we would lose a great public facility for the Forest community. The Lydney hospital could be kept on until the redveloped Dilke is ready		

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		to re-open.		
376	24/10/17 5:40PM ID: 66268193	Just strongly feel that our hospitals should be kept in the community they have served for many yrs, admittedly they both need updating and more services available but this could be done with the money instead of rebuilding. Living in lydney all my life i personally feel this is obvious as it is so comforting to know that you can go local and not depend on others. We can even walk to the hospital if needed .		
377	24/10/17 9:09PM ID: 66277740	A single hospital would be great as long as there is 24 hour A and E with x ray machine. There must be more beds than at present.		
378	25/10/17 11:41AM ID: 66302794	social services are very short staffed now, how this is going to change for more home visits I do not know		
379	25/10/17 11:43AM ID: 66303173	The Forest of Dean's health provisions should be brought to 21st century standards		
380	25/10/17 11:47AM ID: 66303313	Lydney to Coleford areas are the farthest away from Gloucester Hospital Cinderford has 2 buses every hour to Gloucester. Lydney has only 1 bus every hour to Gloucester		
381	25/10/17 11:49AM ID: 66303623	About time this move on. It needs careful planning of the new building, to past the scrutiny of FORESTERS. BEST OF LUCK		
382	25/10/17 11:52AM ID: 66303818	The two existing hospitals could be extended and developed together with another hospital built strategically in the forest. HOW MUCH DID THIS POINTLESS SURVEY COST? IT WILL NOT BE USED		
383	25/10/17 5:16PM ID: 66325605	Have stated my views on previous page .		
384	25/10/17 9:21PM ID: 66336986	Hands off Lydney and Dilke!		
385	26/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66350704	I think the hospital needs to consider solar panels or a source or renewable energy. Under floor heating to remove the impractical radiator. More beds are required as the hospital is used but people all over the county not just the forest. Large office spaces for community team (ICT) to be located in one place (as this will happen in the future, makes more sense to incorporate this now than do this as a second thought in the future, also less upkeep if all under one roof). A 'day room' is needed if single room layout is going to be used as with other new hospitals, to support pt mental health and well being, as single rooms are very lonely.		
386	26/10/17 10:38AM ID: 66355559	Dilke versus Lydney		
387	26/10/17 1:59PM ID: 66365732	the two hospitals will give people from all over the frost better access from were ever we live		
388	26/10/17 3:11PM ID: 66371236	The money wasted on this fiasco would have put extra nurses in the hospitals.		
389	27/10/17 8:55AM ID: 66397500	The whole idea of replacing our two hospitals with one appears to me to be the brainchild of those who couldn't really care less about the Forest and, HALF AS MANY BEDS ? Is this from The Wizard of Oz ? - IF I ONLY HAD A BRAIN. Is someone really going to read all the survey submissions ?		
390	27/10/17 6:26PM ID: 66428209	Wider consultation is needed. Elderly/ disabled people may not full in the survey and they need the hospital most. Maybe door to door inquires or telephone calls to gain opinion/help with the survey (in an unbiased fashion). Some people will be unaware of the issue. People work in Gloucester and rarely go into the Forest towns. Possible posters in local pubs.		
391	28/10/17 7:11AM	The Forest needs new provision, but it is essential that the level of provision, in all		

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	ID: 66441074	aspects of the community hospital, is increased to keep things more local.		
392	28/10/17 8:12AM ID: 66441652	Sorry but I feel this is futile really ... you have made your decision and it is being driven by non local people and pure finance decisions. Already you make my 78 year old Dad drive every other week to Gloucester or Cheltenham for spots that could be at these hospitals this will not change if we had new facility		
393	28/10/17 10:31PM ID: 66461727	It is not financially viable to stop Vital Out Of Hour Doctor's in The Evenings or Weekends in The Forest of Dean! We have two Community Hospital's that are still running but not for Vital Services... They used to & it worked well. Save the 11 Million Pound & Open our own GP Practices in the Evenings & Weekends with Out Of Hour Doctors. Fund this instead...,		
394	30/10/17 9:41AM ID: 66505566	Include pharmacy and other income generating schemes. Coffee shop, restaurant, not costa, to generate income. All other disciplines like physio, podiatry, more beds than now to cope with increase in population.		
395	30/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66505789	I think that a new community hospital will only work in the forest of Dean if its centralised		
396	30/10/17 10:05AM ID: 66506234	Question 3 - Make it much bigger, lets get value for money. Population is living longer, what good is 24 beds? Will you be working with social services to make sure after discharge if a patient is deemed not able to look after themselves, there is somewhere for them. Its 2017 and there is no where , forward planning is needed for 2022 Other comments - The new hospital must be accessible to all, good transport links, private and public is the key Two old buildings outdated, leaking like a sieve. Build us a new bigger one, something the Forest can be proud of! Mr & Mrs Forest of Dean		
397	30/10/17 10:36AM ID: 66510318	Will it be big enough to cope with all the new houses being built		
398	30/10/17 10:39AM ID: 66510597	My main concern there isn't going to be enough beds		
399	30/10/17 10:41AM ID: 66510749	In the Forest for Foresters		
400	30/10/17 10:45AM ID: 66510935	I understand the need for a new facility as the two hospitals are old and not energy efficient and require more maintenance. However I cannot support the change should there not be the same amount of beds available.		
401	30/10/17 10:47AM ID: 66511275	I do not see any reference to a budget, or any calculated costs of the project. how is it to be funded?		
402	30/10/17 10:54AM ID: 66511866	When considering the location bear in mind how bad certain areas can become when it snows. Don't build it on an old mining area!		
403	30/10/17 11:01AM ID: 66512280	I hope this proposal does not waste public money on expensive consultancy trials. Plus the new hospital must have expansion as the population of the Forest is growing		
404	30/10/17 11:09AM ID: 66513083	The number of beds should be increased to approx 45. You should look at modular build. This will save you a lot of money to reduce build time. They are used UK wide for several NHS trusts. You can see them in Mitcheldean!!		
405	30/10/17 11:14AM ID: 66513346	Question 1 - As part of a total review and revamp of all health related provision throughout Gloucestershire Other comments I would like consideration to be given for the use of Dilke memorial hospital as an end		

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		of life care centre. This would assist in releasing beds at the new hospital for those who will be able to return home in time. Could this be provided through PFI?		
406	30/10/17 11:25AM ID: 66513880	What will the 2 present hospitals be used for? DEVELOPMENT These hospitals were / have been maintained by local people. For years League of friends, the amount contributed. What happens to all the equipment? Where will x ray / physio be based?		
407	30/10/17 12:57PM ID: 66521230	The Forest of Dean needs more professional people. I think people in care homes and Elderly people at home are being let down and are not getting the care they need		
408	30/10/17 1:03PM ID: 66521571	I am AGAINST a new community hospital at a time when we are in a recession. The local hospitals serve us well as they are. Don't waste money		
409	30/10/17 1:06PM ID: 66521914	With very little details its difficult to agree with the proposal. 24 beds totally inadequate. Obtaining local resident agreement to location will be extremely difficult. Keep one of the existing hospitals open for transition from main to home.		
410	30/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66522214	Question 2 - Not at present but will it provide better services in the future when we might need it? Also no maternity section. Other comments - Foresters are concerned that a new hospital site will leave possibly two highly desirable and financially lucrative sites! The Dilke was paid for by the miners and we have not been informed as to the whole financing picture. This is unacceptable who will benefit from the sale of the two sites??		
411	30/10/17 1:20PM ID: 66522807	Keep Dilke Memorial Hospital. It is providing an invaluable service within the forest of Dean		
412	30/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66523163	I regret having only just found the consultation booklet (October 24) and Newent's consultation time has long passed. I am impressed with some of our local facilities / GP practice, District Nurses, Rapid Response Team etc. I regret that the local bus services do not go to Coleford or Cinderford to access facilities in the Forest Centres.		
413	30/10/17 1:44PM ID: 66525002	Question 3 - The Dilke site is very central even though the population around it is small		
414	30/10/17 5:00PM ID: 66541119	Our community hospitals have served us well. Many people in the area find travel to Gloucester time consuming and expensive. However, both hospitals are old, need updating and must cost a lot of money. We deserve a new, modern, well equipped hospital but it must have enough beds to support an aging population.		
415	31/10/17 9:43AM ID: 66574028	It needs looking at very carefully I value all services very highly and am VERY grateful for them		
416	31/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66574491	Would like to see specialist palliative beds at new facility		
417	31/10/17 11:59AM ID: 66600811	Staunton and Corse are on the very verge of the Forest of Dean Area, residents may find Cinderford Coleford Lydney too far. It may be more than your recommended 30 minutes by car for these FOD residents		
418	31/10/17 2:25PM ID: 66628593	One modern hospital combining services is a sound idea, with any location there will be winners and losers but it is essential to have a good public service transport links from every part of the Forest area and ample affordable car parking		
419	31/10/17 2:27PM ID: 66630368	For those living in the North of The forest of Dean, a site near the centre would be preferable to one in the south or west		
420	31/10/17 8:53PM ID: 66661633	The whole marketing campaign displayed in you booklet stinks it is the soft words of a sly pick pocket. You want to shut one of our hospitals and lumber us with a indebted private building with less beds and further away generally from the people in it's catchment area. The NHS has been filled with management who's main concerns seems to be the market and budgets, this is not what our NHS should be you are trying to sell us a pigs ear dressed up as a silk purse. The Dilke was built and funded by the people here in the Forest, on paper the NHS may own it but it does not belong to them in the context of this plan.		

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421	01/11/17 9:03AM ID: 66683021	The business case is sound and I look forward to having consolidated Healthcare facilities within reasonable reach of my home.		
422	01/11/17 9:08AM ID: 66683367	This has the potential to be an asset to the forest if handled and is funded appropriately.		
423	01/11/17 11:37AM ID: 66690873	<p>One of the key things that I believe that the new hospital should address - is to have a well staffed, equipped MIU with doctor support. This would allow ambulances to take appropriate patients to be assessed and treated in the Forest, again reducing the attendance/ workload on Gloucester (GRH) and Cheltenham hospitals (CGH). As part of the above, there should be a patient assessment unit (with appropriate/shared equipment with MIU). This would allow patient to be referred by general practitioners, nurses, rapid response, ambulance service, health professionals etc. to be seen/assessed by a doctor, have, xray's , blood taken (with blood analysis machine, which would provide a rapid result and treatment) , ECG's, allow IV's to be done etc. It would be extremely beneficial if this assessment unit had exclusive access to 4 -6 (sub acute) beds. On the understanding that these bed are only provided for max 24 - 48 hrs occupancy. This would allow patients that requires monitoring, following injury, treatment etc (or for use by rapid response) from being transferred to GRH.</p> <p>With the projected increase in the elderly population over the coming years I believe that it is important that the bed capacity of the new hospital reflects this. We hear so much about bed blocking etc. at acute hospitals, this would hopefully assist this. I also believe that the new hospital should try to accommodate as many clinics as is possible as this would benefit the patients in the Forest and hopefully reduce the workload on clinics at Gloucester & Cheltenham.</p>		
424	02/11/17 11:21AM ID: 66763373	I understand that there will not be as many beds in the new unit as there are at the existing two hospitals. This is very short sighted, as the booklet explains there will be an increase in the elderly population, as this is the type of patient that is likely to be admitted to the hospital, surely it makes sense to ensure there are adequate beds. I do not believe the current number of beds is sufficient, with patients having to stay Gloucester Hospital, an increase may be more costly in the short term, but will be cost effect and also better for patients in the longer term.		
425	02/11/17 2:40PM ID: 66780969	Na		
426	02/11/17 7:00PM ID: 66796229	The best scenario is to keep or increase the number of beds in the new facility.		
427	03/11/17 9:34AM ID: 66818983	I would like to suggest that one of the hospitals is kept for the terminally ill who cannot be cared for at home		
428	03/11/17 9:36AM ID: 66819241	Question 3 - There should be more beds because our population is growing and getting older. There should be maternity wing		
429	03/11/17 9:59AM ID: 66820973	I think that it would be cheaper to maintain both with the budget that would be for a new		
430	03/11/17 10:03AM ID: 66821386	Current public transport is inadequate. It probably requires a circular bus like the 99 between Cheltenham and Gloucester. however the elderly and disabled are not able to get to relevant bus stops need to be considered		
431	03/11/17 10:07AM ID: 66821950	I think the forest of Dean is a large area and replacing 2 hospitals with one will put a lot of pressure on the roads and infrastructure		
432	03/11/17 10:11AM ID: 66822272	It would be VERY useful if the population could see via newspapers etc what Tewkesbury / Cotswolds have for their £11M. also detail of exactly what health provisions these hospitals have		
433	03/11/17 10:18AM ID: 66822870	Wherever located, just relying on current public transport is probably inadequate. Needs dedicated bus / route as 99 in Gloucester / Cheltenham		
434	03/11/17 10:25AM ID: 66823702	In the higlands there are maternity units an hour from a hospital. So please can a maternity unit be included?		

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435	03/11/17 10:33AM ID: 66824256	Lydney and Dilke hospitals are genuine community hospitals. The imposition of a new hospital will not elicit the support and loyalty enjoyed by the Dilke and Lydney hospitals, both of which deserve the investment apparently available.		
436	03/11/17 10:37AM ID: 66824782	Question 1 - If there is transport available and options for specialist treatment such as chemo and radio to be available in the Forest of Dean		
437	03/11/17 10:43AM ID: 66825419	No because you have already made up your mind		
438	03/11/17 10:45AM ID: 66825538	Question 3 - As Coleford is the main "hub" for public transport, it is the best choice		
439	03/11/17 10:47AM ID: 66825679	The result should be for the benefit of all the people of the Forest of Dean and future generations		
440	03/11/17 1:48PM ID: 66839787	I accept the need for a new Community Hospital and acknowledge the difficulties associated with redeveloping either of the existing sites. Of the two, I feel the Dilke - because of its location and historical legacy - could usefully continue to provide a valuable facility especially given my view that further consideration should be made regarding the provision of care needed in the Forest to better assist those with mental health conditions or in need of social care or hospice services. Regarding the latter there is currently no overnight bed provision and perhaps a small part of the Dilke could be retained to develop services that do not appear to be covered by the suggestion of a new single Community Hospital for the Forest. I accept there are cost implications for this idea but potential investment in these areas now could provide cost savings and better outcomes in the future.		
441	03/11/17 1:48PM ID: 66842228	I understand the need for a new hospital but I worry that, as a result, facilities and services will be diminished. Also can you please make sure that any new scheme includes adequate parking		
442	03/11/17 1:51PM ID: 66842648	I believe that COLEFORD is the most suitable location, if a site can be found as it is most central		
443	03/11/17 6:31PM ID: 66870490	as already stated earlier,		
444	04/11/17 8:50AM ID: 66893933	Services have gradually diminished i.e. reduced A&E hours, reduced x-ray service, generally weekend provision reduced etc. One of the key requirements of the new hospital should be to bring back these services to the forest of dean. There is an existing number of care beds in each site, the cumulative number of these beds should be maintained. Maternity beds would be a nice to have.		
445	04/11/17 5:43PM ID: 66912044	The Dilke Hospital should not be sold off. It was provided by the Forest of Dean coalminers for people in the Forest of Dean. If it is thought necessary, it could be updated, but not sold off.		
446	06/11/17 10:03AM ID: 66967219	I think the Dilke could be made bigger with less the ground around it to make room for more provisions and Lydney could be refurbished more like has been happening no need for another hospital use what we have already and make them better		
447	06/11/17 10:07AM ID: 66967898	I think this consultation is a waste of money because the Naylor report recommendations will over ride us all. I am concerned that the Dilke site will be sold off for private development to make unknown investors profit when the site was built on public subscription.		
448	06/11/17 12:35PM ID: 66985167	What guarantees would be made that the new hospital would be kept long term. New hospitals have a habit of being closed down (the new Chepstow community hospital. Full of empty promises		
449	06/11/17 12:47PM ID: 66986363	Question 1 - This is a big geographical area with relatively slow road infrastructure and restricted public transport		

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		<p>Question 5 - Discussion with other foresters & reading related newspaper articles</p> <p>Other comments - Need optimum facilities with flexibility and reactivity to changing needs in a central / accessible location and adequate capacity. no closure / redundancy during transition Know what services are already in place - Alarmed that childrens services are not mentioned in this consultation Keep free parking</p>		
450	06/11/17 12:51PM ID: 66987503	<p>Keep existing hospitals open until new one built No redundancies No mention of childrens services</p>		
451	06/11/17 12:56PM ID: 66988224	<p>Party political considerations must be avoided</p>		
452	06/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66988522	<p>Car parking should be free, Out patients appointments, though much improved should still be at Dilke. Accident and Emergency provision Chaplaincy provision as at GRH / CGH Because of its history and relationship to the Forest of Dean, The Dilke should be retained in some way Will it be on time and on Budget? Will there be a maternity unit?</p>		
453	06/11/17 1:10PM ID: 66989778	<p>Large hospitals can be frigid even though fitted with fantastic technology. Important to remember patients are people. Will there be spiritual facilities provided?</p>		
454	06/11/17 1:13PM ID: 66990313	<p>If built must have bus service or taxi service provided free, for non car owners or older people</p>		
455	06/11/17 1:21PM ID: 66990725	<p>Question 4 - I think local ideas should be sought. Gloucester planners do not live in the Forest area with its transport problems</p> <p>Other comments - I feel that the needs of the Forest would be served by updating the two local hospitals we have and if possible providing transport from out lying areas of the Forest.</p>		
456	06/11/17 1:25PM ID: 66991600	<p>As long as new facilities are not reduced and staffing increased to enable the merger of 2 minor injury units - A new modern facility can only be a good thing.</p>		
457	06/11/17 1:32PM ID: 66991913	<p>Question 2 - Location is very important as we live in the extreme south of the Forest of Dean</p>		
458	07/11/17 8:41AM ID: 67048332	<p>The number of proposed beds (24) seems much too low. Over the past few years (since 2003), I have had numerous occasions where elderly relatives have either :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Needed a local bed so that they can be somewhere safe for a few days to get over a fall or require minor treatment. 2. Have been admitted to Gloucester Royal/Cheltenham General and are nearly ready to go home but would benefit from being in a community hospital bed for a short time to ensure they are stable enough to return home. 3. Just need somewhere safe for a few days so that their state of health can be monitored and options considered. <p>In some 8/10 occasions since 2003 (the latest being this year), there has NEVER been bed availability at Lydney or Cinderford. This has meant the patient has had to be admitted to Gloucester or Cheltenham when there has been no real need or if admission to Gloucester/Cheltenham was necessary, have had to remain there longer than needed. This obviously also impacts on relatives wishing to visit. I am not alone in experiencing the above situation.</p> <p>Perhaps it is so well known that it is difficult to find a community hospital bed in the forest that it not even explored as an option and therefore does not reflect in the statistics. With a growing elderly population in the forest, it is essential that sufficient beds exist so as to minimise the need to occupy beds at Gloucester or Cheltenham. I would like to see at least the same number of beds as currently available at the new facility with much better use made of them</p>		

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		As for location, I would suggest the five acres site at Coleford. It is available (once the college has moved), is well located with regard to services/transport and the local population wanted the site to contain health facilities following the move of the college to Cinderford.		
459	07/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67077849	I think for the cost of building a new hospital, you can update the 2 existing ones in a short time		
460	08/11/17 10:21PM ID: 67185690	<p>Firstly I would like to praise the NHS for the recognition that services need to be improved in the Forest of Dean and the investment they are prepared to make - well done.</p> <p>I am less impressed with the consultation process itself. I believe it shows a clear lack of leadership and as a result you are in danger of trying to design a horse and end up with a camel no one wants !</p> <p>In my view the consultation should have been more clearly specified - as an example :</p> <p>Option A - build a new hospital</p> <p>1 Near Lydney with the following facilities WXYZ 2 Near Coleford with the facilities WXYZ 3 Near Cinderford with facilities WXYZ</p> <p>Option B - redevelop both existing hospitals to provide facilities XYZ and some W</p> <p>Option C - redevelop both hospitals and provide facilities W X and Y at Lydney facilities W X and Z at Cinderford</p> <p>Options D - retain both hospitals with on going maintenance</p> <p>Option E - close both and offer home services</p> <p>Option F - rebuild a new hospital at one or other location providing more specialist services and refurbish the other to maintain a more basic level of care and facilities.</p> <p>The consultation booklet should have more fairly laid out the pros and cons of each without bias favoring anyone. Once a decision on the options had been made by the public then more detail added along with costs and the impact of the decision with recommendations for a final consultation.</p> <p>While you will never get everyone happy with whatever decision is made at least it would allow you to better gauge public opinion rather than you express your views and expect others to agree.</p>		
461	09/11/17 9:45AM ID: 67216717	current staff should be consulted regards the outlay of each department as they have sound knowledge of how it runs		
462	09/11/17 9:59AM ID: 67217691	I think your comment that 24 beds is sufficient is naïve and very short sighted, failing to take into account recent uncontrolled immigration levels		
463	09/11/17 10:05AM ID: 67218067	I am content with current situation, however travelling to Gloucester / Cheltenham for a 10 minute consultation is a bind Site for new hospital, Don't forget Newent, needs to be near a main road route		
464	09/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67218633	If the hospital have to close! why not turn them into either CONVALESCENT HOMES thus freeing up beds in the general hospitals or a RES Hospice		
465	09/11/17 10:45AM ID: 67219046	<p>Question 4 - Forest of Dean District Council and People who know the area</p> <p>Other comments - Your population forecasts are way out I support option 2 using the current sites then you could save by not purchasing land and put the savings back into the hospitals</p>		

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		<p>Make comment boxes larger!!</p> <p>Who will be collating and analysing a cross section of Forest representatives will be included in the panel I hope</p>		
466	09/11/17 10:49AM ID: 67223320	The population is increasing and you wish to decrease beds? If you must build a new community hospital on one site, keep the beds at 40+		
467	09/11/17 11:16AM ID: 67224270	<p>worried about lack of nursing beds. Why no midwife led maternity unit? How many more babies have to be born in ambulances or public car parks on the way to Gloucester</p> <p>Also no mention of palliative care beds. If cancer patients, are not able to be nursed at home, they only other option seems out of area hospice care. Our local hospice does day care and out reach, but has no inpatient beds.</p>		
468	09/11/17 11:40AM ID: 67228029	We definitely need a Hospital in the forest that is open 24hrs and If we do get a new community hospital it must be made central.		
469	09/11/17 11:57AM ID: 67231247	Whether one or two hospitals, they should be built in such a way as to dispense with wards, a single room for each patient would help prevent spread of disease, improve sense of well being, ensure privacy, and improve situation for visitors, a happier patient will recover sooner		
470	09/11/17 12:45PM ID: 67235214	<p>Lydney would be the ideal site for the new community hospital.</p> <p>Lydney has the fastest growth in population making it the best long term planned option.</p> <p>Lydney provides the best access to residents within the Forest by road and bus. This is particularly important in bad weather.</p> <p>Lydney also provides the best access for those travelling from outside the area to visit friends and relatives by road and public transport. The rail links to Lydney Station are really valuable.</p> <p>The building of new facilities within Lydney to include GP surgeries, Health Centre and other outreach community services on one site, alongside the Community Hospital would provide a valuable foundation for modern, efficient, cost effective, joined up, health and care provision across the Forest.</p>		
471	09/11/17 12:54PM ID: 67238866	<p>Question 2 - As a retired health worker I have been greatly upset at having to lock up dying patients, left on their own, no overnight care, no interested relatives, why did they sent home from any hospital</p> <p>Question 3 - provided it can be accessed by public transport up to 22/24 hours</p> <p>Other comments - Why has this taken so long. Forest at bottom of the pile again. Probable need for more palliative care in local hospital</p>		
472	09/11/17 1:03PM ID: 67239314	The Dilke was built for the mining area of Cinderford and local community. However it should be approved to build one hospital, consideration should be made of putting it by the Blood Transfusion Hospital in Cinderford. The best option is number 2, share the 11 million between the two hospitals we already have.		
473	09/11/17 1:09PM ID: 67240416	Overall we lose beds, also a new x ray dept only opened this year. Waste of money to pull it down		
474	09/11/17 1:11PM ID: 67240924	Proposed new hospital not enough beds, considering our ageing population you are suggesting less than half what we already have		
475	09/11/17 1:19PM ID: 67241170	Both the Dilke and Lydney were built by the miners Welfare. They are both currently meeting the needs of the residents. Dilke has room to grow and be reconfigured, ample parking. If we need to get rid of one please keep the Dilke. Whatever happens, there needs to be more beds with an ageing population. We also need a maternity		

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		provision to allow Forest of Dean babies to be born here to maintain ancient rites (?)		
476	09/11/17 1:25PM ID: 67238501	I fully support the building of a new Community Hospital in Lydney, alongside a range of other medical facilities which would provide a long term holistic approach to meet the needs of the whole population across the Forest of Dean. Lydney provides the best access through road and public transport links both within the Forest and for visitors. The rail links are invaluable for people travelling into the area. Lydney has the highest growth in population making it the best option for long term planning.		
477	09/11/17 2:36PM ID: 67249425	The proposed number of beds in a new facility is areal concern. Since 2011 there has been an 8% reduction in the number of beds provided within the NHS. I strongly believe that the evidence of a rising and increasingly elderly population within the Forest Of Dean requires more not fewer bed provision within any proposed new facility		
478	09/11/17 4:13PM ID: 67258842	you will do want you want anyway		
479	10/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67320597	New facility envisages "at least 24 beds" (* very small print, bottom of page 11). Lydney currently has 21 beds; Dilke has 26 beds. How can 23 fewer beds ever be considered as an 'improved service'? Unless perhaps in-patient facility is to be restricted to F-o-D residents only, and not available for those elsewhere in Gloucestershire. This, however, was said at the meeting would NOT be the case! I'm a regular visitor at the Lydney Hospital, and I don't seem to recall seeing ever less than 80% of full occupancy. What about the need for urgent Maternity Services - Gloucester is much too far to travel if delivery is approaching 'imminent'.		
480	10/11/17 2:08PM ID: 67335472	It is clear that the public consultation will not change a decision that has clearly already made. The lead time stated serves to prove that plans are already well advanced. A more honest approach would be to state overall services are being reduced and cut		
481	10/11/17 2:13PM ID: 67336122	Question 2 - Except currently Glos. Care Services already run 2 community hospitals in the Forest of Dean and provide a range of community based services		
482	10/11/17 2:18PM ID: 67336629	I would like to see a new hospital with maternity facilities, operating theatre etc as per Gloucester Royal. Why should we be made to travel for a minor purpose. Also the bed numbers you propose is absolutely not worthy of a new hospital. We might as well keep what we have (2 hospitals) if you cannot propose anything better. Population is expanding by the years. Think of the future. WE WANT A PROPER HOSPITAL NOT HALF A ONE		
483	10/11/17 2:24PM ID: 67337157	I am unsure of the relevance of comments relating to Newent who are far likely to use facilities at Gloucester Royal than those in the Forest. Transport links to any new hospital are vitally important especially to those people not currently living on a public transport route. The proposed reduction in the number of beds could have a further detrimental effects on so called bed blocking. Could some provision be made for convalescence, which could alleviate some at least of this problem and could be staffed by less qualified nurses		
484	10/11/17 2:30PM ID: 67338399	Question 3 - But the most important is access to local public transport Other Comments - I wish there could be facilities provided locally for maternity care		
485	10/11/17 4:44PM ID: 67351959	The existing hospitals in Lydney and Cinderford should be retained and converted to nursing homes, or sold and nursing homes built. There is not enough beds allowed in the new hospital - it is approximately half of the beds available in Lydney+Dilke at present, and even with this level, patients are not able to get a bed in either of the hospitals and are sometimes sent to the other side of		

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		the County. There are 2000 new homes being built in Lydney, and that is expected to increase when the Severn Bridge Tolls are abolished at the end of 2018, and people start to move out of Bristol (where the property prices are very high) to the Forest.		
486	10/11/17 5:08PM ID: 67351651	No mention has been made regarding maternity services.		
487	10/11/17 8:29PM ID: 67366663	The location of the hospital is one of main considerations, in that it must be accessible by public transport from all areas of the Forest of Dean. The other critical concern is that there is no loss of the total number of beds across the current two hospitals.		
488	11/11/17 6:15PM ID: 67402016	The location seems to be the main issue. Also "The Friends" of both hospitals have raised money for their local community and it should be used in this way. How???		
489	13/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67468260	As stated earlier there is a need for two hospitals to serve the Forest of Dean due to the large geographical location which was proven on two previous occasions.		
490	13/11/17 2:33PM ID: 67488228	THE FOREST OF DEAN HAS 2 HOSPITALS 47 BEDS SUPERB CARE ALL YOU ARE OFFERING IS ENDOSCOPY AND SINGLE CELLS IS THIS REALLY WHAT WE DESERVE I THINK NOT		
491	13/11/17 11:38PM ID: 67527287	Our hospitals are of great importance to foresters. Do not forget that.		
492	14/11/17 9:10AM ID: 67540267	IT IS ABOUT TIME THE GOVERNMENT LISTENED TO WHAT ITS PEOPLE SAY...MARK HARPER OUR MP DOES NOT SUPPORT HIS CONSTITUENTS PROPERLY AND AS EXPECTED. HE IS A COMPLETE HYPOCRITE WHO SUPPORTS THE TWO HOSPITALS IN THEIR 'FRIENDS' GROUPS ENJOYING PHOTO CALLS ETC YET ALLOWS THIS NONSENSE.. LET OUR VOICES BE HEARD TRULY... SAVE OUR TWO HOSPITALS....		
493	14/11/17 11:14AM ID: 67552813	Foresters will object but they weren't keen on moving into the 21st century Just get on with improving services - for less cash one hopes		
494	14/11/17 11:26AM ID: 67552958	Question 2 - Greater than what? Question 4 - I do not know what you are talking about. Other comments - Strangely enough, if one is dependent on public transport to visit your venues, this is impossible for villagers. Where are our venues? I would like to see the number for and against, by age group, and as a percentage of the forest population - Also the cost of this survey. The vast majority of local people favour an advanced STATUS QUO, who can say whether there will be the finance or even an NHS or stable Government in the near future		
495	14/11/17 11:51AM ID: 67554742	The Dilke was built for the mining community and local area. However if it should be approved to build only one hospital, Consideration should be made by putting it by the blood transfusion hospital in Cinderford		
496	14/11/17 11:59AM ID: 67556312	Question 4 - But you will not ask us Other comments - This is just a PR scheme to make you feel good. You should have vote like election so what goes on can be seen		
497	14/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67557030	Taking my husband to Cinderford took 45 minutes from GL19. no buses to FOD, I still drive and don't hang around. Difficult country roads are impossible in a hard winter		
498	14/11/17 12:09PM ID: 67557621	not sure when I attended the meeting, however we need a new hospital Not answered - will there be a surgical theatre - ward. We so need one for minor ops. Could this be considered		
499	14/11/17 12:16PM	The accompanying booklet is very clear and well set out but needlessly expensive -		

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	ID: 67557825	high quality paper, large photos of the FOD that are not really relevant to the case. Money saved could have been better spent on health education.		
500	14/11/17 12:19PM ID: 67558328	Maternity unit / outpatients / More beds		
501	14/11/17 12:23PM ID: 67558461	If you are going to spend all this money on a new hospital, it should be future proof. Please take into consideration the fact that the housing allocation for the area in the next 5 years is 6,000 therefore the population could increase by 24,000. Building less beds etc is surely not advisable		
502	14/11/17 12:26PM ID: 67558811	Both the Dilke and Lydney are situated in lovely areas both have space for new building and extensions and both the old buildings should be refurbished. And we need a local maternity unit back		
503	14/11/17 12:34PM ID: 67559017	Where will all moneys given to Dilke and Lydney go? Will it be pouched back into new hospital?		
504	14/11/17 12:36PM ID: 67559553	If a new hospital is being built I suggest a central location ie berryhill campus grounds as buses actually drive on this route reasonably regular from Cinderford etc		
505	14/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67559704	I am in my 70""s and suffer from a number of long-term complaints. I can no longer drive, so have to rely on members of my family to take me to the numerous appointments I have. These are mainly at Gloucester Royal, occasionally at Cheltenham General [depending on the department] and, very occasionally, I have been able to go to the Dilke, where one can get an X-Ray or attend the A & E clinic without having to wait all day, and my husband can take the dog for a walk at the same time. Very relaxing.		
506	14/11/17 1:26PM ID: 67563717	as this is (probably) a done deal, I don't know why you bothered		
507	14/11/17 1:51PM ID: 67564445	1. consider accessibility by public transport as a significant factor 2. I suggest calling the new hospital "the new Dilke" as this will give more of an impression of continuity and make the public more sympathetic		
508	14/11/17 1:55PM ID: 67566080	This is not a consultation when aim is to push forward your own views		
509	14/11/17 2:30PM ID: 67567097	you should have held public meetings, in large halls the representatives in your different information outlets all contradicted each other when asked the same question in different locations on different days, a very poorly thought out consultation, delivered by badly prepared staff.		
510	14/11/17 5:14PM ID: 67582814	staff at the Q & A session did not appear to be fully conversant with what was happening and attendees felt that they should have had more training		
511	14/11/17 5:33PM ID: 67583923	NHS staff were not interested in any other suggestions but a new facility and obviously did not know full facts about the present 2 hospitals plus they gave the meeting wrong information		
512	14/11/17 5:39PM ID: 67584821	What would happen to the 2 hospital sites if a new hospital is built ?		
513	14/11/17 5:56PM ID: 67585222	because I ran out of room on the first box suggest you make your boxes bigger if you are truly interested in the opinion of the public. I will continue, I was transferred home, where I live alone but with voluntary daily check from my friends not NHS, only because of the excellent care from the local hospital and local carers I am still here to answer this survey. allocate the £11m to the 2 local hospitals who will do a great deal more with it than a new inadequate facility		
514	14/11/17 8:52PM ID: 67596258	As with every other decision, people are sat in ivory towers making these decisions, it doesn't matter about the people it's just about making numbers add up and justifying their large salaries.		
515	15/11/17 12:30PM ID: 67636179	EVEN IF I LOSE MY JOB, I AM STILL IN FAVOUR OF "ONE" HOSPITAL, WHICH WOULD HOPEFULLY BRING MORE SERVICES TO THE FOREST AS A WHOLE		

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		IT MAY EVEN OPEN UP MORE JOB OPPORTUNITIES, IN THE LONG RUN, WHO KNOWS.		
516	15/11/17 12:50PM ID: 67638210	Please,please let us have a new modern hospital with what local people need under one roof in one convenient location!		
517	15/11/17 2:08PM ID: 67644699	Well over due the need to improve health care facilities in the Forest to support a much widener population and prevent so many having to travel out of the Forest for care and treatment.		
518	16/11/17 8:25AM ID: 67699651	See my previous statements its simple		
519	16/11/17 10:23AM ID: 67708046	I do hope that there will be a way of keeping the small centres alive - there could surely be lots of ways in which their efficiency could be improved.		
520	16/11/17 1:31PM ID: 67724519	A community Hospital is definitely needed in the Forest and I can understand the reasoning for building a new one. It definitely needs to be accessible for all with plenty of parking space. I don't object to a small parking charge if this goes to funding the hospital.		
521	16/11/17 1:41PM ID: 67721913	I think that although the involvement of the community has been good in terms of the presentations etc, it is a pity that the consultation booklet has so little detail about the recommended option, which has given rise to a large number of questions (including at the presentation I attended). There is very little detail about the nature of the services, out-of-hours care, what is happening to staff, transport issues, the rationale for providing a minimum number of beds totalling roughly half what is currently provided (and this number hidden away in a footnote in small print on one page). It means that from the booklet alone residents of the Forest have insufficient information to come to an informed decision about whether they agree with the recommendation - they may support or oppose it on inadequate grounds. Moreover, if there is inadequate information, and the questions they have are inadequately answered in the booklet alone, then they may be more likely to oppose it in favour of the status quo. One paragraph summarising the benefits of the proposed option is simply not enough.		
522	16/11/17 6:28PM ID: 67748324	A new hospital needs to be as future proof as possible and be suitable for all age groups.		
523	17/11/17 6:16AM ID: 67768480	Help facilitate greater resources for the provision of care in the forest of dean		
524	17/11/17 8:14AM ID: 67771484	Lydney is without a doubt the best option for a new community facility. Notwithstanding, that it at present has the best transport infrastructural links it also will deliver 80 per cent of all potential new housing build in the Forest of Dean.		
525	17/11/17 9:34AM ID: 67776591	Its a done deal		
526	17/11/17 9:28PM ID: 67829280	I think land adjacent to the A48 (just off Lydney bypass) would be a great site for a new hospital. Ease of travel for patients, visitors & staff.		
527	19/11/17 3:40AM ID: 67868464	I strongly oppose the idea of replacing our two local hospitals with one. My opinion is based on the reduction of bed numbers. The alternative suggestions for dealing with patients needing medical care. The pushing of the idea of a State of the Art hospital implying that the care given by the existing hospitals is inadequate and could not be improved. We need general hospital services in the Forest and accept that conditions requiring specialist equipment and expertise requires travelling to larger centres. Concern over loss of jobs. I am also sceptical about the opening up of an opportunity to sell two prime sites and concerned that the revenue from these two valued local assets would not be used for local health care.		

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528	20/11/17 10:47AM ID: 67919645	Question 2 - quite possibly a depleted service by the looks of it Other comments - If you do build a new hospital it should be at either Coleford / Cinderford at the centre of the Forest Not Lydney or other sites on the outer edges		
529	20/11/17 10:50AM ID: 67920705	The idea that 24 beds would be adequate is ridiculous, 30 - 35 would be more acceptable so long as they were only for local residents and not patients from further afield eg Glos, Cheltenham		
530	20/11/17 11:00AM ID: 67921468	Question 2 - Why waste money on a new hospital when we have two hospitals in the forest with more facilities now? Other comments - A total waste of money		
531	20/11/17 11:06AM ID: 67922093	This is a disgrace, you are removing services. you are killing the Forest of Dean		
532	20/11/17 11:11AM ID: 67922610	Extend and improve existing hospitals less travelling and waiting times Big is not always the best. Treated like a human being in local hospitals not like a number in larger ones		
533	20/11/17 11:14AM ID: 67922969	Keep local hospitals at same location and extend cheaper option. Add more facilities to local hospitals, save travelling and waiting times at Gloucester Hospital especially for Senior Citizens		
534	20/11/17 11:20AM ID: 67923371	Has the land next to the Co-op in Coleford been considered? Excellent idea, I know some traditionalists oppose but couldn't something such as a memorial be made of Dilke / Lydney. Forest of Dean needs new services		
535	20/11/17 11:25AM ID: 67923822	Dilke hospital was provided by the local community and Lydney by Bledisloe family. I consider both hospitals are needed and should be updated, expanded and remain		
536	20/11/17 11:28AM ID: 67924556	It is essential that the new hospital has the same or more beds that are currently available		
537	20/11/17 11:32AM ID: 67924867	This hospital needs to be sited where in easy reach of all patients with good easy access to bus routes. We had better services 20 years ago		
538	20/11/17 11:36AM ID: 67925252	Page 17 section 9 of the booklet "conclusion" says it all. In spite of denial it is a fore gone decision. A waste of precious money, a waste of our time, at least the presenters are paid, for what??		
539	20/11/17 11:42AM ID: 67925954	Question 3 - Lydney would be the preferable site I think - it is on a main road, transport - trains / Buses Other comments - I have lived in the Forest of Dean for 11 years and worked in both hospitals so I am aware of the constraints eg, not enough nursing staff, old building etc. One facility with staff from both hospitals would be a positive move		
540	20/11/17 11:46AM ID: 67926340	We need to retain two centres in the Forest due to the lack of transport. We would be better off as part of Herefordshire!		
541	20/11/17 11:50AM ID: 67926821	Opinions of NHS employees, current and retired should be taken into account		
542	20/11/17 11:55AM ID: 67927341	Question 4 - although I agree in general, I am concerned that good public transport is put in place especially in light of recent cutbacks of some bus services. I also feel a lot more emphasis should be put into accessible future requirements		
543	20/11/17 12:01PM ID: 67927945	The Victorians built the sewers in London over sized. Lets hope this as an example to make a larger hospital for the future the population is getting bigger (lets think about this)		
544	20/11/17 12:04PM ID: 67928283	I expect it has already been decided to build one anyway so this is probably all a waste of time and money		
545	20/11/17 12:06PM	Question 3 - Accessibility will be important, also a large enough and free car park		

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	ID: 67928579	Other comments - Really pleased to hear you are also consulting with children, young carers etc		
546	20/11/17 12:22PM ID: 67929369	The location for a new facility is potentially very contentious. I feel that there needs to be some local involvement but that the decision needs to be made by a neutral party applying the criteria.		
547	20/11/17 1:28PM ID: 67934952	My personal preference would be for the single hospital site to be located at Cinderford. I also feel that this is the fairest solution for the whole area. I would also like local people's views to be given the great weighting in making the decision.		
548	20/11/17 1:58PM ID: 67939118	INVEST IN THE TWO EXISTING HOSPITALS		
549	20/11/17 6:32PM ID: 67951985	The proposal should be extended to include new uses of the current sites for identified specialist provision which includes maternity care, after care, mental health, rehabilitation, enablement and others as identified by patients, carers, NHS staff and health professionals.		
550	20/11/17 6:52PM ID: 67964055	The hospital needs to be in the centre of The Forest.		
551	20/11/17 9:31PM ID: 67972425	It is a shame that adequate funding is not available and has not been available to maintain the existing hospitals. It is inevitable that locals are going to find the loss of dilke and lydney unsettling. I hope that some of the current buildings are kept and redeveloped as demolition will cause further upset.		
552	20/11/17 9:46PM ID: 67972448	<p>The Dilke Hospital belongs to the people of the Forest of Dean, see the following: Following the death of the Forest's Member of Parliament Sir Charles Dilke in 1911, fund raising commenced to establish a local community hospital. The need for such a facility within the Forest had long been recognised as, prior to its completion, injured miners or other members of the public were taken to Gloucester Infirmary for hospital treatment, often with fatal results en route. The Dilke Memorial Hospital was built as a permanent memorial to the popular M.P. on a site near to the old Lightmoor Colliery close to Cinderford. The hospital first opened its doors in 1923 and was run for many years from funds raised by public subscription paid by local people. "The Dilke", as it is popularly known, now nestles in the heart of the Forest of Dean, and provides a range of traditional community hospital services to the local communities. Some of the individuals and organisations who contributed to the building and equipping of the hospital are listed below:</p> <p>Contributor Amount General Public £ 1,500 The Miners £ 873 The Red Cross £ 4,000 Sir Harry Webb (M.P. for the Forest of Dean, successor to Sir Charles) £ 3,000 The Commissioner of Woods £ 500 "An Estate in Bournemouth" £ 500 Miners Welfare fund £ 200 Promised from Miners Welfare fund £ 200 The total amount needed to build and equip The Dilke was £10,800 1925 extension 6,300 households contributing one penny a week. (Note: this would be "old pence" where 240 pennies = £1) Miss Lisa Frances Crawshay £ 1,000 Forest of Dean Miners Welfare Joint District Committee £ 1,000</p> <p>It is not in your gift to close it, it simply does not belong to you. I suggest expanding both hospitals on their present sites, and adding a birthing unit at The Dilke.</p>		
553	20/11/17 11:04PM	I believe that Lydney is the best place. It has the A48 to get people to GPH or over to		

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	ID: 67975250	Bristol if required. In bad weather, snow etc the impact is always less in Lydney. There is a snow line around Bream where the weather changes. In the winter staff would struggle getting to work in Berry Hill or Cinderford. Lydney has planning permission granted for many houses and so is about to expand. I also think the estimated population figures are wrong as I believe the proposed houses would increase the population more than you have estimated. This is difficult to measure accurately as you have not defined the population. Is it the Forest of Dean Council area? But people in Newent would go to Gloucester rather than a Forest hospital. There is also the population of Chepstow who would be likely to use a minor injuries unit in Lydney. The hospital needs to provide the services the population needs such as out patient appointments, endoscopy, dialysis, chemotherapy, minor surgery, X-ray etc. The number of beds, I disagree with the suggestion of reducing them as I know there are rarely empty beds in either Lydney or the Dilke. As a District Nurse I know how difficult it can be for GPs to get a patient into the community hospitals. I understand that at times beds are used by patients from outside the Forest but also patients from the Forest get moved from GRH to Tewkesbury or Dursley. Acute hospitals are bulging at the seams. Southmead Hospital for example replaced Frenchay and the old Southmead and they lost around 400 beds. I go there regularly and they are now squeezing an extra bed into the 4 bedded bays. These patients have no curtains, no call bells, no room for lockers. Very poor planning. Please ensure you have capacity to expand the number of beds if required. I am concerned about what will happen to the Dilke as I know it is important to the Foresters. It would make a good Care home or hospice or rehab facility. I think a good site would be off the A48 near buses, the station and within walking distance of town.		
554	20/11/17 11:09PM ID: 67975757	I have never missed the fundraising fete for Lydney Hospital in my 29 years. My grandad supported it throughout his life, and near the end of his life, Lydney Hospital supported him. By taking away the hospital, you will be taking away the beating heart of a community. You only need to attend the fete to see how important it is to the people of Lydney. Thousands is raised every year to keep it open, and improve its services - you will not have that sort of support if you go ahead with this farce.		
555	20/11/17 11:30PM ID: 67976830	Sack jemery hunt		
556	20/11/17 11:32PM ID: 67976628	I strongly feel that the final decision should be made by local people with information from the experts As it will be LOCAL people who will be using the services not the suits in the NHS more focused on cost cutting and profit		
557	21/11/17 8:31AM ID: 67987636	No further comments		
558	21/11/17 9:31AM ID: 67993018	You are not following government pledge of health change being Cant read writing ???		
559	21/11/17 9:43AM ID: 67995624	I hope somebody reviews these forms		
560	21/11/17 9:53AM ID: 67996084	In choosing the process for a recommendation I would expect the views of local people to be taken into account		
561	21/11/17 9:58AM ID: 67997039	I think it should be in Lydney or Coleford NOT Cinderford not central enough		
562	21/11/17 10:24AM ID: 67997738	Dilke and Lydney hospitals should be kept as both are necessary due to the geographical lay out of the forest area. The estimated population figures quoted for 2025 88,074 will be nearer 100,000 taking in the building quota that as t be met by Lydney and the Forest plus an influx of people from Bristol when the tolls cease on the Severn Bridge crossing		
563	21/11/17 11:02AM ID: 68002834	I am in favour of maternity facilities retuning to the forest and far more localised outpatient treatment. There should be no reduction in the number of beds available and in-patients should be located somewhere their relatives can visit them on public transport.		

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564	21/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68003760	Gloucester and Cheltenham are both more than an hours drive from many locations in the Forest, with limited accessible public transport. Review appointments should be dealt with locally by local hospital (s) near the community they serve		
565	21/11/17 11:43AM ID: 68007713	It is vital that there is an accessible hospital in the Forest of Dean. It is not always possible to get to Gloucester due to transport, weather and road conditions		
566	21/11/17 11:48AM ID: 68007459	I agree with one hospital on a central location.		
567	21/11/17 12:09PM ID: 68007840	It is important to indicate the services that we will get in a new facility, that are not currently being provided. Given the current bed provision and usage, and the situation in adjoining areas, minimum bed provision of 24 would appear to be inadequate and reliant on provisions in other areas. It is therefore suggested that this is reviewed, with strong input from clinicians and a recognition of the demographics and that there is currently a hidden demand which is not being met.		
568	21/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68016351	Lydney site is plainly fully developed, Cinderford site has ample space for extension. Staff spoken to seem to agree. There are claims that a site near Lydney has already been earmarked for a new hospital		
569	21/11/17 1:20PM ID: 68016837	A new community hospital is needed in the forest. However I hope the Dilke and Lydney hospitals will still have a community use. I would be interested in giving a community / user input in to the planning and development stages		
570	21/11/17 1:28PM ID: 68017061	There is a great support for the status quo. Not enough has been done to persuade Foresters that this is a chance to improve services. No one has explained how services delivered at home with i.e I.T and prevention services will be a better option than the existing hospitals - More joined up services are essential. I'm afraid that this consultation exercise is a wasted opportunity but hope that I am wrong		
571	21/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68017634	Question 3 - Must be central, must have sufficient and free parking		
572	21/11/17 1:42PM ID: 68018062	I think the current consultation is rather vague in detail. There is great support for the current local hospitals and whilst I welcome the chance to have modern and fit for purpose clinical services I have not been reassured by the content set out in the consultation papers.		
573	21/11/17 1:45PM ID: 68019125	Question 1 - Reluctantly as the Dilke saved husbands life		
574	21/11/17 1:50PM ID: 68019262	We need MORE beds not less! An aging population and a potential housing boom when the severn bridge fees are stopped! A midwife led birthing centre makes sense too		
575	21/11/17 5:08PM ID: 68036187	I think it is an excellent idea to amalgamate the 2 hospitals. The current hospital provision is old, not fit for purpose and in the case of the Dilke, in the middle of nowhere. I have been to both hospitals to visit relatives and both were depressing, and not fit for the job. Even the nurses looked down. My mum worked at the Dilke and she has said the same and also agrees with the proposals. The people of the Forest need to realise that sometimes change is good, I have read some of the comments in local newspapers and to be honest a lot of the people commenting need to get out of the dark ages and embrace what they are being offered, a modern new hospital fit for purpose and incorporating modern nursing standards. The final say should go to the nurses who have to work in these tired hospitals, they are there all day every day, patients spend a limited amount of time there and then move on.		
576	21/11/17 6:30PM ID: 68043755	I think a modern hospital with up to date facilities is a good idea. Aslong as there are enough beds and it is fully equipt to meet the needs of the people of the forest of dean. I am worried that they will shut the old hospitals down and then change their mind about the new one, leaving us with nothing.		

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577	21/11/17 9:13PM ID: 68056615	Unable to comment I have only read what was written in the press locally		
578	21/11/17 10:17PM ID: 68061250	If a new hospital saves money in the long run then I'm all for it		
579	22/11/17 7:03AM ID: 68071969	The Friends of each hospital are never going to agree ...there has always been such competition between the two. The New hospital will have to be built in coleford area . What will happen to the thousands of pounds local people have given to the two groups.		
580	22/11/17 9:17AM ID: 68078121	Please stop mucking about with forest facilities !! NHS has just spent loads on updating the Dilk !! The buildings and structure of both Lydney and Dilk are there , to build a new place is not economic !!		
581	22/11/17 9:25AM ID: 68078094	Can only reiterate what I have already said		
582	22/11/17 9:41AM ID: 68080245	We need a modern health facility covering the Forest - the present buildings are outdated and it makes sense to concentrate on one central site, easily accessible to all. I think it is important to provide at least the same number of beds as we have at present. We need access to as many clinics as possible locally, so we don't have to trek into Gloucester - send the consultants to us.		
583	22/11/17 1:18PM ID: 68100659	<p>I believe that there is always room to improve a current service. The 2 existing hospitals and staff do a fab job with limited and outdated resources. The future service needs to meet the requirements of their user base (whoever they are determined to be) Staff and Resoucrs should be allocated to meet these needs. There needs to be clear communication within the community and surrounding areas on what the new provision can and cannot do and which hospital or health care facility people should go when they have an accident.</p> <p>I would also like to see the existing buildings regenerated in some way to provide alternative community resources. Maybe a museum of health care in FoD or a daycare centre for our elderly?</p>		
584	22/11/17 3:30PM ID: 68111881	I am concerned that the number of beds will be an issue, both now and in the future.		
585	22/11/17 4:32PM ID: 68112259	<p>The Lydney and Dilke hospitals have served us well but are now inadequate, expensive and could be replaced by one unit with modern equipment and practices. Medical and nursing staff could work more efficiently in such a place. It would, however, need to be able to handle the work of the current two hospitals. This is not the time to economise and end up with one hospital which is not fit for purpose in the future. If the decision is made to have one hospital then it should be the best which can be provided as the opportunity to build another will not come again and large amounts of money would be wasted if it had to be closed because it was found to be inadequate. While the figure of a minimum 24 beds was mentioned, this needs to have input from GPs and other medical staff as it would seem to be ridiculously low.. Much thought should go into this topic. It cannot be ascertained from statistics alone. Apart from in-patient beds I wondered about provision of out-patient clinics and physiotherapy etc. We have not heard what else will be provided except an endoscopy clinic.</p> <p>One thing which concerned me at the presentation I attended was that FOD residents often ended up in Gloucester because Gloucester residents were in the Dilke or Lydney hospitals. Neither patients were where they should be or would want to be. It is not, therefore, just an issue of whether we have one or two hospitals but of a change in the system which allows such wrong practices to thrive. It is uneconomic to have empty beds but FOD residents should have priority of beds in their local hospital. Perhaps Gloucester needs to be told to supply its own community hospital. While it can save money by using ours it is not going to make the effort. Yes, FOD residents do use Gloucester hospital but this is for major issues and that is what major hospitals are for. They should not need to use a major hospital for issues which</p>		

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		<p>could be dealt with in their community hospital in the FOD. That would free up beds in Gloucester for more major issues and perhaps reduce the long waiting periods we currently experience.</p> <p>As always it is all about money and who is going to provide it. However, with such an important issue as the healthcare of a large community then surely the needs of the patients and medical staff treating them should take precedence. One thing is certain, we need to detail the real needs of the FOD community and build a suitable hospital which will serve them well into the future and which the original builders of our two hospitals would be proud.</p>		
586	22/11/17 5:00PM ID: 68118541	I am all for the new hospital, provided it has, at least, the same number of beds as the two existing hospitals and the clinics, such as the eye clinic and complex leg injury clinic. Offering a reduced service would only cause problems at Gloucester, such as bed blocking and longer waiting times.		
587	22/11/17 5:18PM ID: 68119085	YOU MUST TAKE INTO ACCOUNT WHETHER THE NEW HOSPITAL WILL HAVE EVERYTHING THE FOREST PEOPLE NEEDS NOT WHAT YOU THINK THEY WILL NEED.		
588	22/11/17 5:58PM ID: 68122238	A stand needs to be made to ensure the thing of declining services in the NHS. Where is the £350 million extra per week? Why are we investing in 5g connectivity when people are suffering and dying prematurely. Stand up for us, do the right thing and maintain and advance facilities across two sites.		
589	22/11/17 7:09PM ID: 68130952	Please maintain The Dilke it's important not only as a care facility but also as heritage		
590	22/11/17 7:29PM ID: 68132322	I don't think the consultation and survey have been publicised adequately. I came across this by accident and wasn't aware of the survey before this, despite being a local resident and having used both the Dilke and Lydney hospitals.		
591	22/11/17 8:00PM ID: 68134896	Older people are already suffering due to lack of social care in the community. Let's keep our local hospital and develop it for the increased in aging population.		
592	22/11/17 11:26PM ID: 68147432	<p>If there is ANY danger of politicians using this as an excuse to close the existing two hospitals and then backing out of providing the promised new accommodation, we would be better off hanging on to what we have.</p> <p>Avoiding expensive focus groups to design special logos etc is also essential.</p>		
593	23/11/17 3:56AM ID: 68151774	None		
594	23/11/17 9:25AM ID: 68163410	I only know The Dilke. That hospital certainly needs a lot of expensive TLC if it were to be brought up to modern day standards.		
595	23/11/17 9:55AM ID: 68165612	I feel that the site for the new hospital should provide easy access for all Forest of Dean people.		
596	23/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68166310	I welcome the development of a brand new community hospital for the Forest of Dean. It is my hope that the small minority of loud voices in opposition to this do not deny the rest of the residents of the Forest of Dean this wonderful new facility. Perhaps a trip to the new hospital in the Cotswolds may convince a few that this is the way to go!		
597	23/11/17 11:46AM ID: 68177968	The local hospitals have been a fantastic asset to the Forest of Dean but now I feel they are so old, in need of such a huge sum of money to be spent on them, investing that much money into a new facility is the best step forward.		
598	23/11/17 12:51PM ID: 68182828	If facilities and health care are increased then it can only be good but what I don't want to see is a reduction in the level of care for the area that we already receive. It is excellent as it is but there is scope to extend services even more.		
599	23/11/17 1:08PM ID: 68185173	<p>Very clearly explained</p> <p>Q&A session very well run and positive</p> <p>No room for "sentimental looking backwards" with health care</p>		

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600	23/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68185359	It is a pity that this survey is a waste of time and money. The decision has already been made to the detriment of Forest people		
601	23/11/17 1:25PM ID: 68186665	Ability of everyone especially elderly and inform to journey to the new hospital is imperative		
602	23/11/17 1:26PM ID: 68187069	How can a smaller hospital (eg less beds) service an already overstretched local service, we need additional not reduced services		
603	23/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68185433	As the number of aged people increases, the needs of those people should be taken into consideration: the ability to get to and from the hospital, the number of beds available, the facilities and treatments available. Non-hospital treatment should be available closer to home at the nearby GP surgery without putting extra pressure on them. There must be a balance and continuity of care between the GP and hospital.		
604	23/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68187356	Option 1 and 2 are preferred		
605	23/11/17 1:36PM ID: 68187842	Centralling services will not make a large area have better medical services. The Forest of Dean is a very large country area and it will leave its inhabitants in some need if there is an emergency and also essential medical appointments		
606	23/11/17 1:39PM ID: 68188517	I think that the new community hospital should be built at Forest Vale next to Kidney Dialysis Unit with access off the new road to the new College, Cinderford		
607	23/11/17 1:45PM ID: 68188937	Going to the meeting at Sedbury - not arranged by NHS until our local spokesman asked for it		
608	23/11/17 1:57PM ID: 68189374	<p>Question 2 - not enough details. Could be a very negative impact</p> <p>Other comments - This hospital could be total disaster for the community if DETAILS ARE NOT PROVIDED BEFORE THE AGREEMENT</p> <p>Letter - The proposal to build a new hospital in the Forest is ill considered and as a consequence inadequate. The prospectus is full of wonderful sounding phrases but lacks any detail of the facilities that are to be provided. What are we getting is not explained. The details given, however, indicate clearly that staff welfare appears to be a greater importance than actual providing the services the local community deserve and are paying for through National Insurance and other taxes.</p> <p>I list six areas where the proposed provision falls seriously apart</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * No Fracture Clinic *No operating theatres * A very serious reduction in the number of beds to be provided * No Maternity unit * No accident and Emergency *No opening and Closure times <p>There are other areas which are not referred, for Example the range of clinics that will be provided, whether or not consultants will venture into this new hospital and whether or not parking will be free as it is in both our current hospitals. The larger question of where the hospital is to be build is a further vexing question</p> <p>The community is been asked to sign up to an idea not a reality with the real detail hidden until it happens. I fear that this new hospital is very likely to be very much less than the community needs and should expect.</p>		
609	23/11/17 3:19PM ID: 68200215	Need a lot more community beds than already have not less, people stuck on acute hospital because of this problem		
610	23/11/17 4:01PM ID: 68202139	<p>If the new hospital does go ahead, then the number of beds need to be at least as much as the combined total of the current two hospitals. This is not just my view, but that of every other local resident at the meeting I attended and that of everyone I have spoken to who live in the area.</p> <p>I would like somebody to inform me of how many people are currently employed at both Lydney hospital and the Dilke. Also, the number of positions required to run a</p>		

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		hospital at the proposed new site if it were to operate with (only) 24 beds?		
611	23/11/17 4:13PM ID: 68201066	<p>I was wondering how the proposed merger of GCS and the local mental health Tust will affect these plans? Will they want to drop such an ambitious development when they are busy dealing with a merger? How do you know the new 'organisation' will still commit to it?</p> <p>Cinderford would really benefit from having the new development on site there, as there is such a lot of deprivation, and lack of jobs. It will be beneficial for the town to have a new health centre there, especially if the new college comes too</p>		
612	23/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68208184	This is a bad idea. Please don't follow through with this and please listen to us, the people who will be affected.		
613	23/11/17 4:54PM ID: 68210200	I welcome modernisation to the local nhs services but transportation in such a deprived area must be considered		
614	23/11/17 5:16PM ID: 68208067	<p>I personally have only attended Lydney Hospital as a patient but I have also accompanied my wife on visits to The Dilke. In general I have found that they provided what they said that they would and were very professional doing it.</p> <p>What we have in the heart of our community is an alternative to centralisation and should beware of throwing out the baby with the bathwater.</p> <p>In London where cottage hospitals as they were known have all but died out there was no alternative to place patients into when the Ebola crisis hit. Instead these poorly people were placed in a hospital which also housed hundreds of other patients.</p>		
615	23/11/17 6:43PM ID: 68218182	As stated previously the new hospital should have the same or bigger capacity as the Dilke & Lydney hospitals		
616	23/11/17 7:10PM ID: 68219855	Dyke hostipal don't cater for emergency case over the weekend no standby doctors		
617	23/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68224481	I think I have made my views quite clear in the previous pages. I think a single hospital for the Forest of Dean should not even be considered.		
618	23/11/17 9:30PM ID: 68226270	The proposed number of inpatient beds in a new facility is too low. Removing 26 beds from the Forest will reduce the number of beds overall unless these 26 beds are replaced at the other 2 main hospitals. There is clearly a current need for these beds, even though they are filled by patients from outside the Forest. It would be interesting to know how many Forest patients were unable to be accommodated in the local community hospitals because out of area patients were occupying beds. If bed numbers are to be reduced, then beds in the new facility should only be occupied by patients from the Forest.		
619	23/11/17 9:51PM ID: 68227454	Hands off the dilke. Sick and tired of top dogs at the council thinking they know what us locals want. YOU DON'T. we want to keep and improve what we have which is not only a vital facility to the forest of dean but also rich in history.		
620	23/11/17 10:56PM ID: 68229867	Decision should be made by local people only not Gloucester		
621	23/11/17 11:15PM ID: 68231190	More houses are being built in the area which means more people, so the idea to reduce the hospitals we have should not be an option		
622	24/11/17 5:26PM ID: 68280677	Most local people feel that a decision to build a new Community Hospital have already been made without local consultation.		
623	24/11/17 6:21PM ID: 68285174	This uncertainty in the Forest has gone on too long and the forest needs a modern facility to ensure it can look after its population and it needs this as soon as possible		
624	24/11/17 6:24PM ID: 68285371	Services in the community are essential to avoid long journeys across the county		
625	25/11/17 12:39AM	The forest people deserve more services it's a growing population we need a lot more		

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	ID: 68296343	beds not less and more services locally		
626	25/11/17 10:58AM ID: 68305271	<p>We really need a new hospital in the Forest. The two hospitals we have are terrible and not fit for modern medicine. I would particularly comment that the Dilke is very hard to get to without a car as it is in a setting not near any communities. We need a facility that has good public transport links.</p> <p>One new hospital is a great idea and with modern technology and communications we should be able to have remote clinics etc at the new site rather than travelling to Gloucester.</p> <p>I hope I don't have to use a hospital very often as I have a local GP who will manage most of my medical problems, so it does not matter for the odd occasion that I need the hospital if I have to travel a bit further. It's worth it to have a new hospital, which is long over due.</p>		
627	25/11/17 4:29PM ID: 68316070	<p>Although I agree with the principle of one new hospital I am concerned about the number of beds available. The argument that not all current beds are occupied by Forest residents is not valid as I know from when my mother was discharged from GRH it was made clear to us that she would be sent to whichever community hospital in the county had a bed available at the time. I would be against any reduction in the number of beds currently provided by the Dilke and Lydney hospitals. I would also like to see the current buildings used in some way to provide much needed extra care beds, rather than being sold off for development. This would also help to address some of the concerns expressed by some people about the amount of community fundraising and support given to the two hospitals over the years.</p>		
628	25/11/17 9:25PM ID: 68323831	They are essential for the wellbeing of the community.. Used efficiently and effectively could reduce the pressure on GRH		
629	25/11/17 9:56PM ID: 68324008	Regardless of the extent of the services that might be provided by the new hospital, the key to its success will be the ease (or not) that patients can access its services. If a significant number of patients (Elderly and less well off) have to endure tortuous or expensive journeys to/from the hospital they may as well be treated in Gloucester.		
630	25/11/17 10:25PM ID: 68324788	I hope all the comments in the surveys will be taken notice of. It seems strange that the new improved service has not been requested by the local community and no dissatisfaction has been expressed about the current provision. I fear that our concerns may be ignored and that we as the recipients of the service are powerless.		
631	26/11/17 9:30AM ID: 68332356	<p>Please do not close the two hospitals, at Lydney and at the Dilke: use them as care homes/hospice facilities to alleviate bed blocking. Or even office space! This will save money for Gloucester and the wider county.</p> <p>Please think of the value of the location in the Forest of Dean when planning the new site for a hospital; the natural surroundings, views, quiet, aid recovery.</p> <p>Be realistic about the bed size and facilities in the new hospital. What you think is enough - then double it. Make more savings in the NHS to release money for the "sharp end": facilities and the required staff.</p>		
632	26/11/17 12:49PM ID: 68339330	<p>Your public consultations were not advertised to residents across the forest, i would like to know how you have disseminated this information, i am a forest resident and a health care professional and have not heard about any public consultation, was this your intention that the information concerning this important issue was only available to a limited number of forest residents, i will add that i have heard of your plans to have one community hospital (improved) in Lydney and to redevelop the Dilke.</p> <p>Finally as the Dilke was paid for and built by the free miners are your actions concerning the Dilke.</p>		
633	26/11/17 4:40PM ID: 68346876	Please abide by the people not carry on regardless		
634	26/11/17 5:11PM ID: 68348185	Any hospital should have facilities for midwife led maternity facilities, travelling times to Gloucester Royal Hospital can be over an hour at some points of the day.		
635	26/11/17 8:50PM ID: 68355431	I honestly feel that shutting the hospitals and merging them into one will be looked back on in the future as a bad mistake.		
636	26/11/17 10:52PM	The new hospital is a much needed option, however due to the sentimental		

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	ID: 68358642	attachment both hospitals have to the community You better get all relevant facts in order		
637	26/11/17 10:52PM ID: 68358247	I feel NHS Gloucestershire are choosing to ignore just how large an area the Forest of Dean covers. In an emergency the chances of Forest of Dean residents getting help in an appropriate time frame will be greatly reduced by condensing the 2 sites into 1. I fully agree both sites need updating but closing both to open a smaller site is both cruel and unnecessary. Many elderly people do not want to die in Gloucester or Cheltenham, they deserve the right to end of life care in the area they live in. I say this as a granddaughter who COULD NOT GET TO HER DYING GRANDMOTHER IN GLOUCESTER IN TIME, so I speak from experience when saying over an hour is too far to travel. I would like to see additional services offered to FOD residents such as kidney dialysis which is a whole day tiring process every few days as it is, without the additional travel time on top. I also feel facts about the Dilke site are deliberately being kept from residents. The site was paid for by Forest miners and their families..at no point has it ever been declared that the site was sold to the NHS so I would like full disclosure on the intended future of the site. You cannot sell what is not yours.		
638	27/11/17 12:14AM ID: 68359960	This survey uses very complex language - you should have got advice on using clear and plain english to communicate.		
639	27/11/17 1:37AM ID: 68360934	The Dilke site is the ideal location for a future build bearing in mind the locations of the existing local population centres and additionally future projections for how climate change and coastal inundations will affect other infrastructure as well as health service provision.		
640	27/11/17 10:38AM ID: 68381384	Consider increased beds, the number may have been calculated based on projected population increases however does not take into account real time increases i.e. people moving back to the area, people relocating to take advantage of lower house prices etc.		
641	27/11/17 10:45AM ID: 68383031	The Forest of Dean is a great community that deserves respect. The Dilke and Lydney hospitals have thrived due to public contributions - that should be remembered and respected. Any new hospital must be better and well positioned for it to be accepted		
642	27/11/17 10:52AM ID: 68383505	Community hospital makes sense, however more beds are required not less. Location - Lydney due to increase in new housing and better transport links ie road and rail		
643	27/11/17 11:01AM ID: 68384151	Question 4 - Local clinicians are best placed to judge / make recommendation on where the hospital should be. This should not be a Lydney Vs Coleford Vs Cinderford Beauty contest, with commercial interests weighing in. Other comments - Would the community hospital continue minor injury and illness services? Would ambulance services be available? Lots of unanswered questions		
644	27/11/17 11:03AM ID: 68385037	I have concerns for people not well enough to return home but not ill enough to use a hospital bed. There has to be greater liaison between "care in the community" and the NHS		
645	27/11/17 11:10AM ID: 68385255	"At home care" a detailed survey needed of pay, hours, costs of domiciliary care. It seems to me local population has access to charity hospices, day hospices, chapity end of life care nurses, community transport, church and other volunteers. do their views have any relevance. Newent Experience, large domiciliary agency shut with 24 hours notice. Newent easier to service that outlying areas		
646	27/11/17 11:14AM ID: 68385925	Please use the money to look after our two hospitals already here		
647	27/11/17 11:17AM ID: 68386231	I would like to see more beds provided than Lydney and Dilke combined. And more services ie Endoscopy, Cytoscopy etc. I have to travel to Gloucester or Cheltenham all the time for check ups. I would rather it could be done nearer home.		
648	27/11/17 11:24AM	Should the chosen site increase my currently time it is highly likely that I will consider		

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	ID: 68386762	changing my job		
649	27/11/17 12:17PM ID: 68390306	I currently work as a clinician at the Dilke and also live in the Forest of Dean locality. I think common sense tells me that if a single hospital is agreed it should be in Coleford which is fairly central, it would be a new site that Dilke and Lydney staff/ locals can feel shared 'ownership' rather than feel favouritism has had a role in the decision, if Cinderford or Lydney were chosen. The public transport is also better. Currently people prefer to travel to Glos than tackle to the bus route if they were trying to get to the Dilke from Lydney when using out patient facilities.		
650	27/11/17 12:31PM ID: 63893756	Regard must be given for the original reason for the foundation of the two hospitals.		
651	27/11/17 12:32PM ID: 63905589	Public transport is the biggest thing for me when considering possible locations, as buses from smaller towns/villages are scarce and it's generally elderly or vulnerable people who may not be fit to drive that would use the facility the most. Also in terms of which town to place it near, despite living in Ruardean myself, I think between coleford and lydney somewhere would be best as cinderford is closer to Gloucester than the other two and therefore has the option of two Hospitals whereas Lydney/coleford people would have to travel further to either Gloucester or Newport.		
652	27/11/17 12:50PM ID: 68394402	Listen to the people who live in the forest. I have not yet heard or seen anyone in favour of closing the forest hospitals. They have and continue to be a fantastic resource for the community.		
653	27/11/17 12:50PM ID: 64839205	Both Hospitals have been a great asset to the community, but to be honest are now not fit for purpose. However we all have great loyalty to the past and the sacrifices made to build those hospitals.		
654	27/11/17 1:05PM ID: 66332753	you consistently say that if these new hospitals are built as if you may have already made your decision.		
655	27/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67747763	This is a good opportunity to provide better healthcare for future generations and must not be wasted.		
656	27/11/17 1:18PM ID: 67939992	There will be many people in the inner Forest area will be very upset to see the Dilke go as their forebears were the ones who funded the building for their families especially for the men who worked in the coal mines. Both hospitals have a wonderful group of 'Friends' who have funded much refurbishment for the good of the patients.		
657	27/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68124069	m		
658	27/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68218197	The Forest of Dean Green Party invites Gloucester Care Commissioning Group to meet with us to explore the approach we have advocated. We are surprised, given the founding rationale for CCG's, that the local/community approach to planning seems not to have taken hold. Health and Social Care is a societal issue and there will be no sustainable solutions forthcoming as long as the debate is restricted to money and services.		
659	27/11/17 1:51PM ID: 68401087	A serous rethink on the number of beds particularly in regard to the likely increased housing development and reduction in charges for using Severn Bridge		
660	27/11/17 1:54PM ID: 68401433	Question 1 - I agree with some reservations ie number of planned beds. Is there any provision for more beds in the future?		
661	27/11/17 1:56PM ID: 68401712	There should be a range of services that meet all types of people need		
662	27/11/17 2:01PM ID: 68401715	What assurance do you have that consultants will use a new hospital? They are supposed to use the present hospitals but prefer their "ivory tower" of GRH		
663	27/11/17 2:04PM ID: 68402511	This decision id financial. The current situation suits the residents. I feel the consultation is a paper exercise and decision made, the site found		

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664	27/11/17 2:09PM ID: 68402751	Having worked in one of the two community hospitals I know that the patient input area covers both North and South forest of Dean. how will you be able to cater for such a large area (with poor transport system?) and only half the present bed capacity?		
665	27/11/17 2:10PM ID: 68403276	Think Lydney would be best option		
666	27/11/17 2:13PM ID: 68403539	New location preference is Lydney Easy access to main routes Close to Welsh and Bristol hopsitals and ambulance services		
667	27/11/17 2:16PM ID: 68403962	With all the new houses being built there wont be enough beds		
668	27/11/17 2:20PM ID: 68404400	Probably well overdue - lets get on with it!		
669	27/11/17 2:23PM ID: 68404579	Question 1 - The option must take into account access by local bus services, which at present do not cover all the FOD on a regular basis Other comments - I have attended hearing clinics at GRH and Cheltenham hospitals and public transport has never been easy		
670	27/11/17 2:28PM ID: 68405009	Question 1 - I support the option with reluctance and can only hope the site of the new hospital will take into account the difficulties of people who are "non car "drivers Other comments - I have attended the Glaucoma clinic at Lydney hospital for many years and would not find it easy to visit GRH		
671	27/11/17 5:11PM ID: 68423054	I'm impressed by the extent of the public consultation process. No one can argue that they didn't have an opportunity to express their views. Combining facilities and staff at one site makes practical and economic sense. A site off the A48, preferably near Lydney would be ideal as it could be easily reached from most parts of the Forest area and would be less likely to be obstructed by local parking. I like the fact that the proposed site will provide ample parking. I had concerns about the number of beds (population growth is always greater than official estimates), but was reassured when Fiona confirmed that the new facility would have sufficient space for more should the need arise. Having benefited on more than one occasion from the existing minor A&E facility at Lydney, I'm relieved that this will be available at the new hospital. Travelling to Gloucester is becoming increasingly onerous, so the more local options available, the better.		
672	27/11/17 6:15PM ID: 68429113	I am concerned that there will not be sufficient beds. I have been told that people from Gloucester will no longer come to the Forest by the time the new hospital is built, and therefore fewer beds will be needed. However, I do not see that we have any guarantee on this.		
673	27/11/17 7:52PM ID: 68437676	A hospital fit for purpose is what this area deserves.		
674	27/11/17 7:54PM ID: 68437627	Unacceptable proposal by those who should have no say in it i.e. they are not local people. The only consultation should be amongst those local to the hopsitals, ie with no more than a 10 miles radius. There is no complaint form the users of the hospitals. It is no more than empire building and creating something new for the sake of it ie New is best.		
675	27/11/17 8:35PM ID: 68440536	THIS INFORMATION SHOULD BE DELIVERED TO ALL HOUSEHOLDS WITHIN THE FOD CAPTURE AREA		

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676	28/11/17 7:42AM ID: 68458094	Although current sites have problems I fear short sighted cost savings will be at the detriment to future care,		
677	28/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68467843	Between them the Dilke and Lydney hospitals provide valuable accessible health services. Where ever it is a new single hospital will be far for some without their own transport. Perhaps some services could be retained at hospitals or added to health centres in main forest towns		
678	28/11/17 10:11AM ID: 68469429	<p>Question 4 - I don't know what these bodies do, so cannot comment other than to say it should be in response to public opinion and common sense</p> <p>Other comments - Unless this new hospital is in a central location, Newent residents will have to rely on Glos. Royal Hospital which is difficult to access for the less able and public transport users (at present) and is already very busy. Lydney would have a new hospital and the Northern area would have lost its community hospital</p>		
679	28/11/17 12:43PM ID: 68485207	Thank you for the prospect of new hospital		
680	28/11/17 12:52PM ID: 68485563	Positioning of a new hospital needs to be easy for public transport and with enough parking available for patients as well as workers		
681	28/11/17 12:59PM ID: 68486558	<p>Question 1 - Both Dilke and Lydney are very old buildings and no longer fit for purpose. A modern purpose built facility is now required</p> <p>Question 2 - It is a waste of money to maintain the existing hospitals, how much longer can they be maintained!</p> <p>Question 3 - Local residents will have an opinion, an I am also a local resident, however the decision should be made with the "forest population" in mind rather than individual preference</p> <p>Other comments - Unsure if the minimum 24 beds is enough, possibly 27 would be better</p>		
682	28/11/17 1:01PM ID: 68487002	Maybe more beds as no mention of how many beds being taken by "foresters" in the report		
683	28/11/17 1:11PM ID: 68487139	At 91 years of age, availability is of major importance. I no longer drive and have to rely on volunteer drivers		
684	28/11/17 1:13PM ID: 68488146	Do not think sentimentality should stand in the way of progress. A new hospital is long overdue		
685	28/11/17 2:05PM ID: 68489803	<p>Question 4 - We don't want your hospital</p> <p>Other comments - This is a disgraceful situation, you cannot close what isn't yours. You can't sell what isn't yours. So stop lying and leave the Dilke alone your actions to date have been dishonest, you have already lied about plans to close the Dilke hence you cannot be believed or trusted. We need two hospitals in the forest - The Dilke is sited in the centre of the forest on a good road that doesn't get congested. You say the hospitals are not up to standard, but to me, any shortenings are down to you deliberating under funding them to achieve your aim of closure. Stop sending people to our school to push your propaganda at our children. Your 11 million wouldn't refurbish our two hospitals - so how is it going to build a new one? The college is costing over 30 million and its smaller than the 5 acres site. You are making empty promises, we know you wont build anything for that money. Stop rattling on about inconvenience to professionals covering two sites, that's common practice throughout the country. And what about the inconvenience to us having to go to GRH all these years to give birth or have surgery. you got away with closing our maternity unit, you will not close our Dilke. Its ours, you don't own the land so how can you sell it? If you did so, it would be open the way to selling off the forest. You know damned well you are lying and trying to hoodwink us, you should be listening to us not forcing your views on us. This is all a disgusting and dishonest process. health</p>		

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		<p>changes according to Government pledge are not to come from the ?? (cannot read handwriting) That's what your doing. Why lie about closure plans? Are you so devious you want to keep us in the dark? Well yes you are. We are not morons, we know a lie when we hear it and we don't trust you. You are going against government pledge, you are subjecting our locals to propaganda. This is a deceitful. We know it and so do you. Pushing your agenda at us when you know damned well we want to keep our Dilke, we made that clear before</p> <p>Look at Frenchay, look at the hospital, near Glos still derelict, you will do that to the Dilke, just to get your way</p> <p>You wont build anything with your 11 million but it would extend our hopsitals and make then even better than they are, they are fantastic</p> <p>20 beds to replace 47? What the hell are you thinking?</p> <p>This is a disgraceful process and I will fight you all the way</p>		
686	28/11/17 2:15PM ID: 68493533	<p>Question 4 - NOT WANTED</p> <p>Your little document is designed to get the answer you want. its dishonest process and a sham</p> <p>Stop lying, stop destroying the Dilke. you are wrong wrong wrong, we don't your hospital, we don't trust you.</p>		
687	28/11/17 4:29PM ID: 68501677	<p>This consultation is a waste of time, money and paper. It tells me nothing I need to know and neither do the FAQs. I need to know how many beds would be provided overall in the New hospital scenario, and if - as seems likely - it is fewer than we had before, why the FOD will require fewer hospital beds in future.</p> <p>I need to know whether we will have a 24/7 A&E, and whether we will have a ambulance service to transport people there out of hours.</p> <p>I need to know what things will cost, where the new hospital will be, what facilities will close once it is built and what use will be made of the existing hospital sites. I want the existing sites retained for NHS use.</p> <p>Nobody objects to the building of a new hospital, but if it is at the expense of local provision for minor injuries and urgent cases (such as a toddler with suspected meningitis) then it will not be a good for health provision in the FOD. And what is conspicuously absent in this consultation is any indication of how the OVERALL health provision will be changed if a new hospital is built.</p> <p>The consultation document seems to be designed to foist the recommended option on to the community, not to address either the question of what people in the community want or what would be the best way to provide health care.</p> <p>I think it is a shame that the money spent on holding this consultation has not been spent on treating patients.</p>		
688	28/11/17 5:18PM ID: 68506827	<p>I've got to wait anything up to 2 weeks for an appointment and I've also attended an appointment where an attempt has been made to change my drugs which I refused and referred it back to my consultant and he agreed with me. I've also attended a consultation at my GPs request via telephone only to be told by the Reception they had no idea why I had to attend and also to be told by the Doctor who I had the appointment with that he had no initial idea why I was there.</p> <p>It doesn't take rocket science to understand why I'm not impressed with my own GP service and don't have a great deal of confidence with this so say community Hospital that is going to cover the Forest of Dean</p>		
689	28/11/17 5:45PM ID: 68511802	Whichever location is selected access by public transport must be secured.		
690	28/11/17 5:50PM ID: 68511309	Think of the elderly who will be most affected by this, many of whom rely on public transport.		
691	28/11/17 7:21PM ID: 68517211	Please consider how the Dilke can be considerably put into retirement. That hospital means SO MUCH to so many people in the FOD and while you might think of it as a money pit to get rid of, very many people feel deep respect and affection for its heritage. You have a massive hearts and minds issue on your hands in disposing of that site. You must do the right thing and be ultra sensitive to the community on this issue if you want buy in to your modernising plans.		

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692	28/11/17 7:26PM ID: 68517317	What will happen to all the money and equipment that has been donated through the years. Why cannot one of them be converted to a modern hospital		
693	28/11/17 10:43PM ID: 68525896	The Dilke site is where many Foresters were born. A dedicated maternity unit would be a nice idea to continue that tradition. Or perhaps a centre for mental health or alternative therapies. A perfect location for calm ! Otherwise I reiterate that the site should NOT, repeat NOT be sold or its basic use (healthcare) changed		
694	29/11/17 8:50AM ID: 68540312	As I have stated previously, I think the current hospitals are underused because people are being denied access to them when needed, whether this is due to lack of staffing, health & safety or whatever, is irrelevant. What is relevant is that it doesn't necessarily provide an accurate representation of the current or future needs of the population. We have lost beds at Colliers Court already, and are being denied access to beds in the Dilke. If you base your figures etc on a skewed premise then you will get the wrong outcome.		
695	29/11/17 9:03AM ID: 68540953	Leaving the choice of location to Clinicians and NHS Trust representatives based out of Gloucester provides a bias towards Gloucester needs and a lack of understanding of the local populace needs. The advisory panel should have a greater rural voice and representation on it.		
696	29/11/17 9:24AM ID: 68543075	More beds than 24 and better use for consultant appointments and a&e		
697	29/11/17 10:21AM ID: 68549433	It appears, yet again, the powers to be think they know better than the ordinary members of the populace. Steamrolling would appear to be an appropriate description.		
698	29/11/17 11:14AM ID: 68556618	The hospital needs to be unique, large enough to take on two hospitals and be prudent in its approach.		
699	29/11/17 11:59AM ID: 68561037	I think we are long overdue a new Community Hospital in the Forest, my only plea is that we have more than 24 beds as I do not think this will be sufficient for an aging population.		
700	29/11/17 12:30PM ID: 68563512	If a new hospital is to be built it must predominantly fit/suit the needs of the patients/residents of the Forest first and foremost and be fit for purpose in a location that suits everyone. It should also provide a Maternity wing.		
701	29/11/17 12:41PM ID: 68564368	Foresters are quite rightly very proud and protective of the community hospitals they instigated and developed but it is time to look towards caring for future generations by having a facility that is fit for purpose and does not limit the clinical services and facilities available locally.		
702	29/11/17 2:50PM ID: 68577651	Newland Parish Council is of the opinion that the questionnaire is unfairly biased and the proposals are economically driven. There is no evidence, nor can it be assumed, that the Trust has considered what the public or GPs want and need.		
703	29/11/17 2:55PM ID: 68576457	I and my family have had treatment and experienced the excellent care we receive from our two hospitals so we would hate to loose them.		
704	29/11/17 4:37PM ID: 68585900	Whilst I am in favour of supplying a modern all purpose Community Hospital to service the FOD, I feel that maybe one of the existing hospitals could be used as a half way house between the major hospitals and sending patients home into community care, e.g. as interim convalescence or end of life care hospitals, or possibly dementia day care or respite for carers. I do not think that 21 beds would be sufficient at all, we, in common with the whole of the British Isles, have an ageing population who are living longer and will need ongoing pastoral care either in the home or in hospital, We need the provision of more beds or the facility to increase as needs demand. Much money has, over the years, been raised and put into the local hospitals, by the		

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		Forest of Dean community, which is why people feel so passionately about not retiring the two hospitals.		
705	29/11/17 4:51PM ID: 68586958	Please read my comments stated earlier		
706	29/11/17 5:32PM ID: 68589304	<p>Like everyone else, I want the new hospital to be nearby however, I don't know enough about the workings of the health service as a whole to be considered a sensible comentator as to where it should be sited.</p> <p>I feel the lowering of the number of beds is a bad idea. The argument that "outsiders" will not be treated in our hospital sounds dead dodgy. Where are these surplus beds and if they are exist, why are there all these "outsiders" in our hospitals now? I suspect there is no such capacity and no plan to build it. If there were such a plan, it would surely have been made clear. I think we should build the hospital with the larger bed capacity from the start.</p>		
707	29/11/17 7:09PM ID: 68595739	Obviously the site of a new hospital is of a big concern, from Newent the Dilke is perfect, Lydney is quite a drive		
708	29/11/17 7:19PM ID: 68600352	The provision of a proper community hospital in FOD is essential and crucial for the health and wellbeing of residents, however I do feel that the information and subsequent survey is not user friendly and contains information that takes time to understand		
709	29/11/17 10:27PM ID: 68612377	I am sure if 11 Million is floating about it would more than pay for upgrades to the two hospitals.		
710	29/11/17 10:36PM ID: 68613722	Shame this has got so political with Labour Party activists - please make sure real people are heard.		
711	30/11/17 1:48AM ID: 68619336	I don't oppose the idea of a single hospital, but it should be built at the Dilke.		
712	30/11/17 7:33AM ID: 68625377	<p>I am concerned that the issue of the community hospitals has become a political football with much inflammatory misinformation being circulated on social media etc. (e.g. Facebook conversations) - rather than individuals considering the options fair and squarely from the evidence provided in the consultation booklet. When considered objectively the issues seem self-evidently in favour of a new community hospital - and I would hope that political in-fighting could be set aside to favour what is best for all the people of the Forest.</p> <p>I also think that the proposed siting of the new hospital will serve those who are the most disadvantaged most conveniently. The central area has the highest deprivation indicators, while those who live a little further away on the margins of the Forest, towards Chepstow and the Wye valley for example are largely more affluent middle class people with their own transport, or finances to pay for private transport.</p> <p>I support the plans for a new community hospital whole-heartedly.</p>		
713	30/11/17 7:50AM ID: 68626520	I am aware of the some "labour activists" turning this in to a political issue about the NHS. When I have spoken to people working in the two hospitals it is clear to me that we need a new hospital and the fact that the NHS is prepared to invest in this is something we should be proud of.		
714	30/11/17 7:54AM ID: 68626708	<p>Listen to the professionals who know what they are talking about. If we don't take this opportunity now we will have nothing in ten years time and what legacy is that for the Miners who fought for services in the Forest?</p> <p>Sad that this is turning so political when it should be a time when people in the Forest come together.</p>		
715	30/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68644907	I think if we don't have enough support the propaganda machine from the powers that be will win and we will have less facilities hours and beds !		
716	30/11/17 11:56AM	Question 4 - Without knowing the location it is impossible to answer		

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	ID: 68648093			
717	30/11/17 12:04PM ID: 68648314	<p>Question 1 - Physical - Do not build where trees and wildlife will be destroyed. Remember the Forest is full of forgotten mines. You do not want to fall down a sinkhole. Be on or very near one of our bus routes.</p> <p>Other comments - If you build a new hospital do not have huge areas of space as in Gloucester Hospital. Do NOT close local hospitals until the new one is up and running.</p>		
718	30/11/17 12:11PM ID: 68649559	Question 3 - More attention and consideration must be paid to transport		
719	30/11/17 12:12PM ID: 68648626	It is essential that wherever the new hospital is situated it must be easy to get to by public transport, preferably where public transport provides a regular service.		
720	30/11/17 12:14PM ID: 68649719	The hours need to be available to all people who have to travel by bus or car. Also people who work. Number of beds is my biggest worry		
721	30/11/17 12:17PM ID: 68650055	Cinderford is the official heart of the Forest of Dean and should therefore be seriously considered for location and probably has largest area of population too.		
722	30/11/17 1:04PM ID: 68654178	I would think that there are two areas which concern me. Reduction in bed numbers and generous parking facilities		
723	30/11/17 1:07PM ID: 68652469	As a Forester, service user and recently retired nurse of over 40 years and former member of the nursing staff of both hospitals, I strongly believe that we are long overdue a new hospital which will provide a modern health care for all of us. Far too often we hear and experience out-patient appts etc outside our local hospitals and have to travel 20-30 miles to them, with poor expensive parking. The Forest people have had to endure for far too long this fragmented and disjointed service. We deserve better!		
724	30/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68654353	<p>Question 2 - Support option 3 - A single community hospital</p> <p>Other Comments - Whilst I understand that the new hospital would have a minimum of 24 beds (to replace Lydney and Dilke 40 + beds) You need to factor in a growing, ageing population. The new hospital needs more not less bed space to meet increasing demand</p>		
725	30/11/17 1:22PM ID: 68655462	<p>Question 4 - As you have already made the decision it should allow for travel distances such as Tutshill to centre of Forest.</p> <p>Question 5 - Still waiting for the bus</p> <p>Other comments - Have yet to see the bus as it hasn't arrived at Coleford yet</p>		
726	30/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68655912	A lot of the information in the booklet I am not knowledgeable enough to say yes or no, so am on the fence. but I should like any new hospital to be areal hospital with enough beds and hospital services and facilities, not a care home.		
727	30/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68656495	<p>Question 2 - don't know yet. I am 88 years old Reduction in the number of beds available could be crucial to survival or recovery</p> <p>Other comments - The northern Quarter would be the least accessible site - one of the towns, probably Coleford would be the obvious choice (Although I like Lydney and would prefer it there)</p>		
728	30/11/17 1:39PM ID: 68657433	There should be more beds in a new hospital than there is now in the 2 hospitals we have now as the population is increasing and getting older. I think we should have a maternity ward		
729	30/11/17 1:43PM ID: 68657717	Why should you have to go to Gloucester for Minor Injury, wait hours to be seen when locals hospital is here. Leave them as they are spend some money to do them up		
730	30/11/17 1:49PM ID: 68658071	Question 2 - The hospitals we have are sufficient they need updating and making bigger for more patients		

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731	30/11/17 1:51PM ID: 68658788	Needs to be accessible in less than 30 minutes. Have maternity and operating facilities		
732	30/11/17 1:54PM ID: 68659028	Question 1 - Can you possibly retain at least one other for use as perhaps a hospice		
733	30/11/17 2:08PM ID: 68659870	<p>The proposal of a new modern hospital to replace our two older existing hospitals seems to make sense until you read a little more into the proposals. Ultimately there would appear to be very few extra advantages for patients to warrant spending £11 million. A huge opportunity is being missed by excluding the provision of:</p> <p>An A&E Dept Maternity Unit Minor Operating theatre Fracture clinic</p> <p>Plus very importantly a increase in bed provision NOT a reduction.</p> <p>Despite being asked by many people to consider providing a maternity unit, your booklet flippantly dismisses this suggestion on the basis that a clinically safe and sustainable service could not be provided. Why Not?</p> <p>It was successfully provided for many years in both existing hospitals, with an ever increasing population, surely this should be a priority. If we are having change, lets make it worthwhile and provide MORE than what we already have (not just endoscopies) not less</p>		
734	30/11/17 2:13PM ID: 68659831	local towns are growing in size and people in the forest deserve a good standard of facilities easily reached by all 24 hours 7 days a week.		
735	30/11/17 2:25PM ID: 68661375	Having talked to a number of NHS staff who work and provide services in the existing 2 local hospitals, I sincerely hope that the timetable for providing a new state of the art community hospital is aggressively accelerated as much a possible to ensure the forest residents get the level of care they urgently need.		
736	30/11/17 4:19PM ID: 68671687	<p>* The Dilke and Lydney hospitals to stay open as convalescence / post operative recovery units.</p> <p>* The new facility to have a maternity unit ,an A&E department and more beds than currently proposed.</p>		
737	30/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68672116	Spend some of the money on the existing hospitals + Give the Forest of Dean a maternity unit in one or both hospitals ,It's a long way to Gloucester when you are in labour , 10 miles from Cheltenham to Gloucester was to far to get to A/E a few years ago but 30 miles not to far for the Foresters ?????? .		
738	30/11/17 5:09PM ID: 68676449	Hospital should be on main Bus Route. Aso main road. and central eg. the Speech House		
739	30/11/17 5:16PM ID: 68676481	<p>We are advised that the area around LYDNEY is being built on to increase the affordable homes, this new influx of people will require the infra structure expanding.Hospitals, dental,G.P. surgeries, schools ,etc. When the bridge tolls are abolished, as promised, this will open the Forest area to Bristol, Bath and other such towns.</p> <p>Building this hospital will be a sound and sensible step towards the future.</p>		
740	30/11/17 5:50PM ID: 68679235	There are brown field sites available in the Lydney area. These possible sites meet the distance requirements stated.		
741	30/11/17 6:59PM ID: 68684197	No to a closing the existing two hostpitals		
742	30/11/17 8:10PM ID: 68689290	Transport links will be important.		
743	30/11/17 8:53PM ID: 68691014	<p>I am very pleased that a minor injury A&E unit has been included.</p> <p>I feel that the hospital should have a maternity unit.</p> <p>Please don't name it after a dodgey politician.</p> <p>You would allay suspicions considerably if you made it clear that parking would be ample and free.</p>		
744	30/11/17 9:10PM	Time we as citizens of the forest dean were listened too		

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	ID: 68691841			
745	30/11/17 9:19PM ID: 68690988	We should grasp the opportunity to improve health care services in the forest of Dean through the building of a new hospital. We owe it to the miners who saved to build the dilke to not allow their legacy to crumble. Thier legacy is not a building, but the availability of hospital and health services in the forest.		
746	30/11/17 9:53PM ID: 68693955	<p>I think it is sad that there is not enough money to replace both Dilke and Lydney Hospitals. Your consultation is already pitting Lydney against Cinderford folk. Highly influential people are suggesting where they think a new building should go. The terrain of Forest of Dean is such that many people without transport will be unable to get wherever it is built.</p> <p>A tongue in cheek suggestion. Mr Grayling has just said about opening up former railways. Parkend would be an ideal site for new hospital and the railways from Coleford, Lydney and Cinderford could be re-used in conjunction with Dean Forest Railway.</p> <p>I think you should increase the number of beds.</p>		
747	30/11/17 10:04PM ID: 68692660	I am firmly of the opinon that the money spent to build a new hospital could be better utilised in extending and updating our two well loved community hospitals that have served us so well over the years. The number of patients that we have that appreciate the care that they receive in these small hospitals is wonderful.		
748	01/12/17 10:48AM ID: 68720517	<p>I strongly support a brand new hospital in the Forest of Dean. This isn't about blind faith in old buildings!</p> <p>This is about ensuring we have the best possible services in the FOD and by having a brand new, state of the art Hospital for residents, we will get this.</p> <p>Ignore the attempts to politicise this consultation. You have done a great job with the drop in sessions and the buses have been in prominent locations. Crack on and get it built!</p>		
749	01/12/17 11:37AM ID: 68724201	If a new hospital was to be built would it be solely for local residents? What would happen to elderly people who require a short stay in hospital? Would the Warren Wing remain or part of the hospitals remain .The less travel for patients is obviously better for them and the environment.		
750	01/12/17 11:42AM ID: 68725086	I do agree that we badly need a new community hospital. However it should be one which will cope with the growing population by ensuring there are enough beds, not fewer. We should also have a proper A & E not have to travel to Gloucester with everything except a simple graze. Too many people having to use the A & E at Gloucester cannot be good for anyone.		
751	01/12/17 12:56PM ID: 68728008	<p>I believe there is only one town that qualifies under section 10, and that town is Cinderford.</p> <p>That is because Cinderford is the only Town within The Hundred of At Braivels. It is also, when measured, the only Town exactly the in center of The Forest of Dean. The Dilke Hospital paid for by Forest miners, should be morally be replaced by a hospital with a mining Heritage.</p> <p>We have the ideal site which is conveniently available alongside the A4136 which can all be accessed from all points of the FOD, this site is located on the old Northern United Colliery.</p> <p>That would help to overcome some of the Foresters heartfelt feeling that the Dilke was paid for by our forefathers who toiled underground to provide state of the art healthcare for their comrades who were injured underground and their families.</p> <p>The Dilke has served its community well but it has to be recognised it's past its sell by date.</p> <p>What better way to honour the Miners to replace one site,paid for by them to a former colliery site,the Northern United.</p> <p>We owe that to their memory.</p>		

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		<p>We must also make sure that it's facilities will be adequate too, like the Miners did, provide for the future not just a stopgap, that is bed numbers. We are a growing community. We only have to look at the proposed housing numbers that is required. Twenty odd beds will not suffice for the next 100yrs.</p> <p>The Miners enabled the community with its forward thinking to provide first class Health Care at the Dilke for over a hundred years.</p> <p>Let us continue to honour them by continuing their legacy and keep our Hospital within the Forest which comes within the Hundred of St Braivevels. Namely The Northern Hospital CINDERFORD.</p>		
752	01/12/17 10:16PM ID: 68769636	I cannot believe how poorly served the population of the Forest of Dean is. Miles away from main hospitals with all the problems that brings - cost, time, stress. Two main hospitals so close together and tough luck to everyone who lives in another part of the county. Poor planning and complete disregard for non city dwellers.		
753	02/12/17 12:10AM ID: 68776184	Many people believe that this is another way to cut patients services. This is believed to be more about looking at a medium term plan for a long term solution. It makes sense to invest properly in both sites which provides for effective health cover and will in the long term be much more cost effective. Or do you want the NHS to fail so that government has all the excuse it needs to follow through with private health care being a requirement. The existing sites provide local health care for surrounding communities. There is supposed to be progress as we develop as human beings and by that I mean the ethics of supporting people mind and body.		
754	02/12/17 4:20PM ID: 68801190	I don't agree with the amount of beds NHS Gloucestershire is proposing, the amount of beds should be the total or more than the two Hospitals it is replacing.		
755	02/12/17 4:25PM ID: 68801473	I think we need more beds not less as people are living longer		
756	02/12/17 5:03PM ID: 68802747	<p>I have been to quite a few events and think the consultation process has been very open and honest. People really do need to listen carefully about why the change is needed. I am frustrated that people seem to want to hang on to the past - time to move on and get a new hospital in the Forest.</p> <p>I was pleased to hear that there will be a mixture of single and multiple rooms in the new hospital but it is more than just the beds. Also makes sense to provide better service for people in Gloucester.</p>		
757	02/12/17 5:08PM ID: 68802920	Really important that the community hospital continues to provide the end of life care that is so valued in the Forest of Dean. The care provided to my mother was outstanding and she did not want to die at home or in a strange place. The care provided at the Dilke was amazing and so important that this is available in the future. I get really worried when people assume people want to die at home when actually they, and their family, want to have the support that can be provided by staff in the community hospitals. I can't thank them enough,		
758	02/12/17 5:42PM ID: 68804141	Just get on with it. Fed up with all the politics. We deserve a new hospital		
759	02/12/17 7:36PM ID: 68807234	<p>The proposed reduction in the total number of beds is a worry. The strategy of reducing length of stay is to be applauded; however efforts to do this in the past have been fraught with problems due to poor liaison between NHS and Social Services. Consequently, bed blocking appears to be a huge problem.</p> <p>I suggest that the strategy of reducing length of stay needs to be introduced as soon as possible. If you wait until the new hospital is built, there could well be a critical shortage of beds. This concern has been voiced by many professionals. They can't all be wrong.</p>		
760	02/12/17 8:40PM ID: 68809840	It puts the woman of the forest at risk not having a maternity unit close by, if the road were to become impassable for any reason to Gloucester it is miles and miles to the next nearest one. A fact that no body seems to care about in power. There also needs to be more facilities should a new hospital be built not less, a minor operations unit and A&E		

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761	02/12/17 10:10PM ID: 68812427	A new hospital is much needed. I have friends in Tewkesbury and they have a modern hospital. We don't and I'm glad to back this excellent idea, it's about the future.		
762	03/12/17 10:01AM ID: 68822540	Don't do it. It's a waste of money, time and not wanted.		
763	03/12/17 1:25PM ID: 68828534	<p>Since the number of beds is to be reduced due to patients currently being admitted from outside the FoD, the existing facilities should not be closed until there is adequate and suitable capacity outside FoD to cater for those patients. Thereafter, in-patient services should be restricted to FoD residents.</p> <p>Planned capacity, including number of beds, should recognise the expected increase in FoD population expected after the two Severn bridges become toll free and should include all the foreseeable planned increase in housing provision in FoD.</p> <p>There should be a maternity facility in FoD.</p> <p>There should be outpatient provision for all specialisms not currently available in FoD or GRH, e.g. Urology, so that patients do not have to travel all the way to Cheltenham or Stroud.</p>		
764	03/12/17 2:18PM ID: 68830659	There should be a greater number of inpatient beds for forest people to be able to receive the care they need locally. I do not agree with reducing the amount of beds.		
765	03/12/17 2:45PM ID: 68830703	<p>The proffered option of one hospital would fail to deliver the needs of the community(s), therefore there should be another option and that would be to build not one but two new community hospitals. I know that will never happen as I'm convinced that this is a money saving proposal and nothing to do with the servicing of two local communities.</p> <p>I had worked long enough within the MoD as a civil servant to not learn about every new proposal has nothing to do with providing a more professional efficient services but its always about how much money can be saved.</p>		
766	03/12/17 5:47PM ID: 68836434	If Lydney was to lose its hospital, it would be hugely beneficial if an alternative A&E/minor injuries unit could be provided within the town.		
767	03/12/17 6:04PM ID: 68837293	Don't reduce the number of beds!		
768	03/12/17 9:20PM ID: 68844339	apart from attending the items ticked on previous page have also attended 2 public meetings		
769	03/12/17 9:54PM ID: 68844422	<p>At the presentation, at Lydney Community Centre, the people running the meeting talked about outside consultants. That word "consultants" immediately puts the cost up. Also the person who mentioned consultants also put forward their independence; I don't believe this is the case in many circumstances.</p> <p>If this new hospital is built, will it offer more than we have? If not, then why do it? We need at least as many beds as we have. Ideally we should have an A&E dept, or at least a 24hr minor injuries dept. Perhaps a maternity unit. Why do it if it offers us less. That is the point at which your idea started and it seems it may be, yet another, long term cost cutting exercise for the powers which run the Health Service. The word "service" is a very important word to keep in mind. It is not a business.</p>		
770	03/12/17 10:27PM ID: 68845741	If the new Hospital goes a head, will the Lydney and Dilke be sold or will it be like when the new Council Offices built in Coleford was built, we were all told the old office's would sold on. Never happened because the new offices were not big enough. This is why a new hospital would not be large enough.		
771	04/12/17 8:59AM ID: 68860045	A single new hospital to allow new services for the area		
772	04/12/17 9:02AM ID: 68860395	We need a community hospital with more facilities for the area		

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773	04/12/17 9:03AM ID: 68860511	The need for more beds is a necessity		
774	04/12/17 9:04AM ID: 68860664	MORE BEDS NEEDED		
775	04/12/17 9:07AM ID: 68860771	I believe more hospital beds would be needed due to increase building of new homes		
776	04/12/17 9:08AM ID: 68861004	Not sure if we should be losing beds. We need more		
777	04/12/17 9:09AM ID: 68861134	More beds needed		
778	04/12/17 9:10AM ID: 68861225	Don't lose beds		
779	04/12/17 9:12AM ID: 68861343	The prime concern is the possible reduction of beds. We need an increased number not reduction		
780	04/12/17 9:14AM ID: 68861486	not happy that the beds will be reduced. We need more not less		
781	04/12/17 9:20AM ID: 68861762	Do not decrease the number of beds so much building of residential homes increasing - more people coming into area. Needs more services		
782	04/12/17 9:22AM ID: 68862255	More beds are needed not less		
783	04/12/17 9:23AM ID: 68862402	To increase the number of beds. There is a need for at least one hospital in the community		
784	04/12/17 9:26AM ID: 68862606	Don't reduce beds		
785	04/12/17 9:27AM ID: 68862827	We need more beds		
786	04/12/17 9:29AM ID: 68862932	More beds are needed in a new hospital		
787	04/12/17 9:41AM ID: 68863131	Increase number of beds. A new hospital to attract new staff and improve facilities with in the community		
788	04/12/17 9:46AM ID: 68864502	We need to fight for a community hospital To increase the number of beds Encourage more services into the hospital		
789	04/12/17 9:47AM ID: 68864680	Had a lovely experience at Lydney hospital. I think we need more beds		
790	04/12/17 10:03AM ID: 68866084	Question1 - we cant carry on as we are - Not able to provide the care we want to Can we do it quickly please		
791	04/12/17 10:23AM ID: 68868096	Question 1 - Proud of what we do in Lydney but hospital makes working difficult. I spent time in Tewkesbury and it was great		
792	04/12/17 10:30AM ID: 68868372	Question 1 - Really important we invest in the future NOT the past Question 3 - I don't think it matters. More central not Lydney as not central Question4 - Just get on with it Other Comments - Really important we look to the future - Need to listen to younger generation		
793	04/12/17 10:42AM ID: 68869487	The idea of local Hospital for the Forest of Dean people is a good idea, but will not work for the locals		

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794	04/12/17 10:43AM ID: 68867488	<p>I am very much in favour of the principle of a new hospital with up to date facilities but am extremely concerned about the low number of beds proposed for in-patients. This for the following reasons:-</p> <p>1) It is stated that many of the present beds are occupied by patients from outside the area. These patients will not disappear. Nowhere is it explained why these patients occupy Forest beds at present or where facilities for them will exist in the future.</p> <p>2) The population of the Forest area is increasing and there is constant pressure for more houses to be provided here. There are existing approved plans for a large new development in Lydney and the scrapping of Severn Bridge tolls in 2019 will inevitably lead to increased housing demand more development in the S. Forest area. These factors do not seem to have been taken into account in the consultation document which envisages a slowdown in the rate of growth of the population in the years to 2025. A population increase of only b2,700 in 9 years (and no growth thereafter?) is totally unrealistic.</p> <p>I recognise that the number of inpatient stays for acute treatment and surgery is decreasing in number and duration but this is not the type of patient we are considering in 'community' hospitals.</p>		
795	04/12/17 10:47AM ID: 68870175	<p>Question 3 - I think the new provision should be at the Northern Quarter in Cinderford with District Council providing the land - enhanced surgery provision in Lydney</p> <p>Other comments - Should District Council provide the land for new hospital Keep Dilke site for End of Life or for some other health / Social care provision</p>		
796	04/12/17 10:50AM ID: 68870679	Consultation?? Will tell you that we want 2 hospitals to remain in the forest and the 11 million pounds spent on these 2 hospitals.		
797	04/12/17 10:51AM ID: 68870069	I think that this is a once in a lifetime opportunity and I hope that although we need to acknowledge the sentiment that exists round the existing hospitals, that this can be put to once side and a reasonable and rational decision can be made. The people of the Forest of Dean deserve a new hospital.		
798	04/12/17 10:52AM ID: 68870962	Have visited several " new builds" not suitable for us here in the Forest of Dean, not enough beds, not enough details on services. Cant agree when I don't know what I am agreeing to		
799	04/12/17 10:55AM ID: 68871242	<p>Question 1 -It is vital to invest in a new hospital if we are to keep staff in Forest</p> <p>Question 3 - On a main road - Important to be accessible for Gloucester and view of SWAST needed</p>		
800	04/12/17 11:05AM ID: 68871449	Not enough information		
801	04/12/17 11:09AM ID: 68872441	<p>Question 5 - Obtained this copy from my GPs surgery</p> <p>Other comments - How many of the financial woes today are caused by trying to act as the international health service</p>		
802	04/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68872761	Action needed soon - there must be no loss of facilities / care / beds in the transition		
803	04/12/17 11:23AM ID: 68873123	<p>Investment needs to be long term to give patients the wonderful care I have had the privilege of receiving since my birth at Dilke over 60 years ago. I do hope that generations to come will be able to experience this too, and not look back to realise that we don't know what we have lost, when its gone for good.</p> <p>P.S please bring back a maternity ward?</p>		
804	04/12/17 11:32AM ID: 68873979	Well done - There is much though put into this and if the proposals work in practice we shall have made great progress with ownership of FOD residents in the new hospital. Specialist services for eyes and ears would save enormous amounts of travelling for older people. Base your bed numbers on the growing FOD not the present		

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805	04/12/17 12:55PM ID: 68881799	<p>It is essential we have a healthcare facility that is fit for purpose the existing sites struggle and the facilities that are on offer do not meet our complex patients needs due to lack of space no storage lack of ensue facility to rooms, poor access, Lydney hss no main reception and there are no dayrooms in either hospital. the amount of money that will be required to keep both sites running in the future will be poor use of NHS funds and maintaining two sites will not be sustainable.</p> <p>the number of beds is questionable and a 30 bedded ward would be more future proof even if some beds were just opened for winter pressures.</p> <p>It is essential outpatient activity continues to provide the range of services it currently offers and we need to make provision for mobile mammography, MRI eye screening and chemotherapy</p> <p>We need to provide a dementia friendly environment along with outside dementia friendly gardens</p> <p>X-Ray will need two rooms to make use of new roles such as assistant radiographer practitioner role</p> <p>It is so concerning that some of the public do not want a new facility and do not even understand the challenges of the providing healthcare in the current buildings which are no longer suitable for modern healthcare as things have changes and our patients needs have changed</p>		
806	04/12/17 1:10PM ID: 68875274	<p>This major change needs to be "sold" to the people of the Forest. They need to understand exactly how a new, single hospital can truly benefit them and their families now and in the future. Please note my comments below:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. number of inpatient beds. The number on offer is said to be 24, significantly lower than the current 40+. Explanations have included that some beds are currently used by people living outside FOD. However, there are also Foresters being cared for in other county community hospitals. All mental health beds are outside the Forest area. 2. The variety of in patient beds: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i) maternity beds. I agree that in this day and age, when mothers return home very quickly following a birth, the cost of staffing a maternity unit alongside the increased risk of inadequate acute facilities in emergency situations is not viable ii) mental health beds and specially designed in patient and out patient facilities for people with dementia and associated conditions. The number of people who would benefit , we know, is highly likely to rise in the near future iii) I would strongly suggest consideration for designated palliative care beds, with specialised staff working in close liaison with the specialist palliative care team headed by Dr Husbands and with Great Oaks Hospice. There is excellent Hospice at Home service from Great Oaks in the Forest that ensures most people can be at home if that is their choice. however, there are times when care locally within a specialised unit would be hugely helpful - for much quicker symptom control, for respite for both patient and family, for end of life care. This unit bridges the gap between home based hospice services and very specialist hospice care provided by Sue Ryder, some 30 plus miles away. The skills and experiences of this unit's staff would also enhance the care given across the other in patient areas. Rotational posts? 3. Facility for small procedures and surgery to be undertaken eg minor operations 4,. Wider range of clinics for treatment as well as consultations eg chemo clinics (I appreciate the role of the Hope for Tomorrow buses), blood transfusions, ascetic taps and other clinical procedures 5. Carefully designed meeting space for group work eg where young people (say 13-25 year olds) can meet and have access to health care practitioners, where older people can have day care provision so their health is easily monitored and potential problems caught early with the added benefit of treating "loneliness" 6. Café area where people can wait in comfort 7. On site base for other community services eg OT's, physio's, child health services, Social Workers, Adult Social Care Services etc etc. For these health and social care professionals to be together in one place hugely increases communication and effectiveness of all associated community services 8. NHS Dental services 9. Mental health services 10. Alcohol and drug rehab services 11. Within the area there is much angst around possible location in terms of accessibility. Truly, there are very few people who can WALK to the current hospitals and therefore need to use own or public transport!!! You have said that there would 		

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		<p>be new and better transport links - great. PLEASE also make sure there is plenty of parking within the new hospital grounds, and that it will be FREE.</p> <p>This is an exciting opportunity with huge potential to provide innovative and Forest friendly facilities to last a lifetime, and more! PLEASE use it to house as many services as possible within the new hospital with provision of as many beds as possible even if some are not needed immediately. There is surely never a cheaper time to install "wards" that are actually multi-purpose and can be easily adapted to different uses as the needs of Foresters change.</p> <p>I will welcome a new, much deserved and needed, community hospital, as will many, many people in the Forest. Clear information about what, where and when would now help, especially the "doubters". As would irrevocable commitment within a short time frame - the sooner , the better!!!!</p>		
807	04/12/17 2:07PM ID: 68888839	What about all the money donated by local people to improve both hospitals		
808	04/12/17 2:14PM ID: 68889116	<p>Question 1 - I agree to two hospitals becoming one, if it will be : More efficient, big enough and easier for all the staff</p> <p>Other comments - I am part of the post war baby boom generation - there must be sufficient beds planned for the future Lydney hospital was a wonderful gift for this community - we don't want to lose it, or its equivalent Over the last 14 years, members of my extended family have used outpatients at Lydney and A&E at both hospitals, one operation and two residential stays in Lydney hospital</p>		
809	04/12/17 2:16PM ID: 68889799	<p>Question 1 - Dilke not fit for use</p> <p>Other comments - Stop moaning - Would like 24 hour A&E but know that might be impossible</p>		
810	04/12/17 2:19PM ID: 68890004	As someone who is always supported our local hospital financially with donations to fund raising events I am now inclined to question why?		
811	04/12/17 2:20PM ID: 68887254	Investment in the present Hospitals would be the best option for the people in the Forest of Dean		
812	04/12/17 2:22PM ID: 68890358	<p>Question1 - Albeit reluctantly, The Dilke is close to us. I don't drive (my husband does) and to go to Lydney hospital for example I have had to use a taxi</p> <p>Question 3 - Accessibility by public transport is essential</p>		
813	04/12/17 2:23PM ID: 68890608	not in agreement with these proposals		
814	04/12/17 2:26PM ID: 68890816	Waste of money to keep maintaining old buildings which could be better spent on medical care		
815	04/12/17 2:29PM ID: 68891210	We deserve better		
816	04/12/17 3:12PM ID: 68895236	<p>Respect the heritage of the area and consider accessibility for all ie those that don't have or can't afford a car to get about on the B roads that service the Fof D. Invest/configure 24 hours accessibility to some kind of medical coverage for the Forest eg further use of out of hours/GP care based in the Forest rather than forcing residents to travel over 20 miles to receive emergency care. The questions in the survey are biased/geared towards a two site option. The agenda is clear (ie one new hospital) rather than being truly transparent and open to other options. The decision appears to have been made already.</p>		
817	04/12/17 3:17PM ID: 68896882	It's key that the MIU's are retained, expanded to 24/7 and staffed appropriately to prevent unnecessary attendances at the local Acute Sites (Royal Gwent & GRH).		

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818	04/12/17 3:28PM ID: 68896637	<p>Other areas in Gloucestershire where this has been implemented there has been and still is problematic. Winchcombe has a terrible out pt clinic (a portacabin) rarely used by library and only 3 semi available beds.</p> <p>Tewkesbury -looks lovely but has building issues and far too few beds.</p> <p>Moreton is remote and hard to access for those without transport.</p> <p>The list could go on.</p> <p>New and comprehensive services are required in the FOD but they need to be adequate for another 25 years and not based on the outdated data which is created by folk who currently should use the facilities but don't because they are often closed, not adequate (limited xray) or unable to deal with their compliant</p>		
819	04/12/17 4:28PM ID: 68901960	<p>I believe that the new hospital should be situated in Lydney as there are better transport links and the increase in population of the south forest. Cinderford population would be close to both Lydney and Gloucester if required but Sedbury population would have a greater than 30 minute transport if situated at Cinderford.</p> <p>Concern of the reduction of beds.</p> <p>The new hospital should have the capacity to offer X-ray for MIU 7 days a week to reduce the need to travel to Gloucester which increase cost to the local population, waiting times and carbon print.</p>		
820	04/12/17 5:53PM ID: 68910398	<p>I hope a new hospital would be able to offer longer opening hours and increased facilities to avoid trips in to Gloucester Royal Hospital even after being seen at the Forest based hospital, le/ for x-rays.</p> <p>I feel very strongly that parking should remain free of charge at any hospital facility.</p>		
821	04/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68918338	<p>Present the results of the consultation and provide evidence its worked. Most people i know had never heard about it.</p> <p>The overall process and the decision making should be reviewed in a more transparent manner by an independent body, represented by a range of views and perspectives. Has the decision making been scrutinised by the NAO, for example?</p> <p>In particular, the experiences from similar changes should be presented so that unintended consequences can be reviewed and mitigated.</p> <p>We all know that there is a finite amount of money and resources but if the evidence for change is not presented transparently along with the risks, how can we sure this change represents value for money and an optimal choice.</p> <p>.</p>		
822	04/12/17 8:11PM ID: 68914041	<p>Having been a very longstanding member of staff at GRH and most of the Gloucestershire Community Hospitals I accept that the fabric and structure of the two existing hospitals are not sustainable. I was present during the transfer from Berkeley to The Vale which, despite numerous teething problems ,seemed to be successful and inevitable. However, these projects always seem to be exploited as an opportunity to cut costs by reducing services.</p> <p>I cannot comprehend the logic of cutting the beds so drastically. The line we are constantly fed is that replacing hospital stays with care at home is an improvement. This always proves difficult to deliver as Councils are continually deprived of funds from Central Government.</p>		
823	04/12/17 8:14PM ID: 68915523	<p>IT'S ABOUT LOOKING AFTER THE COMMUNITY AS A WHOLE AND ABOUT THEM BEING RESPONSIBLE TO LOOK AFTER THEMSELVES TO ENJOY THIS WONDERFULL PART OF THE WORLD WE LIVE BY EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS, FIRST AID CLASSES, NOTICES, EVENING CLASSES AND IN THE DOCTORS SURGERY WITH FIRST AID VIDEOS ETC.</p> <p>TO BE THERE TO SUPPORT THEM WHEN THEY ARE INJURED OR NEED HELP.</p> <p>We have a brilliant NHS but we must not let it be abused by patents or staff and it must be cost affective by careful budgetary control but funds must be there for the staff to be paid adequately and fairly.</p>		
824	04/12/17 8:21PM	Coleford would be ideal		

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	ID: 68921149	I would hope the present hospitals would be put to good use.		
825	04/12/17 9:01PM ID: 68922358	This consultation satisfies the need to be seen to consult. Those who set the criteria, gave themselves an easy target.		
826	05/12/17 8:28AM ID: 68939951	What will happen to the new x-ray machine in Lydney Hospital? This should stay in the Forest when a large part of the cost was met by local people. There should be some recognition of the substantial support Lydney and Dilke have received over the years from the public. The proposal to cut the number of beds available from 47 to 24 is a mistake in my view. Spare capacity is needed for flexibility within Gloucestershire Hospitals. If you want more bed blocking at GRH and Cheltenham go ahead. In view of the crisis in Care and Nursing Homes what about some pay beds?		
827	05/12/17 9:12AM ID: 68944591	Question 1 - Too many people looking backwards Other comments - If we care about the Forest, get on with it and stop privatisation		
828	05/12/17 9:15AM ID: 68945019	Question 1 - It would be great to have a new hospital like Tewkesbury in the Forest Question 3 - I think it should be on a bus route Other comments - Listen to younger people		
829	05/12/17 9:16AM ID: 68945363	Yes we need a new hospital		
830	05/12/17 9:20AM ID: 68945489	Your booklet is very obscure and totally lacking in detailed facts and figures. It takes no account of demographic trends nor the topography of the Forest		
831	05/12/17 9:30AM ID: 68945937	Attended Coleford protest meeting The ?? (Cannot read) of information level makes me feel I am being treated with contempt. Whoever approved this is either totally incompetent or trying to pull a fast one		
832	05/12/17 9:34AM ID: 68947065	Question 1 - I work at both hospitals and they are not fit for purpose. Just look at the new hospitals we have		
833	05/12/17 9:38AM ID: 68947581	Staff are great but current wards not nice		
834	05/12/17 9:45AM ID: 68947831	I have attended one of the presentations. I did not come away any clearer than that a new hospital will be built whatever the residents of the Forest of Dean wish. We cannot even be told where the hospital is to be sited		
835	05/12/17 9:54AM ID: 68948277	due to size and Geographic's of the Forest, the best option is to keep both hospitals as they are		
836	05/12/17 9:59AM ID: 68949196	Question 3 - Must be in the Forest of Dean around about Cinderford or Lydney Other comments - Local hospitals are better for all types of people		
837	05/12/17 10:20AM ID: 68949437	Question 4 - With the bias to B Other comments - The number of proposed beds are too few and should be increased by X2 for future proofing No provision included for mental health patients This seems like the decision has already been made and the consultation is purely to pacify resistance from the community		
838	05/12/17 10:25AM ID: 68951390	Question 1 - I would have liked more information about what will be in the new hospital, but when I spoke to the person on the bus they seemed to know Other comments - I hope a decision can be made quickly. Don't listen to the No sayers, they don't speak for me.		

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839	05/12/17 10:27AM ID: 68951808	Question 1 - About time the Forest of Dean had a new hospital - important for the future Comments - I support this - it is important we don't lag behind in the Forest		
840	05/12/17 10:37AM ID: 68952632	Trust there will be MIU day & Night Hope there will be facilities elsewhere for those from outside forest. Look forward to an increase in specialists with information		
841	05/12/17 10:40AM ID: 68952890	A new hospital must have the same or more beds - population will grow so it seems madness to have a wonderful new hospital - but with much fewer beds		
842	05/12/17 10:48AM ID: 68953238	Must have more beds NOT less The operating theatre (at great expense) and day surgery ward should NEVER have been left to waste, shameful money not used to repair upgrade lift! There is already was an endoscopy / flexi sigmoidoscopy provision again was stopped yet now you want to reintroduce? Stop setting up services, then closing, then proposing same again		
843	05/12/17 10:57AM ID: 68954046	Question 3 - The new hospital must be accessible by public transport for all areas of the forest of Dean Other comments - In the event that a new hospital is built, the Dilke hospital should be used as a hospice or for respite care or similar. The Dilke hospital was paid for and built by the local people and should not be sold		
844	05/12/17 10:59AM ID: 68954801	Question 1 - We need a new hospital with A&E. Mental health team should be there too Other comments - Thank you for giving me the opportunity to comment. Keep the NHS safe		
845	05/12/17 11:07AM ID: 68955025	Question 3 - I don't think it would take the amount of money being talked about to upgrade both the community hospitals and would be better for the people that live here. Glos is 30 miles away and the car parking expensive. If you have to go by bus, even if you travel free you have to wait around in the cold if it is a late appointment, means you come back in the dark not recommended for elderly people on their own Other comments - Many more young people should be told as it will affect their future health and welfare. Things are moving fast and depends on them what will when they have young children who need help		
846	05/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68955953	Let common sense prevail		
847	05/12/17 11:17AM ID: 68956171	When the severn bridge tolls are reduced and eventually abolished more people will be coming to live this side of the river, therefore more services and beds will be required. Also why was endoscopy taken from the Dilke! Ten years ago I had it done there and it was fine		
848	05/12/17 11:28AM ID: 68956983	The range of services provided by a new hospital is vague so far. Lydney and The Dilke have flourished because of "Forest" history and pride. A proposed new hospital must mean as much		
849	05/12/17 11:31AM ID: 68957748	Question 1 - I love living in the Forest of Dean. It would be good to have a hospital close to a school so we could help Other comments - Really enjoyed speaking to people about this - they explained it really well		
850	05/12/17 11:33AM ID: 68958017	The consultation document tells us nothing even the pictures are not of hospital ideas, just pretty views. Is this a one size fits all, very bad show NHS		
851	05/12/17 11:35AM ID: 68958173	This consultation does not give enough information to enable an answer which would make a major change in our area and I fear it would be for the worse		
852	05/12/17 11:38AM	Question 2 - Where is the hospital to be?		

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	ID: 68958417	Other comments - I am worried about the number of beds proposed. I don't buy the "it will only be for locals" argument. how can I be consulted on something for which there is no information		
853	05/12/17 11:41AM ID: 68958730	The thing about the new hospital is the number of beds suggested. With the population growing year or year with more housing being built in Coleford, Cinderford, Lydney and the rest of the forest. I suggest more like "70 beds" or more would be likely for this hospital		
854	05/12/17 11:44AM ID: 68959026	Money should be used to update existing 2 hospitals to keep the amount of existing beds and to increase outpatients clinics, small operations, Dialysis unit and bring back maternity dept		
855	05/12/17 11:51AM ID: 68959300	Question 4 - A single hospital would be a retrograde step and will not consider Question 5 - attended public meetings Other comments - with 2 hospitals if there is an outbreak and one hospital has to close, we still have another we cannot afford to decrease on the number of beds we need more to accommodate the ever increasing population		
856	05/12/17 11:53AM ID: 68959952	Don't let the FOD get left behind. A new hospital would be brilliant for the area. They have them elsewhere in Gloucestershire. Lets grasp this opportunity		
857	05/12/17 12:04PM ID: 68960131	It would be good to know what amount of budget has already been allocated for this project, this will determine the size and resource facilities that will be made available		
858	05/12/17 12:07PM ID: 68961257	Question 1 - If the number of beds is that of the existing 2 hospitals		
859	05/12/17 12:10PM ID: 68961583	Question 1 - This is a ridiculous situation, this issue should not have gone out to consultation, you have given voice to a deluded minority sub section of people that do not want ANY development in the Forest of Dean Other comments - I fully support a new hospital		
860	05/12/17 12:22PM ID: 68962397	The Dilke has been eroded over the years so it is ready to be gotten rid of, very sad! Also as I work full time I have been unable to access daytime presentations or drop ins as I do not get home until 6.30pm. At weekend I care for my disabled mum in Banbury		
861	05/12/17 12:30PM ID: 68962982	The info provided changed my view. I admired the new community hospitals in Dursley etc. The foresters also deserve that. However I understand local attachment to the Dilke and Lydney and the funds and efforts that went into them. Some way must be found to incorporate that legacy of charity and good will. Any money from the sale of the sites of the 2 hospitals should be used to enhance the new hospital facility i.e gardens, landscaping, visitors waiting area and coffee shop, so that the "old" contributes to the new. Newent is known as a "forest town and should be also served by a new hospital (as we use the Dilke)		
862	05/12/17 12:34PM ID: 68963759	Question 3 - Dilke hospital (new hospital too small) 24 beds only and no maternity ward Other comments - The new scheme goes through - why travel 20 miles when you can travel 5 miles Thank you Mark Harper?		
863	05/12/17 12:35PM ID: 68963778	There has been an impressive attempt to engage local people in a grown up consultation process - thank you		
864	05/12/17 12:43PM ID: 68964195	To be reassured that if it should go ahead that for people like my husband and I should be able to go to a new hospital in Cinderford so we wouldn't need to go to Glos like we do now/ As we are both disabled and would need help if this wasn't to be as we couldn't use public transport as I have osteoarthritis and my husband has		

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		dementia		
865	05/12/17 1:37PM ID: 68970023	What is being proposed is a convalescent home not a hospital because the definition of a hospital is a place used for surgical or medical treatment		
866	05/12/17 1:39PM ID: 68970294	A hospital is supposed to treat people either medically or surgically otherwise its a hospice or convalescent home		
867	05/12/17 1:46PM ID: 68970579	This document, nor your staff can give us the required information to make this life change in our forest of Dean, we must retain our number of beds, treatment needed - cataract, hernia, chemotherapy, physio, A&E, none of these are mentioned. Ambulance station and how can we vote on something that may never happen sounds like brexit AND you say more care in the home, you cant get enough carers now		
868	05/12/17 1:47PM ID: 68971207	Crazy idea		
869	05/12/17 1:49PM ID: 68971310	We need the two hospital where they are already		
870	05/12/17 1:50PM ID: 68968022	Not everything comes down to cost, such as the forest of dean location, having two community hospitals over a wide spread area where transport, low income and remoteness makes perfect sense, unless this is done without you trying to cut costs and sell land that is prime for development, making capital money for Directors to waste, you will destroy the FoD and Gloucester hospital could find it becomes even more overloaded with patients from FoD areas I think having a maternity facility would be good as well in both hospitals, no more risk than home births		
871	05/12/17 1:55PM ID: 68971804	Dilke Hospital - lost three wards, Maternity, Mens and Womens - approx. 30 - 49 beds, we need more beds not less. Why did you stop doing endoscopy there?		
872	05/12/17 2:01PM ID: 68972234	FOD community has accepted too much reduction in provision for too long. If we were Stroud or Cotswolds, this would not wash. Time for a fight back		
873	05/12/17 2:03PM ID: 68972638	New hospital long overdue		
874	05/12/17 2:06PM ID: 68972774	Question 1 - we all want this to happen at the Dilke Question 2 - I don't think we can manage without a hospital but more care can be provided in the community. I don't know why everyone talks about the beds Other comments - I really love working for GCS - so much better than Gloucester Royal		
875	05/12/17 2:08PM ID: 68971131	as all of this is in the planning stage its difficult to comment but the main concern is it needs to be in the forest of dean area not in Wales/glos		
876	05/12/17 2:10PM ID: 68973115	The existing Lydney Hospital is still very good but a new one would be even better		
877	05/12/17 2:18PM ID: 68974088	I wish to see both hospitals being maintained and the present services within them, until a new hospital is ready for use		
878	05/12/17 2:20PM ID: 68974281	Question 1 - My GP has told me this is a good idea and I trust her		
879	05/12/17 2:24PM ID: 68974588	Question 2 - but we need to secure the future, for the next generations Question 3 - The Northern Quarter is ideal location Other comments - If both hospitals are in a bad state of repair its best to close them AS LONG AS THE MONEY WILL BE SPENT IN THE FOREST OF DEAN		
880	05/12/17 2:30PM ID: 68974474	more than 24 beds needed		

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881	05/12/17 2:53PM ID: 68977241	It's clear we need modern, comprehensive and fit for purpose premises in the Forest of Dean. Essential elements in the choice of location must be access for both private vehicles and public transport, a parking system that doesn't cause distress to long term patients and visitors, an environmentally sensitive place. The staff need to have proper provision for parking, which should be free. And those on call need good living accommodation for their periods of duty.		
882	05/12/17 3:34PM ID: 68980992	I think the FOD will benefit from a new purpose built hospital. I have heard too many locals moan and groan about the NHS taking away their hospitals. We are so fortunate to have such services and a NHS system, I can understand the roots behind many of the NO views but we need to look forward and its time to get up to date. I for one would welcome the new hospital. It would be nice to have some sort of view on where it goes.		
883	05/12/17 3:47PM ID: 68982221	No further comments,only leave us as we are.		
884	05/12/17 3:58PM ID: 68982400	By cutting back on bed numbers doctors nurses & staff it will put vulnerable people at risk & become very stressful if not enough room to cater for all		
885	05/12/17 5:26PM ID: 68990859	Sad that this has become a political issue with local people not listening to what the dedicated people working in the two hospitals are telling us. So important that we now look to the future.		
886	05/12/17 7:09PM ID: 68997548	Please no closure of the dilke		
887	05/12/17 7:27PM ID: 68998184	Do not be persuaded/influenced by protest groups infiltrated by extreme political activists or local businessmen concerned with self-interest.		
888	05/12/17 7:51PM ID: 68999097	Better to have enough beds to cope than enough beds to struggle ...		
889	05/12/17 8:32PM ID: 69001010	Redeploy current staff to staff new hospital and have sufficient cover at all times to keep beds open. To have modern operating theatres in full use to cut waiting times. To keep in supply locally anti- venom for snake bites - the Forest has Adders and if bitten along time before treatment can be administered, if you have to travel to Gloucester Royal Hospital. Chose a large enough site for staff and public parking. Room to expand in future to meet current & future needs bearing in mind that a large proportion of young people have moved out of the area due to lack of employment opportunities and there is a growing number of older people .		
890	05/12/17 8:53PM ID: 69001507	I work on non emergency patient transport visiting all of the hospitals in Gloucestershire. The 3 new hospitals, The Vale at Dursley, North Cots at Moreton in the Marsh and Tewkesbury are excellent. Modern up-to-date facilities that are beneficial to a patient's recovery however, a major factor is the staff. Having caring, compassionate staff that appreciate and understand a patient's needs is key. I am sure that the staff appreciate working in these new centres too. Both of our local hospitals have an excellent reputation which is primarily a reflection of the staff. Foresters (Cinderford, Drybrook, Coleford areas) regard the Dilke as being 'home'. This was born out the desperate conditions that many Foresters found themselves in. I expect Lydney and district feel the same for Lydney hospital. I am sure the population will eventually adopt the new facility too. I want my children and their children to have the best facilities available. If this means having a new hospital I am all for it.		
891	05/12/17 10:07PM ID: 69006760	Nobe		
892	06/12/17 12:33AM ID: 69011677	it would be nice for people to be made more aware of the benefits of a single hospital by being shown the success of the already new hospitals that are up and running and the benefit they have to the local community in that area.		

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893	06/12/17 9:01AM ID: 69025004	I find it difficult to make a positive suggestion		
894	06/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69033344	Tell us all the facts. Say what has already been mooted or is already the preferred option as a location for a new hospital by those operating behind the scenes. As things stand the Lydney and Dilke hospitals should remain, possibly in conjunction with a new hospital facility - why not?		
895	06/12/17 10:18AM ID: 69035127	I think that you must take into account the opinions of the local people, and try to ensure that the location chosen is accessible to both areas, and has plenty of parking and easy access. Incidentally, the parking should be free to hospital patients/visitors.		
896	06/12/17 10:31AM ID: 69037086	The current hospitals are not fit for purpose. A new hospital is desperately needed. The location of the hospital should be recommended through clinical engagement, not through the view of residents, as they do not have the information required to be able to make an informed decision based on clinical need.		
897	06/12/17 10:33AM ID: 69036374	Current estate and services are not sustainable to the quality of care provision that health care professionals would wish to provide to the local population. It would be best to develop the one hospital that is built specially with the healthcare needs of the population of the FOD and supported by the community services in the area.		
898	06/12/17 10:39AM ID: 69037225	I can't wait to see that the Forest of Dean has a modern, clean, fit for purpose Hospital to serve its community. I am concerned about the reduction in beds proposed however. The area is said to have an increasing population, and therefore the reduction in beds flies in the face of this fact.		
899	06/12/17 12:20PM ID: 69043447	Any Citizens advisory Panel must be elected		
900	06/12/17 12:29PM ID: 69048488	My main concern is the number of beds proposed. I know you say you have done the stats that justify reducing the total bed numbers. But there is a massive precedent for public projects like this to be based on hope over experience. Reducing the number of beds is based on the idea that other services will improve and that pressure will stop coming from other areas in the county. This is very unlikely to happen, of course!!! My husband works at Gloucestershire Royal and everyone knows this hospital is on its knees regarding bed space. It is an ongoing crisis. I do realise that the demand may be limitless, but honestly how can it be ok to plan to reduce the overall number of beds in the county ? its madness. Its not just about the foreseeable ageing population. what if social care gets worse and the problem with bed blocking gets worse? what if we have a flu epidemic? what if the rise in single occupancy households mean fewer people are cared for by relatives in their own homes? I dont really understand why it has to be in 12s but surely should be at least 36 not 24. My guess is that if you go ahead with 24, by the time the hospital is even actually finished it will be clear that it was a mistake, but it will be too late!.		
901	06/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69050850	We don't want you to remove these facilities, local people use them, people who don't have the finances or ability to travel to your proposed new build. Keep these hospitals working please, thank you!		
902	06/12/17 12:43PM ID: 69052040	This would be in line with the other hospitals in the other (Vale, NCH etc) - the current hospitals are old and need maintenance so one new one would be the way forward		
903	06/12/17 4:03PM ID: 69072486	We feel very strongly that the existing combined total of beds in the Dilke and Lydney should be maintained or increased.		
904	06/12/17 4:58PM ID: 69077458	Should be central and have lot more beds		
905	06/12/17 5:10PM ID: 69077987	I am against the closure of either hospitals I am against the establishment of a smaller single unit I see no logic in the centralisation of services the may be better for the finances but are certainly not better for the patient . Bigger aint better Having a local series of small units takes the pressure off of the A & E's at the larger		

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		<p>hospitals it makes sense to keep these smaller units and expand both not reduce the size of them and make them less accessible .</p> <p>Your proposals obviously indicate quite clearly you have decided on a single unit as nowhere do I see an option of retaining the existing 2 units and developing them</p>		
906	06/12/17 5:27PM ID: 69079481	I agree one hospital in the Forest of Dean but must have 40 beds or more. I think this option will be supported by locals wherever the new hospital is built. But you will be wasting your money on 26 beds.		
907	06/12/17 6:05PM ID: 69081914	About time		
908	06/12/17 6:18PM ID: 69082599	It would be great to have closer maternity service. Even if it was a small birthing unit that midwives could use as their base for the forest. Its 35 -40 min drive to any other option.		
909	06/12/17 7:17PM ID: 69085782	Keep them both open invest in them as all the locals do who raise money for it		
910	06/12/17 10:29PM ID: 69093917	Consultation with Dean House, Colliers Court and The Dilke and lydney hospital....all of the staff at these locations know better than anyone what the needs are of the residents of FoD. I believe they are best placed to advise on the ways forward with the proposal. As far as I am aware Colliers Court staff have not been consulted with.		
911	06/12/17 10:47PM ID: 69094443	<p>The only good option of those offered in section 9 is option 2. This should have been done long ago instead of letting hospitals decline in order to justify closing services.</p> <p>This consultation is skewed and should have been run before - not after - any official view was reached about which option is best.</p> <p>Please clarify your statement.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The two community hospitals are reaching the stage where it is becoming increasingly difficult to support the provision of modern, efficient, effective, high-quality care; <p>Why are they reaching this 'stage'? Doesn't this statement mean that the people in charge are not doing their jobs properly? Perhaps best step aside and employ someone who can do the job.</p>		
912	06/12/17 10:55PM ID: 69094304	I think that it is imperative that we do not as a society lose any sense of community. Closing two well-established hospitals and attempting to start in a new location seems a retrograde step to me. I am most concerned at the idea that beds will be cut. More beds will be needed not less. It seems nonsensical that it could be cheaper to build new rather than update and extend the provision already in place. For the elderly it is vital that the option to recuperate and rehabilitate close to friends and relatives and familiar environs be available.		
913	06/12/17 11:22PM ID: 69095116	<p>As Lydney is within 30 minutes of the majority of the population the new hospital should be sighted where and existing infrastructure is also really available from buses to train station.</p> <p>The population of Lydney is likely to double in the next 10 years. Extensive house building taking place and planned.</p> <p>An ideal site would be the flat fields either side of BATHURST SWMMING POOL easy access to highways, bus and rail stations.</p> <p>A new hospital should have the number of beds to meet the NHS guidelines based on population and projected so nearer to 100 NOT the 24 proposed.</p> <p>From Lydney either Gloucester Hospital or Southmead in Bristol is within easy access</p>		

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		<p>for more complicated cases and would not require a drive across the Forest to a main road before driving to either hospital.</p> <p>Lydney in the winter is always accessible unlike other major areas of the Forest which is on Higher elevations.</p> <p>The current outdated two doctors surgeries in Lydney could be incorporated in a new community hospital, would thus save money updating current surgeries. Doctors would also be on site which would be a bonus to the hospital.</p>		
914	07/12/17 9:11AM ID: 69107630	<p>Question 2 - Neither includes my options above! The "facts" you have provided are not substantiated and have been provided by organisations that in the main do not represent patients</p> <p>Question 4 - A much fuller democratic decision making than any of those listed above!</p> <p>Other comments - your case is very vague and misleading, you have provided a few figures at all! Your view of available finance seems to be set in stone. Financial figures can change (especially if there is a general election) are the figures based on a PFI model?</p>		
915	07/12/17 9:16AM ID: 69108269	Newent residents will not drive to Coleford as it's too far		
916	07/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69110229	<p>Question 4 - Keep both hospitals</p> <p>Other comments - We need more beds in the Forest with more amenities not less</p>		
917	07/12/17 9:41AM ID: 69110478	Listen to the residents		
918	07/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69111001	<p>I believe that there is strong community support based on use and investment in the two sites. The community needs to see a return for investment in the new hospital and associated service. What community returns would be valued - a birthing unit through community midwives an approach used by other rural provides and good public transport (at least until autonomous cars are every day!) or supported access.</p> <p>The lack of information about what services will be available leads the ground open for suspicion about more cuts. There is little sense of health and social care of the future rather than what has been offered through victorian buildings.</p> <p>A commitment to explore health, welfare and uses for the sites which offer community impact, rather than the perception of a high commercial return would unlock support.</p>		
919	07/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69112140	<p>Minimum 40 beds</p> <p>Prefer Lydney area</p>		
920	07/12/17 10:05AM ID: 69112382	Please note not everyone has a computer - so report needs to be published for the 20% or more of population not online		
921	07/12/17 10:12AM ID: 69113320	Best location on Station link road, Lydney. The Dilke should be kept for other care provision owing to strong local links to Forest Heritage		
922	07/12/17 10:17AM ID: 69113638	<p>This survey is far too complicated to complete especially for an older person.</p> <p>Therefore eliminating feedback from the most important group of people who will be using the services of the new hospital had the go ahead</p>		
923	07/12/17 10:22AM ID: 69114166	Need more beds not less. Planning provision given for more residential housing in Lydney - aging population. sort out Gloucester bed situation so that they don't take up FOD beds. roads in the FOD grind to a halt in winter conditions, takes ages for gritters to deal with minor roads		
924	07/12/17 10:23AM ID: 69113188	<p>Consideration must be given to those patients that rely on public transport, especially if appointment times do not correspond with any future bus links.</p> <p>I believe that as both existing hospitals were mostly funded by sources outside of the</p>		

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		NHS that closing them down is outside of their original intention. With regards to Lydney as the land was gifted by the Bathurst family has the original title of transfer been checked as to the status of closing the Hospital ie can the NHS even sell the land?		
925	07/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69114606	Question 4 - See previous answer Question 5 - Attended public meetings Other comments - Sorry but this whole consultation has been badly done. You have not done your homework. Beds - treatments - accessibility - location - not sufficient information		
926	07/12/17 10:30AM ID: 69115172	A lot of opposition but I am for a new hospital, some locals need to stop being so small minded		
927	07/12/17 10:33AM ID: 69115390	This is a forest issue, therefore only forest people decide not people living in urban areas of the rest of Gloucestershire, who do not share our views, perspectives or issues		
928	07/12/17 10:50AM ID: 69113756	It is not good enough to justify the reduced number of beds that are proposed, by the number of non Forest patients occupying the existing beds - where will these patients go ? How many Forest patients 'block' acute beds at GRH because Dilke/ Lydney are full to capacity and they therefore cannot be transferred. All you are doing is moving patients around . I am a clinician working all over the county, including both of the Forest hospitals and I wholeheartedly support a new hospital, but if you need an example of how the demands of an increasing elderly population will exceed capacity, then look no further than GRH PFI funded Eye Clinic. Demand for services by this group of patients has far exceeded capacity and the Eye Clinic has had to take over The Orchard Centre, GRH, in addition to the relatively new Outpatient unit, in order to cope with demand. The projected increase in demand was raised on numerous occasions to those responsible for the new Outpatient unit, but the clinicians concerns were largely ignored. This is a once in a lifetime opportunity to 'get it right' for healthcare in The Forest of Dean (which at present is very much 'the poor relation' compared to other areas of Gloucestershire) and the bed capacity should be increased.		
929	07/12/17 10:51AM ID: 69116806	Question 2 - The benefits aren't large enough to justify cost and risk		
930	07/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69117003	As local people / residents will be the main users. There should be a VOTE by them and the majority should be elected. NOT a decision by LOCAL COUNCILORS		
931	07/12/17 11:00AM ID: 69117446	As you will notice, we (my wife and 1) are both against replacing a satisfactory set up here with the option at 4 above		
932	07/12/17 11:04AM ID: 69117789	Local users i.e The patients / people should be asked where they would like it and the decision made of the majority vote		
933	07/12/17 11:16AM ID: 69118059	Question 2 - for us but I cannot assure for everyone else Question 3 - Look, you seem to be on a collision course for a new hospital in the area, so sensibly why not. Why for goodness sake do you wish to send to Glos RH or Hereford for all the general issues on other Question - How much has this cost so far? Question 4 - Again we have 2 local hospitals, I cant imagine they went through this debate to have them built! Other comments - This country (politicians especially in opposition) want more money for the NHS. Here we have two hospitals and the wish is to spend £ss to build another one. What sense? Patiwents at the Dilke praise the situation and feel how lucky we are to be at this site		
934	07/12/17 11:21AM ID: 69119512	Question 3 - Coleford as its midway to Lydney and Cinderford also I feel the 5 acres college / sports site would be ideal as its collectively a large flat site and on a main Glos / Monmouth road which is direct and a better road for travelling. (especially in the winter months) Other comments - Although the two existing hospitals do their best and are lovely		

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		cottage hospitals and very friendly and homely, they are not upto the standards of today and Gloucester Hospital is too far to travel when living in the forest		
935	07/12/17 11:28AM ID: 69119966	Be honest with the public and front up you know your option will go down "like a lead weight"		
936	07/12/17 11:30AM ID: 69120809	I think the public should have a very large say in the location etc on this new hospital		
937	07/12/17 11:35AM ID: 69121102	Question 4 - I do not agree Other comments - The Forest Hospital will not have enough beds, no rehab or convalescent unit. No public transport link - do not drive		
938	07/12/17 11:39AM ID: 69121561	Any money spent should be on two current hospitals which local people have also spent and given money to as the buildings are already standing and can be adapted with money which would be used on a new building of one hospital		
939	07/12/17 11:48AM ID: 69122395	Question 2 - Come clean, where is it? How can impact be considered if we are in the dark! Other comments - Please consider the growing numbers of older patients when it comes to getting to / from any new hospital. The present system works for most		
940	07/12/17 11:54AM ID: 69122850	Physiotherapy stopped at Dilke - why not train another nurse? Equipment still at Dilke. Endoscopy equipment still at Dilke - why not use it?		
941	07/12/17 12:01PM ID: 69123420	I hope our views will be listened to but am afraid that this will not happen and a fait accompli has already occurred		
942	07/12/17 12:08PM ID: 69124239	This questionnaire is not well written. It should be much more clearly constructed with "yes" or "no" answers to simple questions that most can understand		
943	07/12/17 12:16PM ID: 69125014	Attended other public meeting		
944	07/12/17 12:24PM ID: 69125839	Question 4 - I do not agree Other comments - see other comments above The forest has no rehab or convalescent facilities - these are essential for a new hospital No public transport links for everyone in the forest		
945	07/12/17 12:42PM ID: 69127614	The sense I get from this consultation is that a decision has already been made and you are only paying lip service to consulting the public. Beds would be halved and no guarantee that those available would be there for foresters		
946	07/12/17 12:48PM ID: 69128003	Living close to the Welsh border is a real issue. Any hospital built deeper into the Forest than Lydney would not be accessible for most. From my point of view we might as well carry on to Gloucester which is a slightly better road		
947	07/12/17 12:51PM ID: 69127907	Please consider accessibility for everyone at the edges of the FOD. Even a 'central' location isn't easy to access from the Sedbury and Beachley area		
948	07/12/17 12:53PM ID: 69128414	none		
949	07/12/17 12:54PM ID: 69128389	If a single hospital is built in the Forest of Dean it should have the same facilities (if not more) than the Dilke and Lydney combined, ie beds, operating unit for small to medium size operations, physio unit, baby unit, A&E unit, outpatients unit, ect. If this is not possible then the Dilke and Lydney should remain and improvement be made on both hospitals (Healthcare)		
950	07/12/17 12:55PM ID: 69128676	We struggle to use Gloucester facilities - keep our bed numbers up and in the Forest of Dean as positioned at the moment. The Forest is growing not decreasing		

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951	07/12/17 12:56PM ID: 69128819	good idea		
952	07/12/17 1:00PM ID: 69129056	Question 3 - Needs good transport link for whole forest Other comments - anywhere other than five acres site ideally Cinderford		
953	07/12/17 1:04PM ID: 69127099	<p>The questionnaire is not flexible enough to actually answer the questions without having to choose a "closest" answer rather than actually my option.</p> <p>The questions are leading "would you agree" etc.</p> <p>Two of the questions are confusing (you have to refer back to the booklet to answer the question- if you have one- which if you are answering on the internet probably not).</p> <p>The questionnaire (as far as I am aware) has not been sent to elderly people who are more unlikely to use the internet and of the 5 elderly people I spoke to, none of them knew anything about this consultation or the questionnaire. Their opinions are important and they should be sought.</p> <p>I was unable to answer The question "If the option of a single new community hospital in the Forest" etc accurately as I would like to see a body of local people plus local clinicians both involved and that option was not available. The answer "a combination" you provided may not have included both of these.?</p> <p>The statistics given at the meeting regarding how many beds should there be in the new hospital just didnt add up. You had done a survey to see how many Forest residents were in or had requested to be in the Dilke or Lydney but as I understand it this didnt include people who needed End of Life care and what is the point of counting them and saying only 21 beds were being used by Forest of Dean residents and then saying that out of these 21 none of them would be reserved for Forest of Dean residents which actually means that if this was the number of beds in the new hospital a situation could arise where those 21 beds could end up being used by NON Forest of Dean residents and we would consequently be MUCH worse off !?!?! If you are going to half the number of beds, they must be reserved for Forest of Dean residents ONLY. What a waste of a survey.</p> <p>I know of two people who wanted end of life care in the Lydney or Dilke but their request was not met, with the ageing population of the Forest of Dean, this should be a priority.</p>		
954	07/12/17 1:08PM ID: 69129346	The NHS have just spent money at the Dilke. A state of the art X ray machine has been installed at Lydney. There has been no mention of the physiotherapy facility in Lydney, why not?		
955	07/12/17 1:10PM ID: 69129859	Question 2 - Until we know your location (Section 10) we cant assess Other comments - I think older patients will lose out if access is made more difficult		
956	07/12/17 1:14PM ID: 69130047	With continuing improvements in information sharing, there is no reason why the existing hospitals in the Forest and Gloucestershire cannot be fully integrated with GP surgeries Concerned that any new build will exceed its budget estimates		
957	07/12/17 1:19PM ID: 69130603	Not enough information to make informed decisions but I do feel this is a paper exercise only and that decisions have already been made that will not be to the advantage of patients		
958	07/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69130862	The Forest of Dean is too diverse for one hospital		
959	07/12/17 1:29PM ID: 69131397	If the new hospital is commissioned, what's to stop existing hospitals being closed, then the new plan being mothballed!!!		
960	07/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69131709	<p>I think decisions are made without pre consultation as from this "poor Questionnaire" you seem to have already made a decision from Gloucester. I think local hospitals should remain no matter cost as it is about Health concerns by so say dedicated professionals. If you must build a new community hospital, build it very close to A48 for emergency access. Make it big over 60 beds and all outpatient, x ray, physio, endoscopy, hydrotherapy facilities.</p> <p>*have you seen the fairly new hospital in Ystrad Mynach - Village in Wales Excellent</p>		

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961	07/12/17 2:30PM ID: 69137759	The parameters outlined do not allow one to express ones issues fully. It is almost as if a decision has already been made. A lot more information should be made available to the public concerning *costs *Statistics on bed use *exact location of new hospital - if it is to be completed in 3 years it must be known		
962	07/12/17 4:37PM ID: 69130392	We are really worried that one or both of the hospitals will be sold into the private sector, with developers and entrepreneurs being the people who gain rather than the public for whom the hospitals were created in the first place. If there was solid reassurance that they would remain in the public domain perhaps we would not feel as bad, if for example they became respite care or hospice care to free up the beds in other local hospitals. The bottom line is once these fine hospitals are disposed of there is no going back to what is now a pair of premier and well respected hospitals and there would be gone forever. These building are not falling apart but well cared for and maintained and need to be kept under the umbrella of care services.		
963	07/12/17 6:14PM ID: 69156409	I cannot understand the reluctance to change. We need modern, high quality, buildings if we are going to continue to have hospital services in the Forest of Dean. I have relatives who have been patients in the Dilke over the last twelve months - the wards are far from ideal. Having used the Minor Injuries Unit and attended out of hours appointments at the Dilke the consulting rooms are small, cramped and not particularly private. I welcome a new hospital which will help to secure a good range of services locally into the future. It is time people started to think about the next generation and what they will need!		
964	07/12/17 6:26PM ID: 69157417	The new hospital proposal says that it will tackle concerns for out of hours access. Considering both Lydney and the dilke had extended out of hours until a few years ago why can't it be reinstated		
965	07/12/17 6:58PM ID: 69158845	It is crucial that the number of beds available are maintained, or if possible, increased, ensuring that all forest patients, where appropriate, are able to be treated locally. Beds should not be lost if the new hospital goes ahead. Likewise staff should not be lost.		
966	07/12/17 7:50PM ID: 69162188	Do not allow Mark Harper to have anything to do with this issue		
967	07/12/17 8:03PM ID: 69163041	I completely understand the rationale for a new facility, and I think people who are currently apprehensive about the changes, will embrace it once the new building is open. It will be great for local people and staff.		
968	07/12/17 9:11PM ID: 69165943	New modern purpose modern environment will be great for the people of the Forest of Dean and for the staff working in the new facility. A long time coming - very exciting. Opportunity to develop new services in a new flexible environment. Will support consistent services wich will be available every day all on one site. Attractive facility for staff recruitment for all professionals and supporting staff Would be good to link with new proposed re builds of 2 GP practices Supportive of proposal as a staff member of GCS and resident of the Forest of Dean		
969	07/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69166823	Will be great and long overdue. Would like more information of definite numbers of beds to support local people and GP's		
970	07/12/17 11:23PM ID: 69171221	This survey is biased. You have promoted your preferred option all the way through, a true consultation would consult, not attempt to steer the participants in a specified direction. It gives the impression that you have already decided the outcome.		
971	07/12/17 11:36PM ID: 69171396	We have very good services at the existing hospitals. It makes economic sense to spend all this money developing what we already have		

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		Both hospitals are more comfortable and caring than Gloucester Hospital in my experiences.		
972	07/12/17 11:43PM ID: 69172594	I support a new hospital which would be efficient, modern and purpose built but it must at least have the same bed capacity as the existing two combined. The site must have good public transport links, adequate parking and room for possible expansion in the future for ever increasing population.		
973	08/12/17 12:12AM ID: 69173390	THERE HAS BEEN NO PUBLICITY FOR THE WIDER GLOUCESTERSHIRE COMMUNITY WHO OFTEN GET SENT TO THE DILKE FOR RECUPERATION. WHERE IS THE DEMOCRACY FOR OTHER PEOPLE ACROSS THE COUNTY?		
974	08/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69188147	If the hospital has fewer beds, they should be reserved for local residents, and patients from outside the forest should be provided with similar facilities closer to their homes.		
975	08/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69182051	we want to keep our two beautiful hospitals .also use the hospitals more stop sending people to gloucester get the doctors down in the forest for small operations/ consultation .the hospitals in the forest are very clean. we don't have to pay to park.		
976	08/12/17 10:11AM ID: 69189649	Having visited Southmead several times recently I realise it is imperative we have a new hospital in the Forest. However lessening the number of beds has made this a negative solution for many. I know the two present hospitals reasonably well, Perhaps U tube videos showing their faults may help support the new hospital support group. In the past as a family we have had life saving care from the Dilke. It is hard not to be influenced by this.		
977	08/12/17 10:58AM ID: 69195154	Do not think that the proposed number of beds is adequate I think that the initial number should be approx 35 to 40 & that the design of the new hospital should specifically allow it to be extended to accommodate more patients in the future since patient numbers		
978	08/12/17 10:59AM ID: 69196142	Do not think we should lose a hospital beds or miu services for a geographically large area and may people dont drive		
979	08/12/17 10:59AM ID: 69196154	Working in the NHS and delivering care to patients living within the Forest of Dean I feel that transport and finances have a huge impact. It is vital the location is central to the Forest and there are public transport options available - maybe similar to the '99' bus travelling between the GRH and CGH sites. Many of our patients have disabilities and find this a huge barrier to being able to access local services. A new community hospital would be welcomed overall for a much better provision to all who live in the Forest of Dean. Patients should also be made aware of the costs involved and not take it all for granted....		
980	08/12/17 11:27AM ID: 69199326	I believe that a new hospital will serve us better than the 2 old ones - which will probably close anyway before very long.		
981	08/12/17 11:51AM ID: 69201657	An updated healthcare facility is needed in the forest to bring the healthcare offering up to standard.		
982	08/12/17 12:56PM ID: 69197790	<p>I feel that the New Hospital decision has already been made. This survey will have little impact on the final decision. When this decision is finally publicized will there be an accompanying assessment of this survey 's input to that decision?</p> <p>For some odd reason it was not possible to input any comments to the Survey section 2 on this website format. I therefore submit the following:- I agree with option 3 but this does not necessarily require a new Hospital. The "objects and criteria" supporting option 3 could be provided by development of one of the existing sites. All these factors will affect all the people in the Forest to some degree. People with special needs will obviously favour special requirements. The design/development of a new hospital should attempt to satisfy all possible needs within the financial constraints - what ever that is. The chosen site should be able to support future expansion. I am concerned that the new hospital option is the favoured decision. Also how can 24 beds satisfy the existing provision of approximately twice that number and future</p>		

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		population increase within the Forest ?.		
983	08/12/17 1:03PM ID: 69208116	Its a good idea to have one hospital but that is outlined has not got enough vision. The community is going to grow and it should be a proper hospital with more facilities than the 2 present hospitals not less		
984	08/12/17 1:06PM ID: 69208376	Question 4 - I don't answer closed questions		
985	08/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69208513	I would like the forest hospital to have 24 hour A&E		
986	08/12/17 1:15PM ID: 69208951	forest of dean has increasing population especially elderly. Halving number of beds is not a clinical choice, it is economic austerity		
987	08/12/17 1:21PM ID: 69209405	If not built in Lydney no use to this area		
988	08/12/17 1:23PM ID: 69209637	Question 1 - Please! Other comments - I hope we can continue to provide end of life care as I am really proud of what we offer now - Great team :-)		
989	08/12/17 1:27PM ID: 69209787	Question 1 - Most sensible idea Other comments - The one single new hospital is the only way forward. both Dilke and Lydney have become dilapidated. One fully operational 7 day MIU and X ray would be most welcome. Travelling to Gloucester Royal is most inconvenient		
990	08/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69210038	I was unable to attend any of the information sessions so my only alternative was the booklet Please note - you have made this very difficult to return as the thick paper does not fold easily to go into any envelope!		
991	08/12/17 1:35PM ID: 69210307	Question 3 - But it must have facilities that enable staff that are suitable / appropriate to "Rehab" patients and office space fit for purpose for the staff that work there, which isn't the case in Lydney Other comments - As someone who works in both hospitals, I hear staff saying that the current facilities make it hard to assess and rehab patients, office space isn't large enough for the number of staff, so improvement on the current situation will be an improvement		
992	08/12/17 1:37PM ID: 69209024	The Dilke and Lydney are old and no longer fit for purpose. However, I consider it essential that sufficient bed spaces are provided now to provide population increase and to alleviate bed blocking in GRH. Building an extra ward/bedrooms now and mothballing them will be much more economical than adding them later. An extra ward floor now would in my opinion be the best solution; but do not forget the parking. Best place to build would be Cannop crossroads on the old distillation site. John Pratt John.cp@talktalk.net		
993	08/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69209867	Please ensure that the forgotten area of Tidenham is given some thought when making this decision. Lydney would be the best option for a replacement hospital as it is easily accessed from all parts of the forest. As mentioned at the Presentation Forest of Dean residents in the areas closer to Ross use their hospital services. Although there is a hospital in Chepstow it does not provide clinics, a&e and a minimal amount of X-ray.		
994	08/12/17 1:50PM ID: 69211247	The number of beds proposed are too far. Average as quoted is not informative. The relevant figure would be the max, as efficiency occupancy is I believe 80% therefore the number of beds required is current max occupancy plus 20% and even this number may be inadequate ref ageing population. Is suggestion of an increase in outpatients clinic appointments locally rather than at a major hospital an aspiration / pie in the sky thinking. As in the past, an outpatient /		

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		outreach consultant Dermatology clinic was held at Dilke - however this has been discontinued and one has to travel to Gloucester - a half day requirement plus traffic congestion and air pollution		
995	08/12/17 1:52PM ID: 69210842	It is important that the current needs and future requirements of the community are considered in full. Understand the cost of resources and staffing needs, but it has to be balanced with the needs of the area as well. It is unfair to cut services that are being offered now, when in fact, the health and care needs of the population are ever changing and will most likely require easy access to increased services. It is unfair to expect seriously ill, elderly and vulnerable people to travel long distances, often times by public transport, to receive the treatment they require and deserve. Many people have contributed and continue to contribute to healthcare, it's only right and proper that they have access when needed, and not be expected to wait a long period of time to seek and obtain the care they need.		
996	08/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69211689	It is vital that the number of beds available in the hospital at least match the beds available now in the two existing hospitals		
997	08/12/17 1:59PM ID: 69211912	redevelop modernise existing hospitals, both in the same current locations Member of the public having used both hospitals for the past 34 years		
998	08/12/17 2:02PM ID: 69212373	The best option is to wait until after the general election. We will then have a labour government which will build a proper health service		
999	08/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69212571	The new hospital must be a central in the forest area to avoid lengthy journeys to and from it for any of the forest residents. It is a shame no maternity unit is to be provided losing foresters their ancient rights if they are not born in forest		
1000	08/12/17 2:10PM ID: 69212817	Transport facilities need to be greatly improved if only one hospital. with the vast extra houses planned in Lydney it is essential and obvious that Lydney should have a hospital		
1001	08/12/17 2:12PM ID: 69212635	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I think that this is primarily a cost saving exercise despite your protestations to the contrary. Stand up to Jeremy Hunt! The Forest needs both hospitals. I have no particular love of either set of buildings so would not object to total re-development of both sites. I believe that it is important to leave the Dilke where it is but Lydney could be moved elsewhere in/near the town and should retain its operating theatre. • Have you taken into consideration the fact that the tolls on the Severn Bridges will be removed shortly and that the area will become much more attractive to those working on the other side of the Severn? The population may rise faster that you anticipate. • Do you realise the importance of having maternity provision in the central part of the Forest? "The unique heritage and character of the Forest of Dean" (Section 10) demands that babies are born inside the Hundred of St. Briavels. One cannot become a Free Miner (or a Sheep Badger??) unless one has been born in the Hundred. 		
1002	08/12/17 2:13PM ID: 69213332	I think that like lots of consultations (ie 2nd severn bridge) it is already decided where and when a new hospital will be		
1003	08/12/17 2:14PM ID: 69211342	<p>Everyone living and working in the Forest of Dean has a close association with the Dilke and Lydney hospitals, through receiving personal care or via that given to friends or family.</p> <p>The continued support of the Friends of the Dilke and Lydney hospital's bears witness to this. We, the people of the Forest of Dean, care passionately about these two wonderful places and are not afraid to put our money where our mouth is, with a high level of charitable donation to support their continued operation. Many people request donations in lieu of flowers to go to the hospitals on the occasion of their death - yet another example of just how much we all care about their future.</p> <p>The Foresters have shown and continue to show how much they value these existing facilities and the NHS and wider authorities involved in this consultation must take careful and due note of these crucial soft and hard aspects of this situation when considering any changes.</p>		
1004	08/12/17 2:15PM	Just recently a fair amount of money has been spent upgrading x ray equipment at		

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	ID: 69213506	Lydney and waiting room, consulting rooms at Dilke why?		
1005	08/12/17 2:19PM ID: 69213691	I believe the hospitals should stay as they are, the NHS trust has just recently spent thousands of pounds on updating Lydney and Dilke hospitals, now they want to waste those resources and build a completely new hospital. I have worked for the NHS and the "suits" and accounts know next to nothing about spending money sensibly, I do not trust the NHS trust to work in the interest of the FOD		
1006	08/12/17 2:22PM ID: 69214150	Question 3 - with a 24hr A&E		
1007	08/12/17 2:23PM ID: 69214311	If option 3 is adopted would prefer at Dilke. If Lydney chosen could Dilke remain as elderly care?		
1008	08/12/17 2:25PM ID: 69214557	A new hospital on one site would enable the existing dedicated staff from both hospitals to provide local people with the care they would like to expect in modern facilities. It may be possible to bring some new services as well		
1009	08/12/17 2:27PM ID: 69214796	The provision of new modern facility in a central location can only benefit the area		
1010	08/12/17 2:34PM ID: 69214178	I am sure Dilke and Lydney after having refurbishment would cover our needs better than this guess of 11 million pounds being spent on a new hospital. Who knows how much the costs will have risen by the time the new hospital is completed. No one seems to really understand our passion for retaining our 2 hospitals which voluntary work and fund raising have kept them going over the years. What would happen I wonder to the money raised from selling the two sites if hospitals are demolished, would it be invested back into our new hospital?		
1011	08/12/17 3:15PM ID: 69218166	I believe there is a need for a new community hospital within the forest and it needs to be central, ideally Cinderford. It will hopefully create a more efficient and modern service where members of staff can work to their patients specific needs and the maintenance of the building is not constantly being worked on to improve that.		
1012	08/12/17 3:42PM ID: 69219931	I feel that before any of the survey questions were put to the general public it should have been just a yes or no as to whether a new hospital was needed and then following on the preferred site should have been known to enable the general public to make informed decisions. The survey holds too many ifs and buts.		
1013	08/12/17 4:09PM ID: 69221167	I disagree with reducing the number of in patient beds. There should be provision of an operating theatre for minor procedures, and a birthing unit. The population of the Forest of Dean is forecast to grow with the improvements in transport links, so these facilities will be necessary in the future. (and maybe increased). Out patient clinics should not be reduced, in fact they should be increased as the appointment system for the County as a whole. Is not fit for purpose. What will be provided I the new diagnostic unit? What about end of life provision?		
1014	08/12/17 4:10PM ID: 69222652	Develop the existing hospitals on their current site or keep them and build a new hospital. Your options don't consider developing out current hospitals.		
1015	08/12/17 4:20PM ID: 69223815	Good luck with the next phase		
1016	08/12/17 4:31PM ID: 69221924	The decision to build one new hospital with fewer beds and no maternity unit is based on the Forest of Dean as it is now. In Lydney alone, planning consent has been passed for 1116 new homes. 750 East of Lydney on Highfield Road. Redrow are at present building 125 houses for completion in 2018. Beltway will be building 90 houses in 2018 That leaves a further 535 in future years. Additionally in 2018, a further 166 homes are to be built near Thompson Thompson garage. Add to all this recent planning consent for 200 houses on Driffield		

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		<p>The Forest of Dean is growing at a fantastic rate. One new smaller hospital cannot possibly cope with the impact of so many houses being built now, let alone the huge future figure of a total of 1116 homes.</p> <p>I have it on good authority that the 33 houses nearly completed off Highfield road have been bought by people from Bristol. This means that many, many more people will need medical facilities in The Forest.</p> <p>Whilst there are great financial implications, decisions concerning healthcare here must consider what the planners have approved for the future.</p>		
1017	08/12/17 5:03PM ID: 69225831	<p>The new facility must be capable of supporting all aspects of health care that do not require specialised treatment in a major hospital. Also, it must be able to support the needs of all in-patients from the area who require in hospital care, other than critical care. Additionally, it must be accessible to both patients and visitors from all areas within the Forest using public transport, without the need to travel via Gloucester. The new facility should also provided maternity care.</p>		
1018	08/12/17 5:25PM ID: 69227947	nothing		
1019	08/12/17 5:38PM ID: 69228085	<p>I have the following concerns:</p> <p>Number of beds proposed and whether they will be sufficient for the aging population and the possible population increase from people moving into the area after the bridge tolls have been removed.</p> <p>Minor Injuries Unit - this is a crucial service and has given my family excellent service in the past. The FOD is being promoted as an outdoor activity area by the growing leisure & tourism sector for which this unit will be a important resource.</p>		
1020	08/12/17 5:48PM ID: 69227718	<p>On the number of beds have you taken into account the increase in population likely to occur when the Severn tolls are abolished?</p> <p>Will the car parking be free, in line with FOD charges, or exorbitant as at Gloucester & Cheltenham?</p> <p>Hopefully car parking will be adequate.</p> <p>Hopefully the new hospital will encourage clinics currently at the General hospitals to also come to the forest.</p> <p>I think you should reconsider your decision not to provide midwifery services, or at least beds which could be used for midwifery.</p>		
1021	08/12/17 5:57PM ID: 69228621	<p>I would hope that new equipment recently bought would be transferred to a new hospital. This should be made clear to residents who have worked hard to raise money for the hospitals and are opposed to the plan. I feel we do need to look to the future and this is actually a wonderful opportunity for the Forest of Dean. It is a good opportunity to have improved services under one roof. I wish to reiterate that the number of in-patient beds must be increased if we are looking ahead to a time when the number of elderly residents will have greatly increased. Also, the survey undertaken which showed the number of beds currently occupied by Forest residents has not taken into account those who ended up staying in Gloucester hospital, but would have benefited from being in a local hospital.</p>		
1022	08/12/17 6:16PM ID: 69230260	<p>I am fully in support of the proposal for a new hospital to replace Lydney and the Dilke hospitals. Such a hospital would provide the Forest of Dean with access to medical facilities and services fit for the 21st century, in line with the original vision of the founders of the two existing hospitals. My only concern is that the proposed number of beds is too low, especially given that the area is likely to have an increase in population once the Severn Bridge tolls are abolished at the end of 2018.</p>		
1023	08/12/17 6:26PM ID: 69231343	<p>FoD would be best served by having a single new community hospital sited in whatever location would provide the most convenient one for the greatest number of people living in the area. This should also take account expected increases in the population as a result of new housing planned over the next 5-10 years.</p>		
1024	08/12/17 7:09PM ID: 69233165	<p>I really think the Forest of Dean deserves a newer improved hospital. There will be lots of people who will be scared of the chant and closure of two current hospitals but I really think it is for the better.</p>		
1025	08/12/17 7:20PM ID: 69233320	<p>Please don't drop the number of beds available.</p>		

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1026	08/12/17 7:30PM ID: 69232958	I have discussed this with others and read further(i.e. not just the consultation document) and have gained the impression that this consultation process has been one of lip service and that a decision has already been taken. I do not agree with a single hospital for the FoD and consider that the process is not one concerned with clinical efficiency, advancement of practice and the care of patients but an exercise in penny pinching and cost cutting		
1027	08/12/17 7:53PM ID: 69232968	it is important that the process takes place but like many other exchanges of views and OPINIONS IT NEEDS TO HAVE TRUST AT ITS HEART AND AN HONESTY to report back and explain actions taken- it need an ongoing accessible conversation the scale of this exercise has been exhaustive but many of the considerations I have encountered have expressed suspicion about the motives and outcomes		
1028	08/12/17 7:59PM ID: 69235388	If a change in location is to happen, then it needs to improve and develop local services that are available locally, such as oncology and maternity. Simply replacing two hospitals with one and reducing beds is not acceptable.		
1029	08/12/17 8:35PM ID: 69234916	Would a new build last anywhere near as long? Would car parking be free? Has consideration been given to reducing current heating costs by some capital investment and using ground source heating, air source heating, solar technology? Is there really need for both hospitals to offer all services, they could have one or two specialisms. Argument of staff being split between sites is nonsense, set days here or there work well in many employments. There should be more link up with local GP services. Why isn't the dialysis unit included with plans for new?		
1030	08/12/17 9:47PM ID: 69239111	No of beds to equal existing approx 50. Bus route friendly, existing services protected, existing hospitals to be used for care for the community. Protection of jobs A cross section of local people, local medical staff to be involved in the decision making. Up front presentation of exactly what services you are proposing to implement in the new hospital		
1031	09/12/17 3:36AM ID: 69245233	This overview of the hospital service gives the Forest of Dean an opportunity to have a facility that is fit for purpose. It needs to also provide a service for the future. The local community are very passionate about the current facilities and a new venture would need to really provide an outstanding contribution to win support. Involvement, representations from individuals from across the towns and villages would help gain some buy-in with the consultation process. Maybe consider researching and providing information from other local community hospitals from outside the area (Glastonbury for example). Are they a success? Why does it work?		
1032	09/12/17 8:21AM ID: 69249254	The new hospital is a foregone conclusion. Decisions have already been made. It will be a Dementia unit predominantly especially as GCS have now merged with The Together Trust. This has not been made public why? because quite rightly there would be an outcry. It is time to be honest.		
1033	09/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69250508	The Forest community is very different from the rest of the county don't dismiss us as the lesser individuals or underestimate us.		
1034	09/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69250641	The reason that A&E in Gloucester is so unacceptable is that all other 24hour services in the county have been downgraded. One of the two Forest hospitals should give a full 24 hour A&E service.		
1035	09/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69251815	Stop closing down Hospitals and reducing bed numbers on purpose. Already closing down around 27 Hospitals in Gloucestershire, have made the private sector very rich and patients having a much, much reduced service.		
1036	09/12/17 9:51AM ID: 69252094	I believe that decisions have already been made and that this survey is a sop to the inhabitants of the Forest of Dean.		
1037	09/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69258731	I have no further comment except the dilke hospital and Lydney hospital will surely be missed and what would be built where they are if they do get closed.		
1038	09/12/17 12:29PM ID: 69259068	It is vitally important to build a new and modern hospital to make future health provision for the expanding community of the Forest of Dean		
1039	09/12/17 2:31PM	If you are going to use a group of local people they should be carefully chosen to		

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	ID: 69263170	represent all views.		
1040	09/12/17 3:00PM ID: 69264015	<p>There are many rumours circulating that suggest that the projected number of beds in a new facility would be inadequate. Based on the figures in your Consultation Booklet the population will rise by approximately 3% between 2016 and 2025. The Consultation Booklet also states that "Currently, on average, only 21 beds are being used by Forest of Dean residents in the two community hospitals at any one time. This may be the case, but how many FOD residents are in GRH or Cheltenham when they could perhaps be in the Forest if it had a hospital that had capacity and relevant care?</p> <p>Any future facility MUST have sufficient capacity or residents who need in-patient care will still end up in GRH or Cheltenham.</p>		
1041	09/12/17 3:13PM ID: 69259351	<p>I think I've articulated my main qualms in previous sections. Though I could easily write a 5K word report!</p> <p>Two things I would like to emphasise here though:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. In my experience, NHS staff in the Forest are superlative in terms of their service to patients, often with woefully limited resources. I so appreciate their cheerfulness, kindness and compassion. 2. It isn't acceptable to wait 4-5 weeks for an ordinary appointment to see a GP for 7-10minutes. It just isn't. <p>How are you going to improve that?</p> <p>Given that so much health improvement is predicated on early intervention, it seems to me that more focus should be on GPs' ability to manage their practices.</p>		
1042	09/12/17 4:22PM ID: 69266661	<p>I have great concern about a reduction in beds patients admitted to large acute hospitals with health problems that would be better dealt with in a community hospital are in my experience discharged too soon and detrimental to the patients health twice within the last 4 months I have experienced a family member being admitted to GRH due to no suitable bed being available in the Forest this has two associated problems it makes it very difficult for people without their own transport to visit and has high costs associated with parking charges etc.</p>		
1043	09/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69266970	<p>An additional concern is the possibility of GP surgeries being transferred to the single new site, at the expense of the existing excellent local provision. As at Moreton.</p>		
1044	09/12/17 4:32PM ID: 69267291	<p>Both existing hospitals currently provide an efficient and responsive service to local people. There is a suspicion that these sites have been highlighted as 'prime real estate' which would be then developed for the benefit of people who would gain financial benefit. This would be at the loss of these local services.</p>		
1045	09/12/17 4:42PM ID: 69267652	<p>Keep both Community hospitals and stop selling off sites to developers who then erect buildings that do not serve the Community. Don't fix something that is not broken. Don't design surveys that are engineered to support your preferred option!</p>		
1046	09/12/17 7:13PM ID: 69272263	<p>I can see the need for a higher standard of modern building, but the standard of CARE given at Lydney and Dilke hospital at present is hard to fault. Local people are proud of their hospitals.</p>		
1047	09/12/17 7:31PM ID: 69272966	<p>Most of the population has to drive to Lydney or the Dilke as it is. Too many visits require a visit to Gloucester or Cheltenham. We need more services locally and should not be afraid of change.</p>		
1048	09/12/17 8:06PM ID: 69273525	<p>No need - made clear in the first box my concerns.</p>		
1049	09/12/17 8:39PM ID: 69274042	<p>I fail to understand how an opinion can be given when there is so little information about the location or the proposed building. It somehow feels like it's all stitched up.</p>		
1050	09/12/17 8:44PM ID: 69274409	<p>I appreciate that plans for the new hospital should be based primarily on health grounds, but it is a service for real people in a real community. Local provision of</p>		

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		some form of maternity service would make life a lot easier for real families at a crucial time in their lives. It would also be important for the continuation of the tradition of free-miners. Someone from outside the Forest might not think that was important, but to Foresters it is. Very! Would it be possible eg to base a midwife led unit at the new hospital for those cases predicted to be non-complicated, perhaps as an alternative to home births for some families?		
1051	09/12/17 9:41PM ID: 69276030	I do not see how 1 hospital can serve all the Forest but most of all I am against selling the Dilke. I think there should be a way to have the Dilke and a new hospital near Lydney. We do need far more beds than 24. we were told the no of beds was fixed at 24 but could be flexible in future. How can this flexibility be achieved without more building?		
1052	09/12/17 10:16PM ID: 69277221	Agree that one modern hospital is the best choice, but respect the views of the many who have championed and supported Lydney Hospital over many years. You need to keep these volunteers on board, maybe give them a say in the decision making alongside the clinicians and local doctors. Forest residents should have a local facility and should not have to travel to Gloucester especially for routine care and appointments for the elderly.		
1053	09/12/17 10:45PM ID: 69277903	I believe the Forest or Dean needs more than 24 beds. Also people want to be close to their loved ones not having to travel long distances which is very stressful. End of life care should be closer to where one lives.		
1054	09/12/17 11:01PM ID: 69277567	The provision of local hospital services to the people of the FoD must move forward with the times and reflect the progress in medical expertise, science and technology. The needs and circumstances of the people of the FoD have also changed since the Dilke and Lydney Hospitals were built. It seems to me that there is a strong case for a new single site hospital. However, providing a hospital that many people in the FoD have problems travelling to would be a backward step. Ensuring good accessibility will therefore be crucial.		
1055	09/12/17 11:08PM ID: 69278337	Any money available needs spending on Dilke and Lydney hospitals.		
1056	09/12/17 11:26PM ID: 69276227	If the option for a single community hospital is adopted contrary to the wishes of the vast majority of patients in the area it is unlikely that their views will be considered in locating the new hospital. Gloucestershire care services seem far more interested in their own welfare than in patients in the Forest of Dean. There is a total lack of information regarding the facilities to be offered by a new hospital without which it is impossible to make a proper response		
1057	09/12/17 11:54PM ID: 69279078	I feel people who have not been to a consultation will not have full facts as this document does not lay out how many beds will be in a new hospital and that all the questions are slanted towards what you want the outcome to be. In my view Lydney is the preferred option on account of accessibility and transport networks.		
1058	10/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69288956	Spend the 11 million pounds on new facilities at one or both of the original hospitals. These places are of great importance to the Forest people as our parents and grandparents paid for them in the first place.		
1059	10/12/17 11:27AM ID: 69292828	The combined number of beds needs to remain. Reducing the number of beds will not prevent people from other areas using the hospital which still will mean fewer beds available for local residents. There should be facilities for other specialities within the hospital - not just medical specialities but therapy as well. Assessment suites for therapies needs some consideration to support swift discharge and support admission prevention. Much like the facilities at the Independent Living Centre; this will also enable more on-site specific staff training		

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		Parking also needs to be sufficient for visitors and staff to have patient contact without wasting time trying to find parking. There should also be rooms that can be flexibly used as meeting rooms for staff and health and social care partners; operational rooms for third sector partners; family support rooms and mobile working for community colleagues. This will support better linking up and coordination of care within The Forest where the hospital can act as a communication hub.		
1060	10/12/17 12:10PM ID: 69294864	My only concerns are:- The adequacy of the number of beds proposed for the new hospital, The location- I would suggest that Speech House/ Parkend or somewhere on the A48 (?Elton Corner) may be worth considering.		
1061	10/12/17 3:08PM ID: 69299170	The Forest of Dean people have a deep love and respect for the two community hospitals we have, whatever the latter's occasional deficiencies or shortcomings. Keeping these two vital assets going, with the new facility able to handle the more technologically advanced care provisions, strikes me as the best happy medium -- yes, central government would have to provide the extra funding to renovate and upgrade the old buildings, but Foresters pay tax just like everyone else. Shutting the two older facilities and selling them off to moneygrubbing private developers is repulsive, and should never be countenanced.		
1062	10/12/17 3:59PM ID: 69301632	The new hospital need to insure it is there for residents of the Forest of Dean and not take in patients from the other side of the border if this was followed it may stop bed blocking of the main hospitals in Gloucester and Cheltenham. We need to insure that we have enough staff to run the hospital in all departments and not borrow them from other hospitals. The new hospital needs to be there for all of the people of the Forest who need it.		
1063	10/12/17 4:50PM ID: 69302265	Comments as previously stated.		
1064	10/12/17 5:16PM ID: 69304981	If a new hospital is agreed there should be no reduction in the number of beds available to relieve demand on Gloucester hospital beds for non acute care, thus easing the pressure on A&E services etc.		
1065	10/12/17 5:24PM ID: 69305302	A single purpose built hospital would improve the facilities and services on offer - necessary in today's increasing local population.		
1066	10/12/17 7:09PM ID: 69309218	Quality of care can only be improved by expanding on services not reducing them		
1067	10/12/17 7:20PM ID: 69309545	I think this is an amazing opportunity for the Forest to have a well designed hospital with modern facilities and additional excellent health professionals to join the wonderful staff we have in our region at present . Great staff deserve great working conditions, we must grab it with both hands ! It will be an asset to the whole area and its inhabitants. This is our chance to do for 21st century health provision what Dilke and the founders of Lydney hospital did for the 19th century .		
1068	10/12/17 7:27PM ID: 69310011	It is really important that we have an up-to-date hospital in the Forest of Dean so that we can continue to get health care locally.		
1069	10/12/17 7:55PM ID: 69310199	The Dilke has been good but it is time we had some new facilities in the forest of Dean		
1070	10/12/17 8:00PM ID: 69311181	It seems such a shame to lose the 2 hospitals as there is such local goodwill and so much local fundraising has been done. I can't believe that for the cost of a brand new hospital the current ones could not be significantly updated and each one specialise in particular areas.		
1071	10/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69314391	No e		
1072	10/12/17 9:44PM ID: 69315252	Large amount of brown field potential development sites in cinderford industrial area		

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1073	10/12/17 9:54PM ID: 69315151	I think provision for elderly care is important in the area; too much experience of older people being shipped backwards and forwards to Gloucester/Cheltenham. Also concerned about number of beds; this needs to be planned and sufficient not just for current statistics but future needs as more people may need care locally. Also understand local attachment to Dilke and Lydney; careful consideration needs to be given to what happens to sites; suspicion that they will be seen as land grabs and sale for development should be tackled and assurances given to help with resistance to change.		
1074	10/12/17 10:00PM ID: 69314609	This is a chance to improve the NHS for the residents of the Forest of Dean which will be of benefit to all rich and poor, young and old.		
1075	10/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69316550	Keep the existing hospitals		
1076	10/12/17 11:05PM ID: 69317517	Both hospitals give first class service. Staff are always friendly and helpfull , why change .		
1077	10/12/17 11:29PM ID: 69318153	I think the whole thing has been dealt with appalling. This should have been communicated much clearer and sooner to the public, then perhaps people would be more behind it.		
1078	10/12/17 11:42PM ID: 69317743	Although i understand that there is a need for a new hospital i think the trust should listen to the local people and take on board what there views are . A new hospital is essential as both Lydney and Dilke are near to there end and costing money to run . it would be nice to have a general hospital and not a small community hospital that will properly service the growing forest community stopping the forest people travelling 30 miles to Gloucester to see consultants.etc I also think that Gloucester should have its own community hospital as this would help Glos royal with waiting times and patient numbers in A/E		
1079	10/12/17 11:58PM ID: 69311344	the assessment of number of beds is of great concern given the figure stated as the basis for this is completely wrong. This facility requires a reassessment of future requirements.		
1080	11/12/17 1:22AM ID: 69319269	I find Cheltenham Hospital antiquated with bad parking. Gloucester is overcrowded for parking and has too many people attending. The population is increasing all the time, we need two facilities in the Forest of Dean to see us into the future. We need an accident and emergency facility and a maternity ward as essential. I don't see why everyone is pushed to Gloucester and Cheltenham when getting there is a nightmare, especially in rush hour, no parking, and overcrowded. I expect you have already made up your minds about a facility you want us to have and the consultation will not reflect the peoples views at all but you will use it as license to get what you want.		
1081	11/12/17 7:04AM ID: 69323472	Absolutely disgusted Lyndsey hospital cared for my cousin until her dying day, they cared for my friend when he was badly injured in a motor cycle accident, effectively saved his life. The dilke nursed my grandmother until her dying day. The NHS. Did not pay for these hospitals to be built in the first place, they were built by funds raised by an impoverished community after the war. The NHS is always on tv whining about having no money and having to close bed and having no staff, the staff are protesting against the poor wages and terrible hours they have to work in the NHS and Gloucestershire health authority want to waste money, destroy traditions and communities. This is a perfect example of a bunch of pen pushers not knowing their backside fro their elbow, not bothering to consider where the money would be better spent. Leave the forest hospitals alone, use the money for better purposes. Listen to the forest people the real ones not those who have no idea about how those hospitals came to be the interlopers and holiday cottage owners who have no ide sofa the traditions and the money that was raised in hard times to build those hospitals. Start treating the forest hospitals properly, refurb not rebuild.		
1082	11/12/17 9:19AM ID: 69329965	Given the challenges set out in the consultation booklet, the preferred option is without doubt the best way forward		
1083	11/12/17 10:00AM	Question 1 - It is very important that the community hospital has high quality services		

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	ID: 69331150	<p>that will benefit patients and all levels of staff. There is a lot of history with Lydney and Dilke but all involved would want to see its services progress as society changes and go forward</p> <p>Question 3 - I only have one reservation. Your criteria "It is a site that offers a design and development which provides best value for money for the public purse". I would like to think within this statement you are looking long term and not short term. Money needs to be used to its full, not like the temporary pot holes in the road that is never done as a permanent as it would cost too much. Very false economy, as that pot hole has been temporary repaired many times, so much more expensive than if the job had been done properly in the first instance. Cut backs are not an affordable option in a new forward thinking, value for money community hospital</p> <p>Other comments - People of the Forest have concerns with the lack of answers to specific questions. I would like to see a 24 hour ran Accident and Emergency unit within a single new community hospital, as well as it enhancing and going forward of what the Dilke and Lydney units already offer, and not losing any beds available or other valued services</p>		
1084	11/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69333644	My biggest worry is the amount of beds the new hospital will have, half what we have now and no baby unit, both my children were born at the Dilke hospital		
1085	11/12/17 10:15AM ID: 69334011	<p>Question 1 - I agree BUT only when the venue is found AND approved. Then only close the 2 existing hospitals as the doors open on the new one</p> <p>Assurance was given at a presentation that the 2 existing hospitals would only close, when the new hospital is up and running. It is time for a new facility for the Forest, but the venue for it is going to cause concern to many.</p>		
1086	11/12/17 10:27AM ID: 69334747	<p>Question 4 - I would imagine the NHS already knows where the hospital is to be located. I would like to see an independent body included to represent the views of the population in the FOD</p> <p>Other comments - My husband and I found this paper quite frustrating to answer the questions, which are not particularly straight forward. There is no doubt in our minds that this is deliberate. I can only say that I am not happy having only one hospital in the Forest.</p>		
1087	11/12/17 10:42AM ID: 69335774	<p>Question 4 - But this should allow for local groups to prevent cases for where they believe the hospital / hospitals should be located ie. near which town</p> <p>Other comments - This consultation is not fit for purpose. The data used is selective, outdated and carry no reference to source. The tone is biased and patronising. This same tone is reflected by the presenters I have met at the public meetings. I hope that this, no doubt very expensive, exercise is genuinely consultative, but I fear it is a disingenuous attempt to placate the public</p>		
1088	11/12/17 10:46AM ID: 69336992	<p>Question 1 - provided the location of the new hospital is central to the Forest,</p> <p>Other comments - The siting of the new hospital is critical. It must be at the CENTRE of the Forest.</p>		
1089	11/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69337414	My proposed plan enclosed (included with paper survey) would be to remove the two houses adjacent to Lydney hospital and rebuild on this site as per sketch outlining modification to new road layout making the hospital pedestrianized for future population growth of the town		
1090	11/12/17 11:09AM ID: 69337984	<p>Question 2 - We s till need 2 forest hospitals</p> <p>Other comments - Why was this not delivered to every home, because this affects every person in the FOD. From my visits to the sessions, it appears the younger generation have shown little interest in these consultations, the majority being elderly who are very concerned with losing the two hospitals.</p> <p>In 1988, 29 years ago there was a threat to close both Lydney and Dilke hospitals, in</p>		

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		<p>2006 the same issue occurred and now in 2017 it is happening again. During this time, the hospitals have been upgraded to a very high standard as advertised on the hospital notice board. All this was achieved by public funding and the NHS which consisted of:</p> <p>New outpatients consulting rooms New wing consisting 21 beds New minor injuries unit Operating theatre suite complete with beds for day surgery New x ray facilities</p> <p>Why waste money when we had all this it was not utilised to its full potential, a new hospital where ever it is going to be built will probably not achieve much more. Infections will occur even in a new hospital.</p> <p>Why spend 11 million pounds on a new hospital when the money would be better spent on training nurses and doctors, without them a hospital will not run whether it is a state of the art hospital or an existing one.</p> <p>The two existing locations are ideally situated to cover all areas of the Forest of Dean.</p> <p>It is not necessary to build a new hospital with less beds with more houses being built especially in the Lydney area with a growing population</p> <p>Patient care in the home is not an option as carers do not have enough time to spend with patients needs as their time schedules are very limited.</p> <p>This should be put to a public vote</p>		
1091	11/12/17 11:19AM ID: 69339225	<p>Question 2 - The options have not been assessed objectively. I have no objection to a new hospital, but it must prove to be better than the existing facilities - must have more back</p> <p>Other comments - Community hospitals are closing all over the country, yet the population is getting older and with more complex health problems. This makes no sense. Don't let the Dilke and Lydney be the next. If you do build a new hospital, make sure its satisfactorily finished before closing the Dilke or Lydney</p>		
1092	11/12/17 11:30AM ID: 69340070	<p>Question 2 - You have never suggested that the Dilke memorial hospital could alone be enlarged and modernised. I think many living in the forest would agree to this.</p> <p>Other comments - The reduction of bed numbers is my main worry. I also don't understand the proposed A&E function. I also regret that maternity facilities are not included in your plans. A baby was born in a car park in mitcheldean not so long ago</p>		
1093	11/12/17 11:42AM ID: 69340956	<p>Question 4 - By local people - I stipulate Local! That is people who are from the area and understand it - not people who have lived here only 5 minutes</p> <p>Other comments - At the end of the day, I am getting old and am disabled. I feel a community hospital should be there to serve the LOCAL community - have a comprehensive outpatient department - a caring inpatient facility to cover non emergency and end of life inpatient care - an up to date x ray and physiotherapy department plus any other department such as endoscopy that does not require in patient admission.</p> <p>I fully accept that some conditions requiring specialist tests, where a result is needed quickly are better dealt with at an "acute" hospital as are in patient admissions for more complex medical or surgical conditions</p>		
1094	11/12/17 12:04PM ID: 69342976	<p>Question 4 - This question pre supposes that the proposal will be approved, which goes against the democratic process</p> <p>Other comments - This survey appears to have failed to address the option of using the same amount of money as proposed for the new hospital to expand and update the two existing hospitals. I believe that to adhere to a strictly democratic process, the survey should request a simple "yes" or "no" to the proposal as was the case for the 2016 referendum</p>		

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1095	11/12/17 12:13PM ID: 69343900	Community hospitals play vital roles in rural areas. The provide excellent nursing care - enable acute hospitals to free up beds and patients to be nursed near family and home		
1096	11/12/17 12:41PM ID: 69344749	Question 4 - not clear what this means or alternative options available		
1097	11/12/17 1:00PM ID: 69348414	An excellent proposal and much needed new hospital for the increasing population to the forest of dean		
1098	11/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69348547	Patients without their own transport can easily be dropped off at either hospital and collected later without their lift needing to wait and have to pay the exorbitant car parking at Gloucester, this also applies to visitors		
1099	11/12/17 1:12PM ID: 69349148	Question 3 - Apart from section 10. Thought should be given to access in winter weather. Cinderford and Coleford get worse winters than Lydney. And rail network on Lydney Question 4 - mainly from Public and local clinicians Other comments - A new single hospital sounds great but it needs to be better than the 2 existing hospitals and reducing numbers of beds is simply idiotic. We are already short of beds		
1100	11/12/17 1:16PM ID: 69349570	Because we live in Sedbury and have Welsh doctors and have no control over this, we do pay our poll tax to Gloucester, we are in a bit like piggy in the middle. Nobody wants us		
1101	11/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69349990	I was born in Lydney hospital and didn't have a chance to have my 3 children in a FOD hospital. Went to Gloucester - we need local facilities but not to lose any hospitals		
1102	11/12/17 1:26PM ID: 69350568	At the moment I have to drive all the way to Gloucester or Cheltenham unless I go to Dilke as I did today. Why not add to Dilke? If community hospital is Lydney ie. It would be too far for me		
1103	11/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69351211	Question 3 - I would think that the Dilke would be the most central location Other comments - Over the years, I have used local community facilities and found them much better - quicker appointments, less hassle travelling long distances but appreciate these are now becoming dated and need bringing more efficient, up to the minute facilities. Need good communication within the services eg. GPs, Health visitors, physio etc		
1104	11/12/17 1:32PM ID: 69351862	We would prefer if Lydney and the Dilke hospitals to be updated and modernised		
1105	11/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69352059	Question 4 - Users and staff must have a say as well as CCG Other comments - The proposed number of beds is inadequate in view of the rising population, the rising ageing population and the need for GRH and CGH not to be "bed Blocked". Cutting the number of beds in the NHS has been a disaster in the last 20 years		
1106	11/12/17 1:42PM ID: 69352689	Both existing sites have historical value in the Forest of dean and both sites given to the local community with the NHS manage. Therefore the sites belong to the community not NHS. We believe the existing sites could be upgraded to provide the services needed for the FOD		
1107	11/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69353060	Both existing sites have historical value in the Forest of dean and both sites given to the local community with the NHS manage. Therefore the sites belong to the community not NHS. We believe the existing sites could be upgraded to provide the services needed for the FOD		
1108	11/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69353642	Question 4 - If this is agreed you have fuddled the figures, and will do what you already have in mind		

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		Other comments - no firm info given, all very woolly. Huge desire to return maternity services, which were previously midwife led, you wont even think about it and info given on that was patently untrue		
1109	11/12/17 1:57PM ID: 69354254	Question 4 - New hospitals and new bridge to Sharpness!!! To M4 and M5 Other comments - This is all about creating 2 "Brown field" sites for housing. Nothing at all about the health and convenience of the people of the forest		
1110	11/12/17 2:00PM ID: 69354689	When updating what we already have I would "delete" and aim to upgrade as required and keep the number of beds to suit the substantial increase in the FOD population that will occur when the bridge tolls are deleted next year!		
1111	11/12/17 2:03PM ID: 69355043	Question 1 - But I would suggest using Dilke as a base - it is an emotive issue. Centrally situated Question 3 - But use Dilke as base Other comments - As well as a centrally located hospital, it should be integrated with access to what one might call A&E advice via a GP surgery even if no GP apt is possible. This causes build up at A&E at GRH		
1112	11/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69355409	Question 1 - About time! Moved from Tewkesbury		
1113	11/12/17 2:07PM ID: 69355603	If this hospital is built, local GPs must be encouraged to refer patients and not the way it is done now		
1114	11/12/17 2:11PM ID: 69355857	Question 3 - I do wonder though if Cinderford is chosen whether Lydney patients would suffer and end up choosing OP services out of county - Wales / Bristol etc Other services - 2 important areas of concern to me are that: 1) No overall reduction (and preferably an uplift) in inpatients community beds. 2) 2 hospitals to remain open in interim (including bed availability and DP / OOH services whilst new hospital constructed and staffed		
1115	11/12/17 2:14PM ID: 69356448	Question 1 - BUT it will need more beds - so a careful forecast of occupancy figures - both numbers and duration has to be carried out Question 2 - Greater than what? As it stands this question has no meaning Other comments - See above comments and take some notice of them		
1116	11/12/17 2:15PM ID: 69356834	New hospital must have 49 beds plus		
1117	11/12/17 2:18PM ID: 69357048	With my reply to question 1, it is not necessary to answer questions 2,3 and 4		
1118	11/12/17 2:23PM ID: 69357768	As I understand it at present, the idea is to have less beds than at present. I strongly feel there should be at least as many beds as now and ideally more		
1119	11/12/17 3:11PM ID: 69362687	I think it is time for the Forest of Dean to have an up todate hospital. I am a little concerned about the number of beds proposed. Regards, Beryl Auland		
1120	12/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69401654	Question 3 - We would like more information on what happens to Dilke and Lydney hospitals if a new hospital is built Question 5 - And read widely: Newspapers, private eye, internet, BMA, Reports, STPs Other comments - Reports from BMA, HCSA indicate STPs will have a negative impact, are a way of making cuts to NHS. Plans to improve health service are ACTUALLY a cover for cuts, 1000s of hospital beds to disappear, units downgraded		

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		STPs driven by cuts: a need to find £22 billion efficiency savings. After this consultation in 2018, give us more information. I have listened to many different opinions including nurses and doctors, understand a new hospital would be great, new modern building and facilities, consolidate services, easier for staff BUT NOT at the cost of losing our current provision and less services and beds. If this is the case then I say NO		
1121	12/12/17 9:15AM ID: 69402860	At present some people travel a long way into wales for treatment. There are fields adjacent to Lydney hospital (nearer building). If they belong to the Lydney estate, perhaps they would be willing to be benefactors as people were historically giving their land to the blessing of many. Also the road looping 2 sides of Lydney hospital, could easily be made into 2 cul de sacs, so that crossing the road would not be a problem. I do believe that we need a community hospital in the forest.		
1122	12/12/17 9:31AM ID: 69404481	difficult to accept this as a consultation exercise when so little information is given. you don't know where the new hospital will be so difficult to support idea when we don't know how difficult access will be. You mention endoscopy several times as a service it can provide, but no figures to show this would be most useful service for FOD residents. How about maternity, cataracts etc? You don't even confirm current hospitals will remain open until new one built, if it goes ahead. I'm afraid this is what we have come to expect, a socialised consultation where the result appears to have been decided already		
1123	12/12/17 9:33AM ID: 69405668	GL18 is a distance from proposed locations - important to consider this area when making a decision on the location		
1124	12/12/17 9:40AM ID: 69405841	I realise we are only on the edge of the Forest of Dean but our experiences at the Dilke have always been good and travelling to Gloucester is becoming increasingly difficult especially by bus		
1125	12/12/17 9:56AM ID: 69406496	After a recent back injury I would have been lost without services of Lydney hospital. Unable to sit longer than 10 minutes without severe pain, longer travelling would have been impossible and I would not have been able to recover and work again		
1126	12/12/17 10:02AM ID: 69407650	Question 4 - A&B with equal "voting" rights Other comments - A new hospital must have sufficient beds to cover the whole community of the forest of dean		
1127	12/12/17 10:12AM ID: 69408049	I do not think there will be enough beds in a new hospital for convalescence which will make it difficult for people to visit patients a long way from their home. Also the emergency services provided by the two existing hospitals locally such as people requiring nebulisers due to asthma etc where a long journey may lose them their lives		
1128	12/12/17 10:28AM ID: 69409275	Question 4 - The above illustrates too many bureaucratic bodies which have little meaning to patients Other comments - We will fight like hell to retain and develop the Dilke and Lydney. Coleford would be no better off with a single central unit. Where would central be? We are being asked to consult on too little vague information. Consult when you have a proper proposal in its entirety		
1129	12/12/17 10:35AM ID: 69410665	With Gloucester and Cheltenham hospitals not easy to get to for the elderly and infirm, also seem overloaded, I feel a larger community hospital in the forest could not only benefit locals but also help with city hospitals overload. I feel we need more beds in our local community hospitals and less use of care homes and home care. Personal experience of elderly relative care would have been more better given in beds in local community hospitals		
1130	12/12/17 10:38AM ID: 69411119	Question 1 - You should consider Lydney or Dilke as nursing home or overflow for bed blockers. I am concerned about the lower number of beds in a growing area		

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		Other comments - It would be nice to use the Dilke as a hospice as there are no end of life facilities in the forest of dean, its in a beautiful location		
1131	12/12/17 10:45AM ID: 69411350	<p>Question 4 - I do not agree with the above suggestions. The most important recommendation I would like to see is an independent body representing the residents in the FOD</p> <p>Other comments - I found this questionnaire very difficult to answer your questions. The document is biased on the proposed new hospital somewhere in the forest of dean</p>		
1132	12/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69411998	<p>This limited survey will not give a true representation. This document should been posted / delivered to ALL households</p> <p>At a meeting I asked a question - could the £11 million be used to fully refurb the 2 existing hospitals? Not enough came the answer, we need £20 million. At the same meeting I was informed that Cinderford Town council had kindly offered land at the Northern area (totally unsuitable) - almost 20 million has been spent on this site with little to show so far. With limited maths skills £11 million and £9 million of their wasted budget (after all it is all tax payers money) would have given us 2 superb hospitals.</p>		
1133	12/12/17 11:11AM ID: 69412690	I can not begin to understand the reasoning behind the reduction in bed spaces in the new proposal. I have been visiting people in each of our hospitals for 50 years - those in the forest and those in Glos and Cheltenham. Invariably the question asked by patients and their families is - when can they come back to the forest hospitals? Often they have to wait because there is no bed available. I can only conclude that the problem of bed blocking in Glos or Cheltenham will be greatly increased as a result of this "preferred option"		
1134	12/12/17 11:26AM ID: 69414603	Clarity is still needed for NP16 postcode patients. Our address is in the Forest of Dean but our surgery is in Tintern. As a result of this, the Dilke turned us away during out of hours whilst my 8 year old son was having a mild asthma attack!!		
1135	12/12/17 12:34PM ID: 69189253	This is a Tory led privatisation exercise, to further kill our NHS so the American Global Corporations and Insurance Companies can come in and make a killing at our suffering.		
1136	12/12/17 1:13PM ID: 69427002	<p>Question2 - People who are proper "foresters" want to be born in the forest and die in the forest. A relative recently passed away in Glos hospital because no beds were available at Lydney and Dilke and you want to cut beds down even more</p> <p>Other Comments - Maybe the Dilke can be extended and have better facilities leaving Lydney refurbished for recuperation and end of life care. Support a new hospital but only if it is large enough to provide services so we don't have to travel to Gloucester but with an aging population we need more than 24 beds</p>		
1137	12/12/17 1:24PM ID: 69428296	Local services in the 2 hospitals should be enhanced ie. maternity services and scanner are required. Having to travel to Gloucester is difficult and expensive		
1138	12/12/17 1:27PM ID: 69428846	A new hospital sensibly located is a good idea, but not with half the beds currently available. We need more beds for the population growth		
1139	12/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69429186	Question 2 - I am concerned about health care provision as I approach old age. I want a "joined up" accessible service		
1140	12/12/17 1:32PM ID: 69429464	Question 2 - The location of a new single unit is of prime importance. Services can change from year to year		
1141	12/12/17 1:37PM ID: 69429793	Should our two hospitals close this will be detrimental to the miners who helped fund them and also to the Bathurst family and Sir Charles Dilke		
1142	12/12/17 1:49PM ID: 69430800	Question 1 - BUT careful consideration needs to be made regarding any bed reduction. Please do not ignore or be disrespectful to the contribution in funds raised for these two hospitals. you will still need contributions, which with poor management could stop any fund raising		

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		<p>Question 3 - I personally propose Lydney due to main A48 feeding / enabling access to new site and enhanced by public transport and housing development to entire new staff to the area. The removal of the Severn Bridge tolls would also assist staff from Bristol area</p> <p>Other comments - Please use local communication systems to maintain the necessary updates. Good Luck!</p>		
1143	13/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69511914	The questions in this document are skewed to get the answers you want. This "consultation" is no more than going through the motions as we know very well what you intend. We cannot put any trust in people who have already lied to us. Why spend money on the Dilke when you knew what you were planning? do you really think we are idiots? We have more sense than you are displaying and more integrity.		
1144	13/12/17 1:36PM ID: 69514652	The Foresters want to keep the Forest hospitals. The anger and hate you've aroused is so unnecessary if you funded the Dilke as you should but you have not. You should keep it open and we despise you. Just know we are angry ????? and we will fight you every inch of the way because you are selfish, dishonest and wrong.		
1145	13/12/17 1:46PM ID: 69517178	Stop destroying our hospitals we know exactly what you are doing. This whole problem is dishonest and sly and we don't want or need your fantasy hospital. Use the money to keep our hospitals.		
1146	13/12/17 1:51PM ID: 69517906	Your consultations are pure propaganda. we have made our wishes clear but you don't like the answer do you??		
1147	13/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69518471	I despise your antics and ????? I despise you. You ???? our Dilke you have no right to ???? what we love so much. You are not fit to serve us.		
1148	13/12/17 2:37PM ID: 69520001	Its more than obvious. What you want and what you need is very different to what you are stating. Extend the Dilke. Use what brains you have (if any) and realise that is the ONLY sensible option. How many of you live here? You haven't a clue what you are doing to this community.		
1149	13/12/17 3:09PM ID: 69524456	If you are looking to the future ????to provide healthcare Illegible Dilke belongs to us		
1150	13/12/17 3:29PM ID: 69527695	Such sly and dishonest checking with the public and your own staff shows you cannot be trusted. Your new hospital will be inferior ????? you will not provide all the services you are pretending. To site it at Newent or Coleford is ludicrous and smacks of a stupidity and lack of concern for the Forest. Stop playing games and fund our hospitals as they should be. This is a shameful lie. Be open and honest for a change stop lying stop laying secret plans stop ??????stopping our hospital of such services and equipment and what about job losses.		
1151	13/12/17 4:04PM ID: 69531730	The Dilke is fantastic. It's close, peaceful, friendly. Your hospital is a fantasy and you know it		
1152	13/12/17 4:16PM ID: 69532684	You have ??????to fund the Dilke as you should. You don't own the land yet you're going to sell it? You really are a bunch of idiots. We don't need a ??????that might get stuck as a dangerous site we need our Dilke funded properly.		
1153	13/12/17 4:41PM ID: 69533764	The lies and half truths you used are despicable. People from the Forest are sent to GRH. People from outside get to the Dilke, is that sense? You know the Dilke gets ????? and has to take ??????you have had these plans long ago. you and the MP has lied. there has been no ???? to maintain the Dilke. You deliberately depleted it services and wasted money refurbishing the minor injuries unit when you know all along what you intended. Did not any of your people deny plans to close it? Its inconvenient for doctors is it? Well you'll not care that inconvenience to us having to get to GRH and you wont care now as long as you get your way. Shame on you. I'm not saying what I do as I know too well how repercussions in NHS work.		
1154	13/12/17 4:45PM ID: 69535763	I've seldom seen such ??? manipulation of facts. you've lied and told half truths we don't want a new hospital yet you just want your way.		

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1155	13/12/17 5:04PM ID: 69536015	Why has there been no will to fund our hospitals? Why 11 million only for a new one put that money into the hospitals we have one hospital to serve around 100,000 people is pathetically inadequate. My profession does not affect my judgement I have more sense than all of you it would seem.		
1156	13/12/17 5:15PM ID: 69537442	You are dishonest in your actions ????? plans secret on purpose. Leave our Dilke alone ???? funded it properly it would be safe from your claws now		
1157	13/12/17 5:33PM ID: 69538184	Stop lying stop being ??????2 hospitals we don't want a new one - you cant build one for 11 million so don't lie and don't think we are idiots. we don't trust you we don't believe you so back off.		
1158	13/12/17 5:52PM ID: 69539270	Why are you pretending? We know you are ?? you've made your decision - you are wrong and wrong and wrong and we are more angry than you can imagine. The Dilke is OURS not your yare are deviouss. Why go into our schools? ??? you not get your ????? you disgusting liars.		
1159	13/12/17 5:54PM ID: 69540245	The info given is far too vague. We are not stupid. You are not willing to give us what we want.		
			answered	1159
			skipped	1831



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What is your gender?



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1	Male		34.73%	662
2	Female		62.01%	1182
3	Prefer not to say		3.25%	62
Analysis	Mean:	1.69	Std. Deviation:	0.53
	Variance:	0.28	Std. Error:	0.01
			Satisfaction Rate:	34.26
			answered	1906
			skipped	1084

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1	Under 18		0.95%	18
2	18-25		2.80%	53
3	26-35		6.50%	123
4	36-45		9.03%	171
5	46-55		17.27%	327
6	56-65		23.30%	441
7	66-75		25.57%	484

What is your age group?							
						Response Percent	Response Total
8	Over 75					10.83%	205
9	Prefer not to say					3.75%	71
Analysis	Mean:	5.88	Std. Deviation:	1.68	Satisfaction Rate:	60.96	answered
	Variance:	2.82	Std. Error:	0.04			skipped
							1893
							1097

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Are you?							
						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Health or care professional					15.92%	279
2	Community partner or member of the public					84.08%	1474
Analysis	Mean:	1.84	Std. Deviation:	0.37	Satisfaction Rate:	84.08	answered
	Variance:	0.13	Std. Error:	0.01			skipped
							1753
							1237

What is the first part of your postcode? eg. GL17, GL20							
						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Open-Ended Question					100.00%	1911
1	12/09/17 1:56PM ID: 63830846	GL17					
2	12/09/17 2:12PM ID: 63832117	GL17					
3	12/09/17 2:16PM ID: 63832092	GI14					
4	12/09/17 2:26PM ID: 63832558	GI16					
5	12/09/17 2:29PM ID: 63833717	GL15					
6	12/09/17 2:31PM ID: 63833665	GL14					
7	12/09/17 2:39PM ID: 63834404	GL17					
8	12/09/17 2:40PM ID: 63834497	GL16					
9	12/09/17 2:51PM ID: 63835507	gl3					
10	12/09/17 2:52PM ID: 63834922	GL16 8EX					

What is the first part of your postcode? eg. GL17, GL20

			Response Percent	Response Total
11	12/09/17 2:54PM ID: 63834197	GL14		
12	12/09/17 2:57PM ID: 63835189	GL16		
13	12/09/17 3:01PM ID: 63836407	GL15		
14	12/09/17 3:02PM ID: 63836042	GL16		
15	12/09/17 3:04PM ID: 63835864	gl14		
16	12/09/17 3:07PM ID: 63836655	GL14		
17	12/09/17 3:25PM ID: 63838079	GL14		
18	12/09/17 3:26PM ID: 63837910	GL17		
19	12/09/17 3:32PM ID: 63838689	GI17		
20	12/09/17 3:35PM ID: 63839013	GL16		
21	12/09/17 3:39PM ID: 63838287	NP16		
22	12/09/17 3:50PM ID: 63839720	GI15		
23	12/09/17 3:50PM ID: 63839738	GL16		
24	12/09/17 3:51PM ID: 63839434	GL16		
25	12/09/17 3:57PM ID: 63840458	GL16		
26	12/09/17 3:59PM ID: 63840479	GI17		
27	12/09/17 4:06PM ID: 63841210	gl15		
28	12/09/17 4:09PM ID: 63841164	GL16		
29	12/09/17 4:09PM ID: 63841364	GL		
30	12/09/17 4:21PM ID: 63841417	GL15		
31	12/09/17 4:21PM ID: 63842226	GI16		
32	12/09/17 4:29PM ID: 63842479	GL14		
33	12/09/17 4:32PM ID: 63842446	GL15 6JY		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
34	12/09/17 4:32PM ID: 63842037	GL16		
35	12/09/17 4:36PM ID: 63843232	gl4		
36	12/09/17 4:37PM ID: 63843194	gl14		
37	12/09/17 4:42PM ID: 63843217	GI15		
38	12/09/17 4:54PM ID: 63842875	GL17		
39	12/09/17 4:59PM ID: 63842893	GL2		
40	12/09/17 5:00PM ID: 63843878	GL16		
41	12/09/17 5:00PM ID: 63843937	GL15		
42	12/09/17 5:04PM ID: 63844223	GL 14		
43	12/09/17 5:07PM ID: 63844862	GL16		
44	12/09/17 5:19PM ID: 63845473	GL14		
45	12/09/17 5:22PM ID: 63845589	gl14		
46	12/09/17 5:28PM ID: 63845500	GI142sa		
47	12/09/17 5:28PM ID: 63845858	GL15		
48	12/09/17 5:28PM ID: 63846014	GL15		
49	12/09/17 5:44PM ID: 63846697	GL14		
50	12/09/17 6:00PM ID: 63847351	gl14		
51	12/09/17 6:02PM ID: 63847296	GI17		
52	12/09/17 6:02PM ID: 63847092	GL17		
53	12/09/17 6:06PM ID: 63847146	gl17		
54	12/09/17 6:15PM ID: 63847129	GL14		
55	12/09/17 6:36PM ID: 63848413	GL15		
56	12/09/17 6:39PM ID: 63848858	gl14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
57	12/09/17 6:40PM ID: 63848923	gl15		
58	12/09/17 6:47PM ID: 63848727	GL15		
59	12/09/17 6:50PM ID: 63849628	Np15		
60	12/09/17 7:03PM ID: 63849735	GI14		
61	12/09/17 7:10PM ID: 63850366	GI14		
62	12/09/17 7:13PM ID: 63847655	GL15		
63	12/09/17 7:20PM ID: 63850870	GI167jn		
64	12/09/17 7:33PM ID: 63851123	GI14		
65	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63851203	gl154tu		
66	12/09/17 7:34PM ID: 63849552	GL15		
67	12/09/17 7:38PM ID: 63851510	GI14		
68	12/09/17 7:40PM ID: 63851664	GL15		
69	12/09/17 7:48PM ID: 63850947	GL14		
70	12/09/17 7:50PM ID: 63851593	GL15		
71	12/09/17 8:11PM ID: 63852924	GL14		
72	12/09/17 8:12PM ID: 63849252	GL15		
73	12/09/17 8:17PM ID: 63852746	GL16		
74	12/09/17 8:28PM ID: 63853633	GL14		
75	12/09/17 8:41PM ID: 63854205	GL14		
76	12/09/17 8:44PM ID: 63853741	GL 15		
77	12/09/17 8:51PM ID: 63854668	GL2		
78	12/09/17 8:54PM ID: 63854635	GL16		
79	12/09/17 9:05PM ID: 63854756	GI16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
80	12/09/17 9:08PM ID: 63854847	GL16		
81	12/09/17 9:26PM ID: 63856036	GI14		
82	12/09/17 10:09PM ID: 63858217	GL14		
83	12/09/17 10:11PM ID: 63858542	GL14		
84	12/09/17 10:35PM ID: 63859618	GI14		
85	12/09/17 11:09PM ID: 63861117	GI14		
86	12/09/17 11:15PM ID: 63860822	GL15		
87	12/09/17 11:37PM ID: 63861643	GI14		
88	13/09/17 12:08AM ID: 63862369	GL14		
89	13/09/17 12:15AM ID: 63862263	GL15		
90	13/09/17 12:42AM ID: 63862770	GL14		
91	13/09/17 5:18AM ID: 63865877	GL14		
92	13/09/17 6:39AM ID: 63866330	GI14		
93	13/09/17 6:45AM ID: 63866889	GL14		
94	13/09/17 7:49AM ID: 63868059	GL16		
95	13/09/17 8:12AM ID: 63869020	GI16		
96	13/09/17 8:21AM ID: 63869400	GI15		
97	13/09/17 8:46AM ID: 63870431	GI15		
98	13/09/17 9:01AM ID: 63871067	GI14		
99	13/09/17 9:05AM ID: 63871298	GL17		
100	13/09/17 9:11AM ID: 63871612	GL14		
101	13/09/17 9:14AM ID: 63871956	GL18		
102	13/09/17 9:15AM ID: 63872069	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
103	13/09/17 9:23AM ID: 63872281	GL17		
104	13/09/17 9:41AM ID: 63873543	GL15		
105	13/09/17 9:53AM ID: 63874454	GL2		
106	13/09/17 9:53AM ID: 63874349	gl14		
107	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63873739	GL14		
108	13/09/17 9:55AM ID: 63872453	GL14		
109	13/09/17 11:00AM ID: 63878442	GI16		
110	13/09/17 11:48AM ID: 63882171	GL16		
111	13/09/17 1:28PM ID: 63889860	GL19		
112	13/09/17 1:32PM ID: 63890295	GL17		
113	13/09/17 1:36PM ID: 63890460	GL14		
114	13/09/17 1:39PM ID: 63890711	gl14		
115	13/09/17 1:40PM ID: 63890632	NP16		
116	13/09/17 2:43PM ID: 63895325	GI167df		
117	13/09/17 2:57PM ID: 63896446	GL17		
118	13/09/17 3:33PM ID: 63897712	GL15		
119	13/09/17 3:34PM ID: 63899550	GL15		
120	13/09/17 3:45PM ID: 63898452	GL14		
121	13/09/17 3:58PM ID: 63901758	GL1		
122	13/09/17 3:59PM ID: 63901845	GL16		
123	13/09/17 4:01PM ID: 63901954	GL18		
124	13/09/17 4:27PM ID: 63902862	GL 16		
125	13/09/17 4:29PM ID: 63903591	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
126	13/09/17 4:39PM ID: 63904166	GI14		
127	13/09/17 4:57PM ID: 63905746	GI15		
128	13/09/17 5:04PM ID: 63906173	GL15		
129	13/09/17 5:05PM ID: 63901967	GL14		
130	13/09/17 5:15PM ID: 63906831	GL17		
131	13/09/17 5:26PM ID: 63907288	GI16		
132	13/09/17 5:53PM ID: 63908134	GL15 5AF		
133	13/09/17 6:24PM ID: 63909528	GL14		
134	13/09/17 6:25PM ID: 63909392	GI17 9bs		
135	13/09/17 6:56PM ID: 63911021	GL15		
136	13/09/17 7:14PM ID: 63911121	GL17		
137	13/09/17 7:27PM ID: 63912052	GL16		
138	13/09/17 7:56PM ID: 63913517	GL14		
139	13/09/17 8:26PM ID: 63914633	GL14		
140	13/09/17 8:31PM ID: 63914403	GL15		
141	13/09/17 8:56PM ID: 63915723	GL19		
142	13/09/17 9:09PM ID: 63916485	GL15		
143	13/09/17 9:13PM ID: 63916686	GL14		
144	13/09/17 9:25PM ID: 63916911	GL14		
145	13/09/17 10:07PM ID: 63918407	GI14		
146	13/09/17 10:39PM ID: 63919641	GL15		
147	13/09/17 11:06PM ID: 63920277	GI17		
148	13/09/17 11:35PM ID: 63921070	GI2		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
149	14/09/17 1:00AM ID: 63922365	GL14		
150	14/09/17 1:24AM ID: 63922328	GI17		
151	14/09/17 5:38AM ID: 63924682	GI17		
152	14/09/17 7:28AM ID: 63926308	GI14		
153	14/09/17 7:33AM ID: 63926268	GL15		
154	14/09/17 8:12AM ID: 63927428	GL14		
155	14/09/17 8:47AM ID: 63929110	GL14		
156	14/09/17 9:02AM ID: 63929597	GI14		
157	14/09/17 9:25AM ID: 63930983	GL16		
158	14/09/17 9:33AM ID: 63932005	GL17		
159	14/09/17 9:52AM ID: 63932618	GL14		
160	14/09/17 10:51AM ID: 63937270	GL16		
161	14/09/17 11:21AM ID: 63939072	GL15		
162	14/09/17 11:23AM ID: 63939844	GI14		
163	14/09/17 11:25AM ID: 63940083	GI14		
164	14/09/17 11:29AM ID: 63940374	GI14		
165	14/09/17 11:33AM ID: 63940621	GL15		
166	14/09/17 12:09PM ID: 63939309	gl14		
167	14/09/17 12:41PM ID: 63944440	GL17		
168	14/09/17 12:44PM ID: 63944831	GL17 9JZ		
169	14/09/17 12:48PM ID: 63944750	GL16		
170	14/09/17 1:40PM ID: 63948470	GL14		
171	14/09/17 1:49PM ID: 63948568	GI14		

What is the first part of your postcode? eg. GL17, GL20

			Response Percent	Response Total
172	14/09/17 2:42PM ID: 63952450	GL15		
173	14/09/17 3:40PM ID: 63956357	GL15		
174	14/09/17 4:28PM ID: 63959375	GL14		
175	14/09/17 5:12PM ID: 63964533	GI19		
176	14/09/17 5:59PM ID: 63968751	GL16		
177	14/09/17 6:29PM ID: 63970220	GI14		
178	14/09/17 7:11PM ID: 63969521	GI15		
179	14/09/17 7:12PM ID: 63971892	GL15		
180	14/09/17 8:50PM ID: 63976250	GL15		
181	14/09/17 10:12PM ID: 63979107	Np		
182	14/09/17 10:27PM ID: 63979415	GL16		
183	14/09/17 11:23PM ID: 63979788	GI16		
184	14/09/17 11:29PM ID: 63979940	GL15		
185	15/09/17 4:21AM ID: 63984008	GL14		
186	15/09/17 6:13AM ID: 63985013	GI15		
187	15/09/17 8:27AM ID: 63987416	GL16		
188	15/09/17 9:05AM ID: 63988810	GL15		
189	15/09/17 10:09AM ID: 63992530	GL2		
190	15/09/17 10:58AM ID: 63995417	gl2		
191	15/09/17 11:39AM ID: 63998442	GL15		
192	15/09/17 1:51PM ID: 64007896	GL17		
193	15/09/17 3:12PM ID: 64014243	GL20		
194	15/09/17 5:10PM ID: 64021967	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
195	15/09/17 5:15PM ID: 64021966	gl17		
196	15/09/17 5:30PM ID: 64021854	GL18		
197	15/09/17 5:36PM ID: 64023411	GL17		
198	15/09/17 5:53PM ID: 64024246	GI14		
199	16/09/17 7:39AM ID: 64043076	GL14		
200	16/09/17 8:47AM ID: 64044676	GL16		
201	16/09/17 9:06AM ID: 64045765	GI14		
202	16/09/17 9:17AM ID: 64046054	GL17		
203	16/09/17 9:28AM ID: 64046453	GI19		
204	16/09/17 9:58AM ID: 64047210	GI2		
205	16/09/17 10:14AM ID: 64047530	GI17		
206	16/09/17 1:34PM ID: 64053266	GL15		
207	16/09/17 4:55PM ID: 64058782	GL14		
208	16/09/17 7:26PM ID: 64066039	GI155LQ		
209	16/09/17 7:44PM ID: 64066602	GI15		
210	16/09/17 9:16PM ID: 64069417	GL15		
211	16/09/17 9:42PM ID: 64070448	GI17		
212	16/09/17 11:21PM ID: 64072552	GL15		
213	16/09/17 11:23PM ID: 64072558	GI16		
214	17/09/17 12:14PM ID: 64082965	GL14		
215	17/09/17 5:20PM ID: 64091578	GL15		
216	17/09/17 9:47PM ID: 64099652	GL15		
217	18/09/17 7:19AM ID: 64106518	gl16		

What is the first part of your postcode? eg. GL17, GL20

			Response Percent	Response Total
218	18/09/17 8:20AM ID: 64108046	GL4		
219	18/09/17 8:44AM ID: 64108962	GL16		
220	18/09/17 9:45AM ID: 64112659	GL15		
221	18/09/17 11:35AM ID: 64120030	GL15		
222	18/09/17 11:50AM ID: 64121092	GL14		
223	18/09/17 11:55AM ID: 64121359	GL4		
224	18/09/17 12:25PM ID: 64123481	GL14		
225	18/09/17 12:30PM ID: 64124144	Why does this matter?		
226	18/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64124377	GL15		
227	18/09/17 12:36PM ID: 64124688	GL17		
228	18/09/17 12:46PM ID: 64124887	GL15		
229	18/09/17 12:51PM ID: 64125502	GL15		
230	18/09/17 12:55PM ID: 64125787	GL16		
231	18/09/17 1:25PM ID: 64126922	gl16		
232	18/09/17 1:27PM ID: 64127510	GL15		
233	18/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64128248	gl16		
234	18/09/17 2:36PM ID: 64132089	GL17		
235	18/09/17 4:12PM ID: 64141189	GL17		
236	18/09/17 4:35PM ID: 64143135	GI15		
237	18/09/17 4:37PM ID: 64143590	GL18		
238	18/09/17 4:37PM ID: 64141579	GL17		
239	18/09/17 6:53PM ID: 64150668	hr9		
240	18/09/17 10:25PM ID: 64159036	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
241	19/09/17 9:05AM ID: 64170796	gl15		
242	19/09/17 9:24AM ID: 64170482	GL15		
243	19/09/17 9:55AM ID: 64174459	GL16		
244	19/09/17 9:59AM ID: 64174713	GL15		
245	19/09/17 10:00AM ID: 64174752	GL17		
246	19/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64174038	GL14		
247	19/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64174939	GL16		
248	19/09/17 10:02AM ID: 64175082	GL17		
249	19/09/17 10:04AM ID: 64175156	GL14		
250	19/09/17 12:01PM ID: 64182854	GL16		
251	19/09/17 12:16PM ID: 64184423	not not provide - postal survey		
252	19/09/17 12:21PM ID: 64184553	Not given - postal survey		
253	19/09/17 12:23PM ID: 64184870	GL15		
254	19/09/17 12:33PM ID: 64185055	GL15		
255	19/09/17 3:47PM ID: 64200907	GL17		
256	19/09/17 4:04PM ID: 64199770	GL14		
257	19/09/17 4:07PM ID: 64202799	GL20		
258	20/09/17 3:14PM ID: 64286596	GL16 7AHuf		
259	20/09/17 4:54PM ID: 64294863	GL16		
260	20/09/17 5:09PM ID: 64296634	GL15		
261	20/09/17 5:17PM ID: 64296646	GI16		
262	20/09/17 6:56PM ID: 64301284	GL15		
263	20/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64302984	GL50		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
264	21/09/17 8:58AM ID: 64323773	GL15		
265	21/09/17 9:55AM ID: 64327728	GL17		
266	21/09/17 10:01AM ID: 64327875	GL15		
267	21/09/17 10:07AM ID: 64328287	GL15		
268	21/09/17 10:09AM ID: 64328701	GL16		
269	21/09/17 10:15AM ID: 64328838	GL17		
270	21/09/17 10:18AM ID: 64329493	GL14		
271	21/09/17 10:21AM ID: 64329963	GL16		
272	21/09/17 10:22AM ID: 64330129	GL14		
273	21/09/17 10:23AM ID: 64330256	GL16		
274	21/09/17 10:24AM ID: 64330362	GL16		
275	21/09/17 10:25AM ID: 64330618	GL15		
276	21/09/17 12:25PM ID: 64339787	GL16		
277	21/09/17 1:18PM ID: 64343593	Cannot read - paper survey sent		
278	21/09/17 1:39PM ID: 64343992	GL17		
279	21/09/17 1:48PM ID: 64345773	GL17		
280	21/09/17 1:50PM ID: 64346487	not given - paper survey		
281	21/09/17 2:25PM ID: 64349409	GL16 8LG		
282	21/09/17 2:35PM ID: 64349703	GL16		
283	21/09/17 4:07PM ID: 64357379	GL14		
284	22/09/17 9:54AM ID: 64389739	GL15		
285	22/09/17 12:28PM ID: 64399915	GL156		
286	22/09/17 2:41PM ID: 64408574	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
287	23/09/17 10:41AM ID: 64439251	GL16		
288	23/09/17 11:57AM ID: 64441282	GL14		
289	23/09/17 12:17PM ID: 64441660	GL14 2TL		
290	23/09/17 12:30PM ID: 64442436	GL15		
291	23/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64442541	GL14		
292	23/09/17 12:40PM ID: 64442630	GL15		
293	23/09/17 1:24PM ID: 64441507	GL14		
294	24/09/17 12:57PM ID: 64478624	GL17		
295	24/09/17 1:07PM ID: 64478754	GL17		
296	24/09/17 5:26PM ID: 64484919	gl15		
297	24/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64488807	GL17		
298	25/09/17 9:11AM ID: 64504036	gl17		
299	25/09/17 10:54AM ID: 64512195	GL4		
300	25/09/17 10:56AM ID: 64512363	GL16		
301	25/09/17 10:57AM ID: 64512515	GL3		
302	25/09/17 11:05AM ID: 64512980	GL16		
303	25/09/17 11:06AM ID: 64513256	not given - Paper survey returned		
304	25/09/17 11:08AM ID: 64513363	GL14		
305	25/09/17 11:10AM ID: 64513471	GL15		
306	25/09/17 11:12AM ID: 64513679	not given - paper survey returned		
307	25/09/17 11:14AM ID: 64513846	GL15		
308	25/09/17 11:21AM ID: 64514337	not given - paper survey returned		
309	25/09/17 11:24AM ID: 64514421	Not given - paper survey returned		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
310	25/09/17 11:25AM ID: 64513980	GL14		
311	25/09/17 11:26AM ID: 64515062	GL16		
312	25/09/17 11:29AM ID: 64515212	GL14		
313	25/09/17 12:10PM ID: 64518742	GL14		
314	25/09/17 12:11PM ID: 64518977	Not given - paper survey returned		
315	25/09/17 12:13PM ID: 64519105	GL15		
316	25/09/17 12:14PM ID: 64519179	Not given - paper survey returned		
317	25/09/17 12:26PM ID: 64519377	Not given - Paper survey returned		
318	25/09/17 12:34PM ID: 64520383	GL16		
319	25/09/17 4:12PM ID: 64539628	GL17		
320	25/09/17 7:44PM ID: 64553785	GI15		
321	26/09/17 5:28AM ID: 64570539	GL17		
322	26/09/17 1:57PM ID: 64599168	GL16		
323	26/09/17 2:00PM ID: 64599401	Not given - Paper survey returned		
324	26/09/17 2:01PM ID: 64599628	GL15		
325	26/09/17 3:11PM ID: 64604243	GL14		
326	26/09/17 3:53PM ID: 64607717	GL16		
327	27/09/17 12:35PM ID: 64659247	GI16		
328	27/09/17 1:17PM ID: 64661250	GL15		
329	27/09/17 2:05PM ID: 64663658	GL14		
330	27/09/17 2:31PM ID: 64667414	GL18		
331	27/09/17 2:58PM ID: 64669424	GL14		
332	27/09/17 4:02PM ID: 64673255	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
333	27/09/17 4:48PM ID: 64676133	GL15		
334	27/09/17 5:06PM ID: 64677892	GL14		
335	27/09/17 7:48PM ID: 64687494	gl14		
336	28/09/17 12:10AM ID: 64698006	GL14		
337	28/09/17 9:51AM ID: 64708751	GL17 - A patient at the Dilke		
338	28/09/17 9:53AM ID: 64711241	Not given - paper survey returned		
339	28/09/17 9:54AM ID: 64711357	GL16		
340	28/09/17 1:39PM ID: 64729004	GL15		
341	28/09/17 1:44PM ID: 64729429	GL14		
342	28/09/17 1:50PM ID: 64729796	GL14		
343	28/09/17 1:52PM ID: 64730172	GL16		
344	28/09/17 2:05PM ID: 64730994	GL14		
345	28/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64750057	gl14 3eg		
346	29/09/17 4:43PM ID: 64793956	NP16		
347	30/09/17 3:22AM ID: 64830210	GL15		
348	30/09/17 8:58AM ID: 64835432	NP16		
349	30/09/17 4:56PM ID: 64850488	GL14		
350	30/09/17 9:10PM ID: 64860479	GL17		
351	30/09/17 9:14PM ID: 64862031	gl15		
352	30/09/17 10:23PM ID: 64863811	GL14		
353	01/10/17 7:47AM ID: 64871644	GI15		
354	01/10/17 8:23AM ID: 64872291	GL15		
355	01/10/17 2:32PM ID: 64883979	GI15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
356	01/10/17 3:31PM ID: 64885544	GL14		
357	01/10/17 3:50PM ID: 64886182	GL15		
358	01/10/17 6:07PM ID: 64891088	GL16		
359	01/10/17 6:52PM ID: 64892853	NP16		
360	01/10/17 8:30PM ID: 64896557	HR9		
361	01/10/17 8:30PM ID: 64896678	gl14		
362	01/10/17 10:05PM ID: 64899813	GL16		
363	02/10/17 11:00AM ID: 64919258	GI16		
364	02/10/17 11:55AM ID: 64923813	GL15		
365	02/10/17 3:30PM ID: 64941132	GL15		
366	02/10/17 4:28PM ID: 64944993	GL17		
367	02/10/17 4:48PM ID: 64946903	GL15		
368	02/10/17 5:01PM ID: 64948154	GI15		
369	02/10/17 5:08PM ID: 64946659	GL15		
370	02/10/17 6:06PM ID: 64952639	GL15		
371	02/10/17 6:41PM ID: 64954458	GI15		
372	02/10/17 10:26PM ID: 64964136	GL15		
373	02/10/17 10:30PM ID: 64964356	GL15		
374	03/10/17 9:45AM ID: 64980423	GL15		
375	03/10/17 9:51AM ID: 64980741	GL14		
376	03/10/17 9:55AM ID: 64981529	GL16		
377	03/10/17 9:59AM ID: 64981952	GL17		
378	03/10/17 10:00AM ID: 64982187	GL17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
379	03/10/17 10:01AM ID: 64982329	Not given - Paper survey returned		
380	03/10/17 10:09AM ID: 64982516	GL17		
381	03/10/17 10:15AM ID: 64983493	Not given - Paper survey returned		
382	03/10/17 10:38AM ID: 64984080	Not given - Paper survey returned		
383	03/10/17 11:06AM ID: 64986099	GL14		
384	03/10/17 11:11AM ID: 64988025	GL16		
385	03/10/17 11:17AM ID: 64988335	GL15		
386	03/10/17 11:20AM ID: 64988820	GL14		
387	03/10/17 11:26AM ID: 64989213	Not given - Paper survey returned		
388	03/10/17 11:29AM ID: 64989446	GL14		
389	03/10/17 11:36AM ID: 64989777	GL15		
390	03/10/17 1:00PM ID: 64996820	GL15		
391	03/10/17 2:24PM ID: 65004155	GL16		
392	03/10/17 2:30PM ID: 65004232	GL15		
393	03/10/17 2:56PM ID: 65006512	GL15		
394	03/10/17 6:17PM ID: 65020397	GL16		
395	03/10/17 6:50PM ID: 65021112	GL16		
396	03/10/17 7:29PM ID: 65023136	GL15		
397	03/10/17 7:30PM ID: 65022864	GL14		
398	03/10/17 7:50PM ID: 65023802	gl14		
399	03/10/17 8:39PM ID: 65025971	GL155SR		
400	03/10/17 8:47PM ID: 65024407	GI14 2hh		
401	03/10/17 8:53PM ID: 65027043	GL		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
402	03/10/17 9:06PM ID: 65027144	G		
403	03/10/17 9:37PM ID: 65028625	GL15		
404	03/10/17 10:01PM ID: 65029649	GL15		
405	03/10/17 10:15PM ID: 65030000	GL15		
406	03/10/17 10:38PM ID: 65030942	GL15		
407	03/10/17 11:19PM ID: 65032029	GL16		
408	03/10/17 11:21PM ID: 65032076	GI16		
409	04/10/17 7:07AM ID: 65037534	GL15		
410	04/10/17 7:11AM ID: 65037543	gl15		
411	04/10/17 8:49AM ID: 65039239	GL15		
412	04/10/17 9:41AM ID: 65044077	GL15		
413	04/10/17 11:57AM ID: 65053308	GL15		
414	04/10/17 2:19PM ID: 65063259	GI14		
415	04/10/17 3:28PM ID: 65069576	GL155SW		
416	04/10/17 3:40PM ID: 65070219	GL15		
417	04/10/17 4:38PM ID: 65074554	GI15		
418	04/10/17 6:08PM ID: 65079600	GL15		
419	04/10/17 6:14PM ID: 65079835	GL15		
420	05/10/17 10:14AM ID: 65104755	GL15		
421	05/10/17 10:19AM ID: 65105126	Not given - Paper Survey returned		
422	05/10/17 10:36AM ID: 65106437	GL15		
423	05/10/17 10:42AM ID: 65106956	GL14		
424	05/10/17 10:46AM ID: 65107260	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
425	05/10/17 10:47AM ID: 65107511	GL16		
426	05/10/17 10:49AM ID: 65107593	not given - Paper survey returned		
427	05/10/17 10:50AM ID: 65107717	GL14		
428	05/10/17 11:07AM ID: 65108787	GL14		
429	05/10/17 11:11AM ID: 65108956	GL17		
430	05/10/17 11:36AM ID: 65109241	GL15		
431	05/10/17 12:44PM ID: 65115863	not given - Paper survey returned		
432	05/10/17 12:49PM ID: 65116130	GL17		
433	05/10/17 12:53PM ID: 65116449	GL15		
434	05/10/17 2:48PM ID: 65124090	GL14		
435	05/10/17 4:03PM ID: 65118516	GL17		
436	06/10/17 10:57AM ID: 65162564	GL16		
437	06/10/17 2:22PM ID: 65180160	Not given - Paper survey returned		
438	06/10/17 2:24PM ID: 65180776	GL14		
439	06/10/17 2:25PM ID: 65181077	GL18		
440	06/10/17 2:27PM ID: 65181267	GL16		
441	06/10/17 2:28PM ID: 65181563	GL14		
442	06/10/17 2:31PM ID: 65181676	GL16		
443	06/10/17 9:30PM ID: 65204643	GL16		
444	06/10/17 9:55PM ID: 65205077	GL15		
445	06/10/17 11:45PM ID: 65208121	GL15		
446	07/10/17 3:49PM ID: 65227223	GL15		
447	07/10/17 6:57PM ID: 65232954	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
448	09/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65280618	GL17		
449	09/10/17 10:45AM ID: 65285464	GL14		
450	09/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65300501	GL15		
451	09/10/17 8:43PM ID: 65329832	GI15		
452	09/10/17 9:05PM ID: 65330450	GI15		
453	09/10/17 11:00PM ID: 65335388	GL16		
454	10/10/17 9:53AM ID: 65350570	GL16		
455	10/10/17 9:56AM ID: 65351999	GL17		
456	10/10/17 10:07AM ID: 65352277	Refuse to say, you obviously don't listen to us or give a dam what we what or need		
457	10/10/17 10:18AM ID: 65353010	GL14		
458	10/10/17 10:21AM ID: 65354070	GL14		
459	10/10/17 10:40AM ID: 65354189	GL17		
460	10/10/17 10:43AM ID: 65355808	Not given - paper survey returned		
461	10/10/17 10:45AM ID: 65355939	GL15		
462	10/10/17 10:47AM ID: 65356108	GL16		
463	10/10/17 10:48AM ID: 65356295	GL17		
464	10/10/17 10:50AM ID: 65356388	GL15		
465	10/10/17 10:51AM ID: 65356536	GL16		
466	10/10/17 10:52AM ID: 65356635	Not given - paper survey returned		
467	10/10/17 10:54AM ID: 65356762	not given - Paper survey returned		
468	10/10/17 11:00AM ID: 65356909	Not given - paper survey returned		
469	10/10/17 11:01AM ID: 65357415	GL16		
470	10/10/17 11:03AM ID: 65357491	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
471	10/10/17 11:09AM ID: 65357649	GL16		
472	10/10/17 11:09AM ID: 65357680	GL15		
473	10/10/17 11:10AM ID: 65358101	GL14		
474	10/10/17 11:27AM ID: 65358389	GL16		
475	10/10/17 11:30AM ID: 65359644	GL15		
476	10/10/17 11:46AM ID: 65359962	GL17		
477	10/10/17 11:48AM ID: 65361364	GL17		
478	10/10/17 11:53AM ID: 65361474	GL15		
479	10/10/17 12:01PM ID: 65361936	GL17		
480	10/10/17 12:03PM ID: 65362577	GL14		
481	10/10/17 12:11PM ID: 65362736	Not given - paper survey returned - Newent		
482	10/10/17 12:32PM ID: 65364734	GL18		
483	10/10/17 6:03PM ID: 65391594	GL16		
484	11/10/17 11:57AM ID: 65434732	GL15		
485	11/10/17 12:42PM ID: 65439256	gl16		
486	11/10/17 3:51PM ID: 65453736	GL15		
487	11/10/17 4:21PM ID: 65458786	GL17		
488	11/10/17 5:46PM ID: 65464879	gl16		
489	11/10/17 11:03PM ID: 65479151	GL16		
490	12/10/17 9:37AM ID: 65494347	Not given - paper survey returned		
491	12/10/17 9:39AM ID: 65494452	GL14		
492	12/10/17 9:47AM ID: 65494661	GL15		
493	12/10/17 9:49AM ID: 65495294	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
494	12/10/17 9:50AM ID: 65495366	GL18		
495	12/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65495455	GL15		
496	12/10/17 9:54AM ID: 65495654	GL16		
497	12/10/17 9:58AM ID: 65495756	GL14		
498	12/10/17 10:02AM ID: 65496118	GL16		
499	12/10/17 10:07AM ID: 65496312	GL17		
500	12/10/17 10:11AM ID: 65496764	GL14		
501	12/10/17 10:24AM ID: 65497075	GL14		
502	12/10/17 12:39PM ID: 65510311	GL17		
503	12/10/17 12:45PM ID: 65510483	GL17		
504	12/10/17 12:49PM ID: 65510727	GL16		
505	12/10/17 12:51PM ID: 65511061	GL16		
506	12/10/17 12:53PM ID: 65511143	GL16		
507	12/10/17 1:00PM ID: 65511633	GL15		
508	12/10/17 1:03PM ID: 65511831	GL16		
509	12/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65512085	NOT SAYING		
510	12/10/17 1:11PM ID: 65512512	GL15		
511	12/10/17 1:15PM ID: 65512721	GL15		
512	12/10/17 3:13PM ID: 65521766	GL14		
513	12/10/17 9:05PM ID: 65546032	GL15		
514	12/10/17 9:09PM ID: 65549994	GL18		
515	12/10/17 9:35PM ID: 65551051	GL16		
516	13/10/17 11:33AM ID: 65574484	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
517	13/10/17 12:17PM ID: 65580252	GL2		
518	13/10/17 12:20PM ID: 65582089	GL15		
519	13/10/17 12:21PM ID: 65582325	GL18		
520	13/10/17 12:21PM ID: 65581551	GL15 4JY		
521	13/10/17 12:22PM ID: 65582450	Not given - paper survey returned		
522	13/10/17 12:23PM ID: 65582561	GL18		
523	13/10/17 12:28PM ID: 65582621	GL15		
524	13/10/17 12:33PM ID: 65582996	GL18		
525	13/10/17 12:44PM ID: 65584102	Not given - paper survey returned		
526	13/10/17 12:46PM ID: 65584243	Not given - paper survey returned		
527	13/10/17 12:56PM ID: 65584392	GL15		
528	13/10/17 12:59PM ID: 65585308	GL15		
529	13/10/17 1:01PM ID: 65585469	GL14		
530	13/10/17 1:04PM ID: 65585634	Not given - Paper survey returned		
531	13/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65585889	GL14		
532	13/10/17 1:13PM ID: 65586214	Not given - paper survey returned		
533	13/10/17 1:17PM ID: 65586826	GL16		
534	13/10/17 1:19PM ID: 65586970	GL15		
535	13/10/17 1:23PM ID: 65587146	Not given - paper survey returned		
536	13/10/17 1:26PM ID: 65584143	GL15		
537	13/10/17 1:26PM ID: 65587442	GL14		
538	13/10/17 1:35PM ID: 65587707	GL16		
539	13/10/17 1:43PM ID: 65588502	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
540	13/10/17 1:48PM ID: 65589214	GL15		
541	13/10/17 1:56PM ID: 65589651	GL16		
542	13/10/17 2:00PM ID: 65590316	Not given - paper survey returned		
543	13/10/17 2:03PM ID: 65590632	GL15		
544	13/10/17 5:26PM ID: 65612551	GL16		
545	15/10/17 2:23PM ID: 65712937	GL15		
546	16/10/17 10:01AM ID: 65749238	GL15		
547	16/10/17 11:13AM ID: 65755510	GI15		
548	16/10/17 5:25PM ID: 65795133	GL15		
549	16/10/17 7:34PM ID: 65805816	GL15		
550	16/10/17 8:28PM ID: 65809412	GI14		
551	17/10/17 9:26AM ID: 65832110	GL15		
552	17/10/17 9:30AM ID: 65832618	GL17		
553	17/10/17 9:38AM ID: 65833166	not given - Paper survey returned		
554	17/10/17 9:42AM ID: 65833938	GL15		
555	17/10/17 9:47AM ID: 65834572	HR9		
556	17/10/17 9:52AM ID: 65835033	GL16		
557	17/10/17 9:54AM ID: 65835406	GL15		
558	17/10/17 10:03AM ID: 65835642	not telling you anything, you twist it all anyway		
559	17/10/17 10:17AM ID: 65836451	GL17		
560	17/10/17 10:31AM ID: 65837824	GL17		
561	17/10/17 2:00PM ID: 65858176	GL17		
562	17/10/17 2:03PM ID: 65858433	GL18		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
563	17/10/17 2:14PM ID: 65858641	GL17		
564	17/10/17 2:21PM ID: 65859548	Not given - paper survey returned		
565	17/10/17 2:22PM ID: 65860296	GL15		
566	17/10/17 2:23PM ID: 65860395	GL16		
567	17/10/17 2:24PM ID: 65860534	GL14		
568	17/10/17 2:35PM ID: 65860638	GL16		
569	17/10/17 8:39PM ID: 65886259	GL14		
570	17/10/17 9:29PM ID: 65888522	GL15		
571	18/10/17 1:08PM ID: 65927693	GL17		
572	18/10/17 3:50PM ID: 65943391	GL15		
573	18/10/17 4:18PM ID: 65946978	Np254lz		
574	18/10/17 4:29PM ID: 65946834	NP25		
575	19/10/17 9:09AM ID: 65976327	GL17		
576	19/10/17 12:29PM ID: 65993272	GL15		
577	19/10/17 12:31PM ID: 65993791	GL14		
578	19/10/17 12:32PM ID: 65993918	GL18		
579	19/10/17 12:42PM ID: 65994006	GL15		
580	19/10/17 1:03PM ID: 65995465	GL15		
581	19/10/17 1:05PM ID: 65996534	GL14		
582	19/10/17 1:10PM ID: 65996930	Not given - paper survey returned		
583	19/10/17 1:18PM ID: 65997172	GL15		
584	19/10/17 1:27PM ID: 65998046	NP		
585	19/10/17 1:36PM ID: 65995265	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
586	19/10/17 1:42PM ID: 65998725	GL15		
587	19/10/17 1:45PM ID: 66000007	GL15		
588	19/10/17 1:51PM ID: 66000407	GL14		
589	19/10/17 1:59PM ID: 66001004	GL16		
590	19/10/17 2:04PM ID: 66001372	GL15		
591	19/10/17 2:06PM ID: 66001901	GL14		
592	19/10/17 2:09PM ID: 66001989	GL15		
593	19/10/17 2:20PM ID: 66002494	GL15		
594	19/10/17 2:27PM ID: 66003137	GL15		
595	20/10/17 10:05AM ID: 66043419	GL14		
596	20/10/17 11:07AM ID: 66046386	GL15		
597	20/10/17 12:19PM ID: 66057545	GL14		
598	20/10/17 12:19PM ID: 66058438	GL16		
599	20/10/17 12:20PM ID: 66058561	GI15		
600	20/10/17 12:23PM ID: 66058671	GL15		
601	20/10/17 12:41PM ID: 66059017	Not given - Paper survey returned		
602	20/10/17 5:18PM ID: 66082598	GL17		
603	21/10/17 4:32PM ID: 66116245	GL14		
604	21/10/17 5:49PM ID: 66118340	GI14		
605	22/10/17 5:12PM ID: 66144066	GL17		
606	22/10/17 8:02PM ID: 66148821	GL15		
607	23/10/17 7:57AM ID: 66159861	GL15		
608	23/10/17 10:54AM ID: 66170576	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
609	23/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66184945	GL15		
610	23/10/17 1:49PM ID: 66185458	NP16		
611	23/10/17 2:01PM ID: 66186094	GL15		
612	23/10/17 2:09PM ID: 66187333	Not given - Paper survey returned		
613	23/10/17 2:11PM ID: 66187521	GL16		
614	23/10/17 2:12PM ID: 66187708	not given - Paper survey returned		
615	23/10/17 2:13PM ID: 66187839	GL17		
616	23/10/17 2:15PM ID: 66187928	GL15		
617	23/10/17 2:16PM ID: 66187999	GL15		
618	23/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66188362	GL14		
619	23/10/17 6:08PM ID: 66207351	GL17 0BQ		
620	23/10/17 6:16PM ID: 66207143	GI		
621	23/10/17 6:18PM ID: 66207449	NP16		
622	23/10/17 6:22PM ID: 66207932	GL14		
623	23/10/17 6:41PM ID: 66207539	GL17		
624	23/10/17 7:40PM ID: 66211694	GL		
625	23/10/17 7:45PM ID: 66212166	GL15		
626	23/10/17 8:35PM ID: 66213870	gl19		
627	23/10/17 9:12PM ID: 66215544	GL16		
628	23/10/17 10:37PM ID: 66218066	gl14		
629	24/10/17 8:22AM ID: 66228492	GI15		
630	24/10/17 8:45AM ID: 66228103	GI16		
631	24/10/17 11:10AM ID: 66239498	GI154sd		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
632	24/10/17 11:23AM ID: 66240099	GL16		
633	24/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66247830	GL14		
634	24/10/17 1:52PM ID: 66249843	GL15		
635	24/10/17 1:54PM ID: 66252053	GL15		
636	24/10/17 1:55PM ID: 66252126	GL18		
637	24/10/17 2:01PM ID: 66252220	GL19		
638	24/10/17 2:08PM ID: 66252715	Not given - Paper survey returned		
639	24/10/17 2:16PM ID: 66253201	GL2		
640	24/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66253931	not given - Paper survey returned		
641	24/10/17 2:25PM ID: 66254390	GL15		
642	24/10/17 2:29PM ID: 66254586	GL16		
643	24/10/17 2:40PM ID: 66254878	GL14		
644	24/10/17 2:42PM ID: 66255424	GL14		
645	24/10/17 4:04PM ID: 66262025	GL16		
646	24/10/17 5:12PM ID: 66266519	gl14		
647	24/10/17 5:40PM ID: 66268193	GI15 5lf		
648	24/10/17 9:09PM ID: 66277740	GI 15		
649	25/10/17 12:00AM ID: 66282788	GL16		
650	25/10/17 7:05AM ID: 66287542	GL17		
651	25/10/17 9:11AM ID: 66291324	GL17		
652	25/10/17 11:37AM ID: 66302736	GL15		
653	25/10/17 11:41AM ID: 66302794	not given - Paper survey returned		
654	25/10/17 11:43AM ID: 66303173	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
655	25/10/17 11:47AM ID: 66303313	GL15		
656	25/10/17 11:49AM ID: 66303623	Not given - paper survey returned		
657	25/10/17 11:52AM ID: 66303818	GL14		
658	25/10/17 11:53AM ID: 66304109	GL17		
659	25/10/17 11:54AM ID: 66304179	GL17		
660	25/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66303163	GL15		
661	25/10/17 5:16PM ID: 66325605	gl15		
662	25/10/17 6:16PM ID: 66330802	gl15		
663	25/10/17 9:21PM ID: 66336986	GL15		
664	26/10/17 1:21AM ID: 66341939	GL15		
665	26/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66350704	GI14		
666	26/10/17 10:38AM ID: 66355559	GI17		
667	26/10/17 1:59PM ID: 66365732	GL15		
668	26/10/17 3:11PM ID: 66371236	GL15		
669	26/10/17 3:47PM ID: 66373431	GL17		
670	26/10/17 9:45PM ID: 66388826	GI17		
671	27/10/17 8:55AM ID: 66397500	GL17		
672	27/10/17 9:34AM ID: 66399908	np16		
673	27/10/17 6:26PM ID: 66428209	GL14		
674	27/10/17 9:32PM ID: 66433826	GI15		
675	28/10/17 7:11AM ID: 66441074	GL15		
676	28/10/17 8:12AM ID: 66441652	GI17		
677	28/10/17 3:10PM ID: 66452129	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
678	28/10/17 10:31PM ID: 66461727	GL16		
679	30/10/17 9:36AM ID: 66505261	Not given - paper survey returned		
680	30/10/17 9:41AM ID: 66505566	GL14		
681	30/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66505789	GL17		
682	30/10/17 10:05AM ID: 66506234	GL15		
683	30/10/17 10:36AM ID: 66510318	Not given - paper survey returned		
684	30/10/17 10:38AM ID: 66510507	GL14		
685	30/10/17 10:39AM ID: 66510597	Not given - paper survey returned		
686	30/10/17 10:41AM ID: 66510749	Not given - Paer survey returned		
687	30/10/17 10:45AM ID: 66510935	GL14		
688	30/10/17 10:47AM ID: 66511275	GL18		
689	30/10/17 10:48AM ID: 66511405	GL15		
690	30/10/17 10:50AM ID: 66511485	HR9		
691	30/10/17 10:51AM ID: 66511710	GL16		
692	30/10/17 10:54AM ID: 66511866	GL15		
693	30/10/17 11:01AM ID: 66512280	GL15		
694	30/10/17 11:06AM ID: 66512981	GL14		
695	30/10/17 11:09AM ID: 66513083	GL14		
696	30/10/17 11:14AM ID: 66513346	GL16		
697	30/10/17 11:15AM ID: 66513716	Not given - paper survey returned		
698	30/10/17 11:25AM ID: 66513880	GL15		
699	30/10/17 12:57PM ID: 66521230	GL16		
700	30/10/17 12:58PM ID: 66521474	GL18		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
701	30/10/17 1:03PM ID: 66521571	GL14		
702	30/10/17 1:06PM ID: 66521914	GL16		
703	30/10/17 1:14PM ID: 66522214	GL14		
704	30/10/17 1:16PM ID: 66522735	GL17		
705	30/10/17 1:20PM ID: 66522807	not given - paper survey returned		
706	30/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66523163	GL18		
707	30/10/17 1:44PM ID: 66525002	Not given - Paper survey returned		
708	30/10/17 5:00PM ID: 66541119	GI15		
709	30/10/17 6:39PM ID: 66546535	NP16 7EP ie, edge of Glos		
710	30/10/17 6:50PM ID: 66547538	NP27 7EP - Tutshill, Glos		
711	30/10/17 7:34PM ID: 66549964	GL15		
712	30/10/17 8:12PM ID: 66551425	GL15		
713	30/10/17 8:17PM ID: 66551967	GI14		
714	31/10/17 9:43AM ID: 66574028	GL15		
715	31/10/17 9:44AM ID: 66574413	GL14		
716	31/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66574491	GL14		
717	31/10/17 11:59AM ID: 66600811	GL19		
718	31/10/17 2:25PM ID: 66628593	Not given - paper survey returned		
719	31/10/17 2:27PM ID: 66630368	HR9		
720	31/10/17 3:29PM ID: 66638369	GL16		
721	31/10/17 6:58PM ID: 66657960	GL14		
722	31/10/17 8:01PM ID: 66661545	GI14		
723	31/10/17 8:53PM ID: 66661633	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
724	01/11/17 9:03AM ID: 66683021	GL15		
725	01/11/17 9:08AM ID: 66683367	Np25		
726	01/11/17 10:37AM ID: 66690579	GL17		
727	01/11/17 11:37AM ID: 66690873	GL2		
728	01/11/17 9:24PM ID: 66738540	GL15		
729	02/11/17 12:58AM ID: 66743990	GI15		
730	02/11/17 11:21AM ID: 66763373	GL17		
731	02/11/17 2:11PM ID: 66778948	gl14		
732	02/11/17 2:40PM ID: 66780969	Np		
733	02/11/17 4:36PM ID: 66790684	GL16		
734	02/11/17 6:11PM ID: 66795692	GL15		
735	02/11/17 7:00PM ID: 66796229	GL17		
736	03/11/17 9:16AM ID: 66817819	GL15		
737	03/11/17 9:18AM ID: 66817918	Not given - paper survey returned		
738	03/11/17 9:30AM ID: 66818175	not given - paper survey returned		
739	03/11/17 9:34AM ID: 66818983	not given - Paper survey returned		
740	03/11/17 9:36AM ID: 66819241	GL16		
741	03/11/17 9:39AM ID: 66819456	GL15		
742	03/11/17 9:44AM ID: 66819743	GL15		
743	03/11/17 9:50AM ID: 66820084	GL16		
744	03/11/17 9:53AM ID: 66820574	GL17		
745	03/11/17 9:54AM ID: 66820847	GL15		
746	03/11/17 9:59AM ID: 66820973	GL17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
747	03/11/17 10:03AM ID: 66821386	GL17		
748	03/11/17 10:07AM ID: 66821950	GL15		
749	03/11/17 10:11AM ID: 66822272	GL17		
750	03/11/17 10:18AM ID: 66822870	Not given - paper survey returned		
751	03/11/17 10:21AM ID: 66823347	GL15		
752	03/11/17 10:22AM ID: 66823557	GL15		
753	03/11/17 10:25AM ID: 66823702	GL16		
754	03/11/17 10:33AM ID: 66824256	GL16		
755	03/11/17 10:34AM ID: 66824712	GL18		
756	03/11/17 10:37AM ID: 66824782	GL16		
757	03/11/17 10:43AM ID: 66825419	GL16		
758	03/11/17 10:45AM ID: 66825538	GL16		
759	03/11/17 10:47AM ID: 66825679	GL16		
760	03/11/17 1:48PM ID: 66839787	GL14		
761	03/11/17 1:48PM ID: 66842228	GL15		
762	03/11/17 1:51PM ID: 66842648	GL18		
763	03/11/17 6:31PM ID: 66870490	GL15 5PY		
764	03/11/17 6:40PM ID: 66871524	GL15		
765	04/11/17 8:50AM ID: 66893933	GL15		
766	04/11/17 5:43PM ID: 66912044	GL17		
767	04/11/17 7:37PM ID: 66915707	GL15		
768	05/11/17 9:24AM ID: 66928291	GL15		
769	06/11/17 10:03AM ID: 66967219	GI15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
770	06/11/17 10:07AM ID: 66967898	gl14		
771	06/11/17 12:35PM ID: 66985167	Not given - paper survey returned		
772	06/11/17 12:39PM ID: 66985811	GL14		
773	06/11/17 12:47PM ID: 66986363	GL18		
774	06/11/17 12:48PM ID: 66987223	Not given - paper survey returned		
775	06/11/17 12:51PM ID: 66987503	GL18		
776	06/11/17 12:56PM ID: 66988224	GL15		
777	06/11/17 1:03PM ID: 66988522	GL14		
778	06/11/17 1:10PM ID: 66989778	GL14		
779	06/11/17 1:13PM ID: 66990313	GL15		
780	06/11/17 1:14PM ID: 66990602	GL15		
781	06/11/17 1:21PM ID: 66990725	GL16		
782	06/11/17 1:25PM ID: 66991600	GL15		
783	06/11/17 1:32PM ID: 66991913	NP16		
784	07/11/17 8:41AM ID: 67048332	GL16		
785	07/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67077849	not given - paper survey returned		
786	07/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67078149	GL16		
787	07/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67078631	GL17		
788	07/11/17 6:06PM ID: 67103377	GL15		
789	08/11/17 12:04PM ID: 67146412	GL19 3JD		
790	08/11/17 1:05PM ID: 67151433	GL14		
791	08/11/17 8:20PM ID: 67191830	GI154re		
792	08/11/17 10:21PM ID: 67185690	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
793	09/11/17 9:45AM ID: 67216717	GL16		
794	09/11/17 9:47AM ID: 67216971	GL17		
795	09/11/17 9:59AM ID: 67217691	Not given - paper survey returned		
796	09/11/17 10:05AM ID: 67218067	GL14		
797	09/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67218633	GL14		
798	09/11/17 10:45AM ID: 67219046	GL15		
799	09/11/17 10:49AM ID: 67223320	GL15		
800	09/11/17 11:16AM ID: 67224270	GL16		
801	09/11/17 11:40AM ID: 67228029	GL14		
802	09/11/17 11:42AM ID: 67229249	GL15		
803	09/11/17 11:57AM ID: 67231247	GL14		
804	09/11/17 12:45PM ID: 67235214	GL15		
805	09/11/17 12:54PM ID: 67238866	GL16		
806	09/11/17 1:03PM ID: 67239314	Not given - paper survey returned		
807	09/11/17 1:09PM ID: 67240416	GL15		
808	09/11/17 1:11PM ID: 67240924	GL16		
809	09/11/17 1:19PM ID: 67241170	Not given - Paper survey returned		
810	09/11/17 1:25PM ID: 67238501	GL15		
811	09/11/17 2:36PM ID: 67249425	GL15		
812	09/11/17 3:27PM ID: 67254485	GL17		
813	09/11/17 4:13PM ID: 67258842	GL14		
814	10/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67320597	GL15		
815	10/11/17 2:08PM ID: 67335472	Not given - paper survey returned		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
816	10/11/17 2:13PM ID: 67336122	Not given - paper survey returned		
817	10/11/17 2:18PM ID: 67336629	Not given - paper survey returned		
818	10/11/17 2:24PM ID: 67337157	Not given - paper survey returned		
819	10/11/17 2:30PM ID: 67338399	GL15		
820	10/11/17 4:44PM ID: 67351959	GL15		
821	10/11/17 5:08PM ID: 67351651	GL15		
822	10/11/17 8:29PM ID: 67366663	GL15		
823	11/11/17 10:09AM ID: 67384775	GL14		
824	11/11/17 6:15PM ID: 67402016	GL15		
825	12/11/17 10:30AM ID: 67420133	GL15		
826	12/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67422438	GL15		
827	13/11/17 12:00PM ID: 67472969	GI15		
828	13/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67468260	GL17		
829	13/11/17 2:33PM ID: 67488228	GL15		
830	13/11/17 4:01PM ID: 67499891	GI15		
831	13/11/17 7:32PM ID: 67515482	GL17		
832	13/11/17 9:32PM ID: 67522040	GL14		
833	13/11/17 11:38PM ID: 67527287	gl16		
834	14/11/17 9:10AM ID: 67540267	GL15		
835	14/11/17 9:17AM ID: 67539734	gl16		
836	14/11/17 9:27AM ID: 67542387	GI14		
837	14/11/17 11:14AM ID: 67552813	GL17		
838	14/11/17 11:26AM ID: 67552958	GL17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
839	14/11/17 11:51AM ID: 67554742	Not given - paper survey returned		
840	14/11/17 11:59AM ID: 67556312	GL15		
841	14/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67557030	GL19		
842	14/11/17 12:09PM ID: 67557621	GL16		
843	14/11/17 12:16PM ID: 67557825	GL14		
844	14/11/17 12:19PM ID: 67558328	GL17		
845	14/11/17 12:23PM ID: 67558461	GL15		
846	14/11/17 12:26PM ID: 67558811	GL14		
847	14/11/17 12:34PM ID: 67559017	Not given - paper survey returned		
848	14/11/17 12:36PM ID: 67559553	GL17		
849	14/11/17 1:21PM ID: 67559704	GL14		
850	14/11/17 1:26PM ID: 67563717	GL15		
851	14/11/17 1:51PM ID: 67564445	GL18		
852	14/11/17 1:55PM ID: 67566080	not given - paper survey returned		
853	14/11/17 2:30PM ID: 67567097	gl16		
854	14/11/17 5:14PM ID: 67582814	GL16		
855	14/11/17 5:33PM ID: 67583923	GL17		
856	14/11/17 5:39PM ID: 67584821	GL18		
857	14/11/17 5:56PM ID: 67585222	GL15		
858	14/11/17 8:52PM ID: 67596258	GI14		
859	14/11/17 10:40PM ID: 67601897	GI15		
860	15/11/17 7:02AM ID: 67611513	4RZ		
861	15/11/17 12:30PM ID: 67636179	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
862	15/11/17 12:50PM ID: 67638210	GL16		
863	15/11/17 2:08PM ID: 67644699	GI18		
864	15/11/17 6:27PM ID: 67671390	GI15		
865	16/11/17 8:25AM ID: 67699651	NP16		
866	16/11/17 10:23AM ID: 67708046	GL14		
867	16/11/17 12:17PM ID: 67719388	GL17		
868	16/11/17 1:31PM ID: 67724519	HR9		
869	16/11/17 1:41PM ID: 67721913	GL15		
870	16/11/17 6:28PM ID: 67748324	GL16		
871	16/11/17 8:03PM ID: 67753742	GL14		
872	17/11/17 6:16AM ID: 67768480	GI14		
873	17/11/17 8:14AM ID: 67771484	GL15		
874	17/11/17 9:34AM ID: 67776591	GL14		
875	17/11/17 11:01AM ID: 67783960	GL17		
876	17/11/17 1:20PM ID: 67795447	HR2		
877	17/11/17 1:34PM ID: 67797116	GL16		
878	17/11/17 8:22PM ID: 67826573	GL15		
879	17/11/17 9:28PM ID: 67829280	GI15		
880	18/11/17 9:40AM ID: 67842488	HR9		
881	19/11/17 3:40AM ID: 67868464	GL16		
882	19/11/17 11:47AM ID: 67878106	GL15		
883	20/11/17 10:47AM ID: 67919645	GL16		
884	20/11/17 10:50AM ID: 67920705	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
885	20/11/17 10:52AM ID: 67920992	Not given - paper survey returned		
886	20/11/17 10:54AM ID: 67921100	GL15		
887	20/11/17 10:56AM ID: 67921291	Not given - paper survey returned		
888	20/11/17 11:00AM ID: 67921468	Not given - paper survey returned		
889	20/11/17 11:02AM ID: 67921848	GL16		
890	20/11/17 11:06AM ID: 67922093	NP16		
891	20/11/17 11:07AM ID: 67922485	GL14		
892	20/11/17 11:11AM ID: 67922610	GL16		
893	20/11/17 11:14AM ID: 67922969	GL16		
894	20/11/17 11:16AM ID: 67923217	NP16		
895	20/11/17 11:20AM ID: 67923371	GL16		
896	20/11/17 11:25AM ID: 67923822	Not given - paper survey returned		
897	20/11/17 11:28AM ID: 67924556	GL14		
898	20/11/17 11:32AM ID: 67924867	GL15		
899	20/11/17 11:36AM ID: 67925252	GL18		
900	20/11/17 11:39AM ID: 67925660	Not given - paper survey returned		
901	20/11/17 11:42AM ID: 67925954	GL15		
902	20/11/17 11:46AM ID: 67926340	GL15		
903	20/11/17 11:47AM ID: 67926720	NP16		
904	20/11/17 11:50AM ID: 67926821	GL14		
905	20/11/17 11:52AM ID: 67927141	GL17		
906	20/11/17 11:55AM ID: 67927341	GL16		
907	20/11/17 11:56AM ID: 67927594	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
908	20/11/17 11:59AM ID: 67927701	not given - paper survey returned		
909	20/11/17 12:01PM ID: 67927945	Not given - paper survey returned		
910	20/11/17 12:04PM ID: 67928283	GL15		
911	20/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67928579	GL15		
912	20/11/17 12:08PM ID: 67928796	Not given - paper survey returned		
913	20/11/17 12:22PM ID: 67929369	GL15		
914	20/11/17 1:28PM ID: 67934952	GL17		
915	20/11/17 1:54PM ID: 67938665	GL17		
916	20/11/17 1:58PM ID: 67939118	GL15		
917	20/11/17 2:51PM ID: 67943862	GL14		
918	20/11/17 6:32PM ID: 67951985	GL18		
919	20/11/17 6:52PM ID: 67964055	GL14		
920	20/11/17 8:50PM ID: 67970184	GL15		
921	20/11/17 8:51PM ID: 67970746	GI16		
922	20/11/17 9:04PM ID: 67969824	GL14		
923	20/11/17 9:31PM ID: 67972425	GL17		
924	20/11/17 9:46PM ID: 67972448	GL14		
925	20/11/17 9:57PM ID: 67973644	GI18		
926	20/11/17 10:11PM ID: 67974188	GL15		
927	20/11/17 10:46PM ID: 67975693	GI14		
928	20/11/17 11:04PM ID: 67975250	GI15		
929	20/11/17 11:09PM ID: 67975757	GI15		
930	20/11/17 11:30PM ID: 67976830	GI142by		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
931	20/11/17 11:32PM ID: 67976628	GL15		
932	21/11/17 2:50AM ID: 67980862	GI15		
933	21/11/17 6:39AM ID: 67984655	GI17		
934	21/11/17 6:49AM ID: 67984871	GL15		
935	21/11/17 8:14AM ID: 67987739	GL16		
936	21/11/17 8:31AM ID: 67987636	GL15		
937	21/11/17 9:31AM ID: 67993018	GL17		
938	21/11/17 9:43AM ID: 67995624	GL16		
939	21/11/17 9:53AM ID: 67996084	Not given - paper survey returned		
940	21/11/17 9:56AM ID: 67996696	GL17		
941	21/11/17 9:58AM ID: 67997039	GL15		
942	21/11/17 10:02AM ID: 67997154	GL14		
943	21/11/17 10:24AM ID: 67997738	GL15		
944	21/11/17 11:02AM ID: 68002834	GL17		
945	21/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68003760	GL15		
946	21/11/17 11:43AM ID: 68007713	GL14		
947	21/11/17 11:48AM ID: 68007459	GL15		
948	21/11/17 12:09PM ID: 68007840	GL14		
949	21/11/17 12:59PM ID: 68014711	NP16		
950	21/11/17 1:07PM ID: 68015522	GL15		
951	21/11/17 1:11PM ID: 68016051	GL15		
952	21/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68016351	GL17		
953	21/11/17 1:20PM ID: 68016837	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
954	21/11/17 1:28PM ID: 68017061	GL16		
955	21/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68017634	GL16		
956	21/11/17 1:42PM ID: 68018062	GL15 6NT		
957	21/11/17 1:45PM ID: 68019125	Not given - paper survey returned		
958	21/11/17 1:50PM ID: 68019262	GL14		
959	21/11/17 2:12PM ID: 68021118	GL15		
960	21/11/17 2:59PM ID: 68024539	GL17		
961	21/11/17 3:18PM ID: 68027184	GI16		
962	21/11/17 4:42PM ID: 68034182	GL15		
963	21/11/17 5:08PM ID: 68036187	GL15		
964	21/11/17 5:59PM ID: 68040980	GL8		
965	21/11/17 6:30PM ID: 68043755	GI179xg		
966	21/11/17 8:43PM ID: 68054591	GI15		
967	21/11/17 8:52PM ID: 68054607	GL14		
968	21/11/17 9:13PM ID: 68056615	GL15		
969	21/11/17 10:17PM ID: 68061250	GI15		
970	21/11/17 10:55PM ID: 68063185	GL15		
971	22/11/17 3:33AM ID: 68068152	GL16		
972	22/11/17 7:03AM ID: 68071969	GL16		
973	22/11/17 9:17AM ID: 68078121	GI14		
974	22/11/17 9:25AM ID: 68078094	GI14		
975	22/11/17 9:41AM ID: 68080245	GL15		
976	22/11/17 11:48AM ID: 68092701	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
977	22/11/17 12:56PM ID: 68099023	GL15		
978	22/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68098204	GI14		
979	22/11/17 1:18PM ID: 68100659	GL17		
980	22/11/17 2:37PM ID: 68108301	GL15		
981	22/11/17 3:30PM ID: 68111881	GL15		
982	22/11/17 4:02PM ID: 68114941	GL15		
983	22/11/17 4:22PM ID: 68116549	I live overseas (last address was in Newnham GL14)		
984	22/11/17 4:32PM ID: 68112259	GL15		
985	22/11/17 5:00PM ID: 68118541	GL16		
986	22/11/17 5:18PM ID: 68119085	GL155PH		
987	22/11/17 5:58PM ID: 68122238	GI16		
988	22/11/17 7:09PM ID: 68130952	GI16		
989	22/11/17 7:29PM ID: 68132322	GI17		
990	22/11/17 7:57PM ID: 68135180	gl15		
991	22/11/17 7:58PM ID: 68134866	GL15 6PE		
992	22/11/17 8:00PM ID: 68134896	gl17		
993	22/11/17 9:36PM ID: 68142860	GL16		
994	22/11/17 9:57PM ID: 68143888	GL16 8DG		
995	22/11/17 10:09PM ID: 68143986	GI17		
996	22/11/17 11:26PM ID: 68147432	GL15		
997	23/11/17 3:56AM ID: 68151774	GL 17		
998	23/11/17 7:28AM ID: 68155501	GL16		
999	23/11/17 9:25AM ID: 68163410	GL17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1000	23/11/17 9:55AM ID: 68165612	GL17		
1001	23/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68166310	GL14		
1002	23/11/17 10:23AM ID: 68167250	GI15		
1003	23/11/17 10:39AM ID: 68171014	GI17		
1004	23/11/17 10:45AM ID: 68171808	HR		
1005	23/11/17 11:46AM ID: 68177968	GL16		
1006	23/11/17 12:51PM ID: 68182828	GL14		
1007	23/11/17 1:04PM ID: 68184427	GL15		
1008	23/11/17 1:05PM ID: 68185054	GL17		
1009	23/11/17 1:08PM ID: 68185173	GL17		
1010	23/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68185359	GL14		
1011	23/11/17 1:16PM ID: 68186109	GL14		
1012	23/11/17 1:19PM ID: 68186198	NP16		
1013	23/11/17 1:20PM ID: 68186484	NP16		
1014	23/11/17 1:25PM ID: 68186665	GL17		
1015	23/11/17 1:26PM ID: 68187069	GL15		
1016	23/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68185433	GL15		
1017	23/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68187242	GL16		
1018	23/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68187356	Not given - paper survey returned		
1019	23/11/17 1:36PM ID: 68187842	NP16		
1020	23/11/17 1:39PM ID: 68188517	Not given - paper survey returned		
1021	23/11/17 1:40PM ID: 68188825	GL17		
1022	23/11/17 1:45PM ID: 68188937	NP16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1023	23/11/17 1:57PM ID: 68189374	GL15		
1024	23/11/17 2:16PM ID: 68191457	BI14		
1025	23/11/17 2:45PM ID: 68191824	GL15		
1026	23/11/17 3:19PM ID: 68200215	GL15		
1027	23/11/17 3:59PM ID: 68205047	GI14		
1028	23/11/17 4:01PM ID: 68202139	GL15		
1029	23/11/17 4:13PM ID: 68201066	GI14		
1030	23/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68208184	GL14		
1031	23/11/17 4:54PM ID: 68210200	GL14		
1032	23/11/17 5:16PM ID: 68208067	GL15		
1033	23/11/17 6:43PM ID: 68218182	GL15		
1034	23/11/17 7:10PM ID: 68219855	GI14		
1035	23/11/17 7:43PM ID: 68221640	GI15 5fd		
1036	23/11/17 8:52PM ID: 68224860	GI14		
1037	23/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68224481	GL18		
1038	23/11/17 9:30PM ID: 68226270	GL15		
1039	23/11/17 9:51PM ID: 68227454	GI14		
1040	23/11/17 10:32PM ID: 68229189	NP16		
1041	23/11/17 10:34PM ID: 68229369	GL16		
1042	23/11/17 10:36PM ID: 68229651	NP16		
1043	23/11/17 10:56PM ID: 68229867	GI15		
1044	23/11/17 11:15PM ID: 68231190	GI15 6jy		
1045	23/11/17 11:18PM ID: 68231459	GI16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1046	23/11/17 11:20PM ID: 68230960	GL16		
1047	24/11/17 8:48AM ID: 68242867	GI16		
1048	24/11/17 9:16AM ID: 68245112	NP		
1049	24/11/17 5:26PM ID: 68280677	GL16		
1050	24/11/17 5:49PM ID: 68283834	GL15		
1051	24/11/17 6:21PM ID: 68285174	GI12		
1052	24/11/17 6:24PM ID: 68285371	GL12		
1053	25/11/17 12:39AM ID: 68296343	GI16		
1054	25/11/17 10:58AM ID: 68305271	NP16		
1055	25/11/17 3:27PM ID: 68314392	GI14		
1056	25/11/17 4:29PM ID: 68316070	gl16		
1057	25/11/17 5:41PM ID: 68318399	GI15		
1058	25/11/17 8:14PM ID: 68322253	GL15		
1059	25/11/17 9:25PM ID: 68323831	GL 19		
1060	25/11/17 9:56PM ID: 68324008	GL19		
1061	25/11/17 10:25PM ID: 68324788	gl14		
1062	26/11/17 9:30AM ID: 68332356	GL15		
1063	26/11/17 10:16AM ID: 68334824	GI15		
1064	26/11/17 12:49PM ID: 68339330	GL14		
1065	26/11/17 4:40PM ID: 68346876	GI154tu		
1066	26/11/17 5:11PM ID: 68348185	GI17		
1067	26/11/17 6:58PM ID: 68351990	GL14		
1068	26/11/17 7:05PM ID: 68352167	GL17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1069	26/11/17 7:36PM ID: 68352582	GL15		
1070	26/11/17 8:50PM ID: 68355431	GL15		
1071	26/11/17 10:52PM ID: 68358642	GI167RD		
1072	26/11/17 10:52PM ID: 68358247	GI17		
1073	26/11/17 11:24PM ID: 68359320	GL15		
1074	27/11/17 12:14AM ID: 68359960	GI16		
1075	27/11/17 1:37AM ID: 68360934	GL15		
1076	27/11/17 10:38AM ID: 68381384	GL50		
1077	27/11/17 10:38AM ID: 68382447	GL16		
1078	27/11/17 10:40AM ID: 68382838	GL16		
1079	27/11/17 10:45AM ID: 68383031	GL14		
1080	27/11/17 10:52AM ID: 68383505	GL15		
1081	27/11/17 11:01AM ID: 68384151	GL14		
1082	27/11/17 11:03AM ID: 68385037	GL14		
1083	27/11/17 11:10AM ID: 68385255	GL18		
1084	27/11/17 11:14AM ID: 68385925	Not given - paper survey returned		
1085	27/11/17 11:17AM ID: 68386231	GL14		
1086	27/11/17 11:20AM ID: 68386533	GL14		
1087	27/11/17 11:24AM ID: 68386762	GL15		
1088	27/11/17 12:17PM ID: 68390306	gl18		
1089	27/11/17 12:32PM ID: 63905589	GL17		
1090	27/11/17 12:50PM ID: 68394402	GI17		
1091	27/11/17 1:16PM ID: 67747763	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1092	27/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68124069	gl1		
1093	27/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68218197	GL14 3DU		
1094	27/11/17 1:38PM ID: 68399708	GL17		
1095	27/11/17 1:51PM ID: 68401087	GL15		
1096	27/11/17 1:54PM ID: 68401433	GL15		
1097	27/11/17 1:56PM ID: 68401712	GL16		
1098	27/11/17 2:01PM ID: 68401715	GL15		
1099	27/11/17 2:02PM ID: 68402439	GL16		
1100	27/11/17 2:04PM ID: 68402511	GL14		
1101	27/11/17 2:09PM ID: 68402751	Not given - paper survey returned		
1102	27/11/17 2:10PM ID: 68403276	GL15		
1103	27/11/17 2:11PM ID: 68403422	GL15		
1104	27/11/17 2:13PM ID: 68403539	GL17		
1105	27/11/17 2:14PM ID: 68403856	GL14		
1106	27/11/17 2:16PM ID: 68403962	GL15		
1107	27/11/17 2:17PM ID: 68404133	GL14		
1108	27/11/17 2:18PM ID: 68404312	GL15		
1109	27/11/17 2:20PM ID: 68404400	Not given - paper survey returned		
1110	27/11/17 2:23PM ID: 68404579	GL15		
1111	27/11/17 2:28PM ID: 68405009	GL15		
1112	27/11/17 3:00PM ID: 68409333	GL5		
1113	27/11/17 3:51PM ID: 68415418	GL16		
1114	27/11/17 5:11PM ID: 68423054	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1115	27/11/17 5:36PM ID: 68425582	GL16		
1116	27/11/17 5:40PM ID: 68426525	GI15		
1117	27/11/17 6:15PM ID: 68429113	GL16		
1118	27/11/17 7:00PM ID: 68432116	gl14		
1119	27/11/17 7:52PM ID: 68437676	GI15		
1120	27/11/17 7:54PM ID: 68437627	gl15		
1121	27/11/17 8:35PM ID: 68440536	GL17		
1122	27/11/17 9:13PM ID: 68442893	GI16		
1123	27/11/17 9:29PM ID: 68443771	GL15		
1124	27/11/17 10:17PM ID: 68446397	GL14		
1125	27/11/17 10:43PM ID: 68447707	GI15		
1126	28/11/17 7:42AM ID: 68458094	GL15		
1127	28/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68467843	GL14		
1128	28/11/17 10:11AM ID: 68469429	GL18		
1129	28/11/17 10:59AM ID: 68468729	NP16 but living in Forest of Dean Council area, Gloucestershire!		
1130	28/11/17 12:42PM ID: 68484380	GL14		
1131	28/11/17 12:43PM ID: 68485207	GL17		
1132	28/11/17 12:49PM ID: 68485363	GL15		
1133	28/11/17 12:52PM ID: 68485563	GL14		
1134	28/11/17 12:55PM ID: 68486122	GL15		
1135	28/11/17 12:59PM ID: 68486558	GL14		
1136	28/11/17 1:01PM ID: 68487002	GL16		
1137	28/11/17 1:11PM ID: 68487139	Not given - paper survey returned		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1138	28/11/17 1:13PM ID: 68488146	GL15		
1139	28/11/17 1:14PM ID: 68488291	GL15		
1140	28/11/17 1:38PM ID: 68490182	GI14		
1141	28/11/17 2:05PM ID: 68489803	GL17		
1142	28/11/17 2:15PM ID: 68493533	Not given - Paper survey returned		
1143	28/11/17 3:12PM ID: 68500041	gl15		
1144	28/11/17 4:29PM ID: 68501677	GL14		
1145	28/11/17 5:18PM ID: 68506827	GL16		
1146	28/11/17 5:40PM ID: 68509354	GI14		
1147	28/11/17 5:45PM ID: 68511802	GL16		
1148	28/11/17 5:50PM ID: 68511309	NP16		
1149	28/11/17 6:15PM ID: 68513747	gl16		
1150	28/11/17 7:21PM ID: 68517211	GI17		
1151	28/11/17 7:26PM ID: 68517317	GL16		
1152	28/11/17 8:35PM ID: 68521086	GL17		
1153	28/11/17 9:16PM ID: 68523315	GL3		
1154	28/11/17 9:33PM ID: 68524069	GI14		
1155	28/11/17 9:47PM ID: 68524610	GI15		
1156	28/11/17 9:56PM ID: 68525103	GL14		
1157	28/11/17 10:42PM ID: 68526953	GL16		
1158	28/11/17 10:43PM ID: 68525896	GL16		
1159	29/11/17 7:01AM ID: 68535728	GI15		
1160	29/11/17 7:16AM ID: 68536333	GI15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1161	29/11/17 8:50AM ID: 68540312	GL14		
1162	29/11/17 9:03AM ID: 68540953	GL16		
1163	29/11/17 9:08AM ID: 68542003	GI14		
1164	29/11/17 9:12AM ID: 68543068	GI17		
1165	29/11/17 9:22AM ID: 68543841	GL15		
1166	29/11/17 9:24AM ID: 68543075	GI14		
1167	29/11/17 10:20AM ID: 68549940	gl17		
1168	29/11/17 10:21AM ID: 68549433	GLI		
1169	29/11/17 11:14AM ID: 68556618	GL15		
1170	29/11/17 11:59AM ID: 68561037	GL19		
1171	29/11/17 12:18PM ID: 68563142	gl18		
1172	29/11/17 12:30PM ID: 68563512	GL15		
1173	29/11/17 12:41PM ID: 68564368	GL16		
1174	29/11/17 1:18PM ID: 68568967	gl16		
1175	29/11/17 1:40PM ID: 68570222	GL15		
1176	29/11/17 2:05PM ID: 68573243	gl17		
1177	29/11/17 2:50PM ID: 68577651	GL16		
1178	29/11/17 2:55PM ID: 68576457	GL17		
1179	29/11/17 3:41PM ID: 68582472	GL14		
1180	29/11/17 3:59PM ID: 68584515	GL14		
1181	29/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68587790	GI16		
1182	29/11/17 4:37PM ID: 68585900	GL16		
1183	29/11/17 4:51PM ID: 68586958	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1184	29/11/17 4:59PM ID: 68589599	NP 16		
1185	29/11/17 5:32PM ID: 68589304	GL17		
1186	29/11/17 6:07PM ID: 68594718	GL14		
1187	29/11/17 6:17PM ID: 68595397	GL19		
1188	29/11/17 7:09PM ID: 68595739	GL18		
1189	29/11/17 7:19PM ID: 68600352	GL14		
1190	29/11/17 7:47PM ID: 68602733	GL16		
1191	29/11/17 9:03PM ID: 68607787	GI14		
1192	29/11/17 9:15PM ID: 68608839	GL14 2TZ		
1193	29/11/17 9:25PM ID: 68609513	GI17		
1194	29/11/17 9:32PM ID: 68609549	Np16		
1195	29/11/17 9:59PM ID: 68611498	GL16		
1196	29/11/17 10:07PM ID: 68612011	GI17		
1197	29/11/17 10:27PM ID: 68612377	GL16		
1198	29/11/17 10:36PM ID: 68613722	GI15		
1199	30/11/17 1:48AM ID: 68619336	GL 15		
1200	30/11/17 6:17AM ID: 68623273	GI15		
1201	30/11/17 7:33AM ID: 68625377	GL15		
1202	30/11/17 7:50AM ID: 68626520	GL14		
1203	30/11/17 7:54AM ID: 68626708	GL14		
1204	30/11/17 9:24AM ID: 68632714	GL15		
1205	30/11/17 9:26AM ID: 68633594	gl14		
1206	30/11/17 10:30AM ID: 68639602	GL17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1207	30/11/17 11:40AM ID: 68644907	GI 15		
1208	30/11/17 11:56AM ID: 68648093	not given - paper survey returned		
1209	30/11/17 12:04PM ID: 68648314	GL16		
1210	30/11/17 12:05PM ID: 68649090	GL16		
1211	30/11/17 12:07PM ID: 68649202	GL16		
1212	30/11/17 12:09PM ID: 68649470	GL15		
1213	30/11/17 12:11PM ID: 68649559	GL15		
1214	30/11/17 12:12PM ID: 68648626	Np16		
1215	30/11/17 12:14PM ID: 68649719	GL17		
1216	30/11/17 12:15PM ID: 68649937	GL15		
1217	30/11/17 12:17PM ID: 68650055	GL14		
1218	30/11/17 12:19PM ID: 68650246	Not given - paper survey returned		
1219	30/11/17 12:36PM ID: 68650415	GL15		
1220	30/11/17 1:04PM ID: 68654178	GL15		
1221	30/11/17 1:07PM ID: 68652469	GL16		
1222	30/11/17 1:15PM ID: 68654353	GL19		
1223	30/11/17 1:17PM ID: 68655265	GL17		
1224	30/11/17 1:22PM ID: 68655462	Not given - paper survey returned		
1225	30/11/17 1:27PM ID: 68655912	GL15		
1226	30/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68656495	GL15		
1227	30/11/17 1:34PM ID: 68657019	Not given - paper survey returned		
1228	30/11/17 1:37PM ID: 68657153	Not given - paper survey returned		
1229	30/11/17 1:39PM ID: 68657433	GI16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1230	30/11/17 1:43PM ID: 68657717	GL17		
1231	30/11/17 1:49PM ID: 68658071	GL15		
1232	30/11/17 1:51PM ID: 68658788	not given - paper survey returned		
1233	30/11/17 1:52PM ID: 68658930	GL16		
1234	30/11/17 1:54PM ID: 68659028	GL15		
1235	30/11/17 2:08PM ID: 68659870	GL15		
1236	30/11/17 2:13PM ID: 68659831	gl15		
1237	30/11/17 2:25PM ID: 68661375	GL16		
1238	30/11/17 3:19PM ID: 68666846	GL15		
1239	30/11/17 4:19PM ID: 68671687	GL15		
1240	30/11/17 4:34PM ID: 68672116	GL16		
1241	30/11/17 4:35PM ID: 68672939	GL16		
1242	30/11/17 4:56PM ID: 68675755	GL16		
1243	30/11/17 5:09PM ID: 68676449	GL14		
1244	30/11/17 5:16PM ID: 68676481	GL15		
1245	30/11/17 5:50PM ID: 68679235	GL15		
1246	30/11/17 6:59PM ID: 68684197	GI15		
1247	30/11/17 8:03PM ID: 68688474	GI17		
1248	30/11/17 8:10PM ID: 68689290	GL14		
1249	30/11/17 8:41PM ID: 68690599	GL15		
1250	30/11/17 8:53PM ID: 68691014	GL14		
1251	30/11/17 9:10PM ID: 68691841	GL15		
1252	30/11/17 9:19PM ID: 68690988	GI17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1253	30/11/17 9:53PM ID: 68693955	GL15 5EF		
1254	30/11/17 10:04PM ID: 68692660	GL155QJ		
1255	30/11/17 10:39PM ID: 68696350	GI15		
1256	30/11/17 11:29PM ID: 68697728	GL14		
1257	01/12/17 10:43AM ID: 68719983	GI15		
1258	01/12/17 10:48AM ID: 68720517	GL14		
1259	01/12/17 11:37AM ID: 68724201	GL16		
1260	01/12/17 11:42AM ID: 68725086	gl14		
1261	01/12/17 11:51AM ID: 68726400	gl18		
1262	01/12/17 12:04PM ID: 68726686	GL14		
1263	01/12/17 12:56PM ID: 68728008	GL14		
1264	01/12/17 1:13PM ID: 68730708	GL15		
1265	01/12/17 1:13PM ID: 68732388	GI14		
1266	01/12/17 1:24PM ID: 68733526	GL14		
1267	01/12/17 2:40PM ID: 68739732	GL16		
1268	01/12/17 2:51PM ID: 68740955	GL17		
1269	01/12/17 2:52PM ID: 68741110	GL3		
1270	01/12/17 3:36PM ID: 68743737	GL15		
1271	01/12/17 4:08PM ID: 68746859	GL20		
1272	01/12/17 5:07PM ID: 68751689	GL15		
1273	01/12/17 5:42PM ID: 68758917	Gloucestershire 14 3hl		
1274	01/12/17 9:40PM ID: 68772512	GL17		
1275	01/12/17 9:51PM ID: 68773044	GI16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1276	01/12/17 10:01PM ID: 68773319	GL15		
1277	01/12/17 10:16PM ID: 68769636	GL17 0BW		
1278	02/12/17 12:10AM ID: 68776184	GL17		
1279	02/12/17 12:51PM ID: 68793706	GL14		
1280	02/12/17 4:20PM ID: 68801190	GL14		
1281	02/12/17 4:25PM ID: 68801473	GL14		
1282	02/12/17 5:03PM ID: 68802747	GL14		
1283	02/12/17 5:08PM ID: 68802920	GL15		
1284	02/12/17 5:15PM ID: 68803206	GL16		
1285	02/12/17 5:42PM ID: 68804141	GI14		
1286	02/12/17 6:02PM ID: 68804739	GL16		
1287	02/12/17 7:36PM ID: 68807234	GL15		
1288	02/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68808261	GL15		
1289	02/12/17 8:40PM ID: 68809840	GI14		
1290	02/12/17 9:15PM ID: 68810605	GL14		
1291	02/12/17 10:10PM ID: 68812427	GI15		
1292	03/12/17 7:33AM ID: 68819525	GI3		
1293	03/12/17 9:58AM ID: 68822612	Np16		
1294	03/12/17 10:01AM ID: 68822540	GI20		
1295	03/12/17 12:42PM ID: 68827622	GL17		
1296	03/12/17 1:25PM ID: 68828534	GL17		
1297	03/12/17 2:18PM ID: 68830659	gl15		
1298	03/12/17 2:23PM ID: 68830693	NP16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1299	03/12/17 2:45PM ID: 68830703	NP16		
1300	03/12/17 3:16PM ID: 68832291	gl14		
1301	03/12/17 3:25PM ID: 68832530	GL16		
1302	03/12/17 5:47PM ID: 68836434	GL15		
1303	03/12/17 6:04PM ID: 68837293	GL15		
1304	03/12/17 9:20PM ID: 68844339	GL16		
1305	03/12/17 9:54PM ID: 68844422	GL15		
1306	03/12/17 10:27PM ID: 68845741	GI14 3nn		
1307	04/12/17 12:58AM ID: 68849402	GI14		
1308	04/12/17 8:59AM ID: 68860045	not given - paper survey returned		
1309	04/12/17 9:02AM ID: 68860395	Not given - paper survey returned		
1310	04/12/17 9:03AM ID: 68860511	Not given - paper survey returned		
1311	04/12/17 9:04AM ID: 68860664	Not given - paper survey returned		
1312	04/12/17 9:07AM ID: 68860771	Not given - paper survey returned		
1313	04/12/17 9:08AM ID: 68861004	Not given - paper survey returned		
1314	04/12/17 9:09AM ID: 68861134	not given - paper survey returned		
1315	04/12/17 9:10AM ID: 68861225	Not given - paper survey returned		
1316	04/12/17 9:12AM ID: 68861343	not given - paper survey returned		
1317	04/12/17 9:14AM ID: 68861486	not given - paper survey returned		
1318	04/12/17 9:20AM ID: 68861762	Not given - -paper survey returned		
1319	04/12/17 9:22AM ID: 68862255	not given - paper survey returned		
1320	04/12/17 9:23AM ID: 68862402	not given - paper survey returned		
1321	04/12/17 9:26AM ID: 68862606	not given - paper survey returned		

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1322	04/12/17 9:27AM ID: 68862827	not given - paper survey returned		
1323	04/12/17 9:29AM ID: 68862932	Not given - paper survey returned		
1324	04/12/17 9:41AM ID: 68863131	Not given - paper survey returned		
1325	04/12/17 9:46AM ID: 68864502	not given - paper survey returned		
1326	04/12/17 9:47AM ID: 68864680	Not given - paper survey returned		
1327	04/12/17 9:49AM ID: 68864834	Not given - paper survey returned		
1328	04/12/17 9:56AM ID: 68865613	Not given - paper survey returned		
1329	04/12/17 10:00AM ID: 68865707	Not given - paper survey returned		
1330	04/12/17 10:03AM ID: 68866084	GL3		
1331	04/12/17 10:09AM ID: 68866915	GL17		
1332	04/12/17 10:16AM ID: 68867431	gl14		
1333	04/12/17 10:23AM ID: 68868096	GL1		
1334	04/12/17 10:30AM ID: 68868372	GL14		
1335	04/12/17 10:42AM ID: 68869487	GL17		
1336	04/12/17 10:43AM ID: 68867488	GL15		
1337	04/12/17 10:47AM ID: 68870175	GL14		
1338	04/12/17 10:50AM ID: 68870679	GL17		
1339	04/12/17 10:51AM ID: 68870069	GL10		
1340	04/12/17 10:52AM ID: 68870962	GL15		
1341	04/12/17 10:55AM ID: 68871242	GL14		
1342	04/12/17 11:05AM ID: 68871449	GL14		
1343	04/12/17 11:09AM ID: 68872441	GL15		
1344	04/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68872761	GL17		

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1345	04/12/17 11:23AM ID: 68873123	GL17		
1346	04/12/17 11:32AM ID: 68873979	GL14		
1347	04/12/17 12:17PM ID: 68878518	GL15		
1348	04/12/17 12:40PM ID: 68880185	GL15		
1349	04/12/17 12:55PM ID: 68881799	GL15		
1350	04/12/17 1:10PM ID: 68875274	GL16		
1351	04/12/17 1:41PM ID: 68885614	GL16		
1352	04/12/17 1:44PM ID: 68886599	GI15		
1353	04/12/17 2:07PM ID: 68888839	GL15		
1354	04/12/17 2:14PM ID: 68889116	GL15		
1355	04/12/17 2:16PM ID: 68889799	GL18		
1356	04/12/17 2:19PM ID: 68890004	GL15		
1357	04/12/17 2:20PM ID: 68890266	GL14		
1358	04/12/17 2:20PM ID: 68887254	GL17		
1359	04/12/17 2:22PM ID: 68890358	GL14		
1360	04/12/17 2:23PM ID: 68890608	GL15		
1361	04/12/17 2:26PM ID: 68890816	Not given - paper survey returned		
1362	04/12/17 2:27PM ID: 68891043	GL17		
1363	04/12/17 2:29PM ID: 68891210	Not given - paper survey returned		
1364	04/12/17 3:12PM ID: 68895236	GL15		
1365	04/12/17 3:17PM ID: 68896882	GL17		
1366	04/12/17 3:24PM ID: 68897158	GI15		
1367	04/12/17 3:28PM ID: 68896637	gl20		

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1368	04/12/17 4:04PM ID: 68902015	GL14		
1369	04/12/17 4:28PM ID: 68901960	GL15		
1370	04/12/17 4:56PM ID: 68907012	GL14		
1371	04/12/17 5:53PM ID: 68910398	GL17		
1372	04/12/17 6:41PM ID: 68914277	gl15		
1373	04/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68918338	GL17 0EN		
1374	04/12/17 8:11PM ID: 68914041	GL18		
1375	04/12/17 8:14PM ID: 68915523	GL15		
1376	04/12/17 8:21PM ID: 68921149	GL16		
1377	04/12/17 9:01PM ID: 68922358	Np16		
1378	04/12/17 9:20PM ID: 68924495	GI16		
1379	04/12/17 9:41PM ID: 68925774	GL14		
1380	04/12/17 9:56PM ID: 68926093	GL14		
1381	04/12/17 10:22PM ID: 68927663	GL17 0PN		
1382	04/12/17 11:19PM ID: 68929973	HR9		
1383	05/12/17 7:56AM ID: 68939296	GL15		
1384	05/12/17 8:28AM ID: 68939951	GL15		
1385	05/12/17 9:12AM ID: 68944591	GL14		
1386	05/12/17 9:15AM ID: 68945019	GL16		
1387	05/12/17 9:16AM ID: 68945363	Not given - paper survey returned		
1388	05/12/17 9:20AM ID: 68945489	GL16		
1389	05/12/17 9:30AM ID: 68945937	GL16		
1390	05/12/17 9:34AM ID: 68947065	NP25		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1391	05/12/17 9:37AM ID: 68947312	GL14		
1392	05/12/17 9:38AM ID: 68947581	GL16		
1393	05/12/17 9:39AM ID: 68947749	GL15		
1394	05/12/17 9:45AM ID: 68947831	GL16		
1395	05/12/17 9:54AM ID: 68948277	GL15		
1396	05/12/17 9:56AM ID: 68949038	GL17		
1397	05/12/17 9:57AM ID: 68948266	GL16		
1398	05/12/17 9:59AM ID: 68949196	not given - paper survey returned		
1399	05/12/17 10:20AM ID: 68949437	GL16		
1400	05/12/17 10:25AM ID: 68951390	GL14		
1401	05/12/17 10:27AM ID: 68951808	GL15		
1402	05/12/17 10:34AM ID: 68952036	Not given - paper survey returned		
1403	05/12/17 10:37AM ID: 68952632	GL15		
1404	05/12/17 10:40AM ID: 68952890	GL15		
1405	05/12/17 10:48AM ID: 68953238	NP16		
1406	05/12/17 10:57AM ID: 68954456	GL15		
1407	05/12/17 10:57AM ID: 68954046	GL17		
1408	05/12/17 10:59AM ID: 68954801	GL14		
1409	05/12/17 11:07AM ID: 68955025	Not given - paper survey returned		
1410	05/12/17 11:13AM ID: 68955953	GL17		
1411	05/12/17 11:17AM ID: 68956171	not given - paper survey returned		
1412	05/12/17 11:20AM ID: 68956573	GL15		
1413	05/12/17 11:28AM ID: 68956983	GL15		

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1414	05/12/17 11:31AM ID: 68957748	GL14		
1415	05/12/17 11:33AM ID: 68958017	GL15		
1416	05/12/17 11:35AM ID: 68958173	GL15		
1417	05/12/17 11:38AM ID: 68958417	GL15		
1418	05/12/17 11:41AM ID: 68958730	GL16		
1419	05/12/17 11:44AM ID: 68959026	GL16		
1420	05/12/17 11:51AM ID: 68959300	GL15		
1421	05/12/17 11:53AM ID: 68959952	GL14		
1422	05/12/17 12:04PM ID: 68960131	GL16		
1423	05/12/17 12:07PM ID: 68961257	GL18		
1424	05/12/17 12:10PM ID: 68961583	GL14		
1425	05/12/17 12:15PM ID: 68961871	GL16		
1426	05/12/17 12:22PM ID: 68962397	GL17		
1427	05/12/17 12:30PM ID: 68962982	GL18		
1428	05/12/17 12:34PM ID: 68963759	GL17		
1429	05/12/17 12:35PM ID: 68963778	GL16		
1430	05/12/17 12:43PM ID: 68964195	GL14		
1431	05/12/17 1:32PM ID: 68969705	Not given - paper survey returned		
1432	05/12/17 1:35PM ID: 68969853	GL15		
1433	05/12/17 1:37PM ID: 68970023	GL17		
1434	05/12/17 1:39PM ID: 68970294	GL17		
1435	05/12/17 1:46PM ID: 68970579	GL16		
1436	05/12/17 1:47PM ID: 68971207	Not given - paper survey returned		

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1437	05/12/17 1:49PM ID: 68971310	GL15		
1438	05/12/17 1:50PM ID: 68968022	GL17		
1439	05/12/17 1:51PM ID: 68971481	GL15		
1440	05/12/17 1:53PM ID: 68971708	not given - paper survey returned		
1441	05/12/17 1:55PM ID: 68971804	GL15		
1442	05/12/17 1:56PM ID: 68971012	GL16		
1443	05/12/17 1:57PM ID: 68972041	GL16		
1444	05/12/17 2:01PM ID: 68972234	GL17		
1445	05/12/17 2:03PM ID: 68972638	GL14		
1446	05/12/17 2:06PM ID: 68972774	GL14		
1447	05/12/17 2:07PM ID: 68973042	Not given - paper survey returned		
1448	05/12/17 2:08PM ID: 68971131	gl15		
1449	05/12/17 2:10PM ID: 68973115	GL15		
1450	05/12/17 2:11PM ID: 68973423	GL14		
1451	05/12/17 2:12PM ID: 68973510	GL14		
1452	05/12/17 2:13PM ID: 68973592	GL17		
1453	05/12/17 2:13PM ID: 68973658	GL18		
1454	05/12/17 2:14PM ID: 68973740	GL16		
1455	05/12/17 2:15PM ID: 68973840	GL19		
1456	05/12/17 2:16PM ID: 68973945	GL15		
1457	05/12/17 2:18PM ID: 68974088	GL19		
1458	05/12/17 2:20PM ID: 68974281	Not given - Paper survey returned		
1459	05/12/17 2:21PM ID: 68974408	GL18		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1460	05/12/17 2:21PM ID: 68974502	GL18		
1461	05/12/17 2:24PM ID: 68974588	Not given - paper survey returned		
1462	05/12/17 2:30PM ID: 68974474	GL14		
1463	05/12/17 2:53PM ID: 68977241	GL17		
1464	05/12/17 3:34PM ID: 68980992	GL14		
1465	05/12/17 3:47PM ID: 68982221	gl155ja		
1466	05/12/17 3:53PM ID: 68983060	GL18		
1467	05/12/17 3:58PM ID: 68982400	GL156DX		
1468	05/12/17 5:00PM ID: 68988941	gl16		
1469	05/12/17 5:26PM ID: 68990859	GL15		
1470	05/12/17 6:21PM ID: 68994743	GL17		
1471	05/12/17 7:09PM ID: 68997548	GL17OBN		
1472	05/12/17 7:27PM ID: 68998184	GL16		
1473	05/12/17 7:51PM ID: 68999097	GI14		
1474	05/12/17 8:32PM ID: 69001010	GL16		
1475	05/12/17 8:53PM ID: 69001507	GL14		
1476	05/12/17 9:01PM ID: 69003296	GL1		
1477	05/12/17 9:07PM ID: 69003887	GL14		
1478	05/12/17 9:25PM ID: 69004706	GL15		
1479	05/12/17 9:48PM ID: 69005646	GI15		
1480	05/12/17 10:07PM ID: 69006760	GL17		
1481	05/12/17 10:14PM ID: 69006485	GI15		
1482	05/12/17 10:26PM ID: 69007484	GL15		

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1483	05/12/17 10:28PM ID: 69007530	gl16		
1484	05/12/17 11:09PM ID: 69005756	GL16		
1485	06/12/17 12:33AM ID: 69011677	gl17		
1486	06/12/17 5:35AM ID: 69016862	GL14		
1487	06/12/17 8:24AM ID: 69023240	GL14		
1488	06/12/17 8:42AM ID: 69024883	GL17		
1489	06/12/17 8:57AM ID: 69023761	GL4		
1490	06/12/17 9:01AM ID: 69025004	GL14		
1491	06/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69033344	GL14		
1492	06/12/17 10:07AM ID: 69034386	GL2		
1493	06/12/17 10:08AM ID: 69034402	gl1		
1494	06/12/17 10:14AM ID: 69035230	GL7		
1495	06/12/17 10:15AM ID: 69034440	GL1		
1496	06/12/17 10:15AM ID: 69035263	GL20		
1497	06/12/17 10:16AM ID: 69035245	gl19		
1498	06/12/17 10:16AM ID: 69034985	GL52		
1499	06/12/17 10:18AM ID: 69035127	gl13		
1500	06/12/17 10:18AM ID: 69034473	SN6		
1501	06/12/17 10:18AM ID: 69035726	GL2		
1502	06/12/17 10:22AM ID: 69036293	GL51		
1503	06/12/17 10:22AM ID: 69036188	gl4		
1504	06/12/17 10:24AM ID: 69036382	GL51		
1505	06/12/17 10:24AM ID: 69035706	GL52		

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1506	06/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69036862	GL4		
1507	06/12/17 10:27AM ID: 69036875	gl2		
1508	06/12/17 10:28AM ID: 69034650	GL1		
1509	06/12/17 10:28AM ID: 69035835	GL14		
1510	06/12/17 10:29AM ID: 69036917	GL3		
1511	06/12/17 10:31AM ID: 69037086	GL53		
1512	06/12/17 10:32AM ID: 69037181	GL4		
1513	06/12/17 10:33AM ID: 69036374	GL7		
1514	06/12/17 10:33AM ID: 69036938	GL1 3QL		
1515	06/12/17 10:38AM ID: 69037631	gl20		
1516	06/12/17 10:38AM ID: 69037107	GL10		
1517	06/12/17 10:39AM ID: 69037225	GL17		
1518	06/12/17 10:40AM ID: 69038155	No		
1519	06/12/17 10:44AM ID: 69038365	gl3		
1520	06/12/17 10:48AM ID: 69038830	gl50		
1521	06/12/17 10:50AM ID: 69039030	GL3		
1522	06/12/17 10:51AM ID: 69038546	gl15		
1523	06/12/17 10:53AM ID: 69039242	GL4		
1524	06/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69037308	GL52		
1525	06/12/17 11:16AM ID: 69041736	GL2		
1526	06/12/17 11:28AM ID: 69042986	GL2		
1527	06/12/17 11:40AM ID: 69045009	GL18		
1528	06/12/17 11:54AM ID: 69046470	GL52		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1529	06/12/17 11:58AM ID: 69046934	GL52		
1530	06/12/17 12:07PM ID: 69048406	GL3		
1531	06/12/17 12:08PM ID: 69048439	GL2		
1532	06/12/17 12:10PM ID: 69048776	GL10		
1533	06/12/17 12:11PM ID: 69048994	GL51		
1534	06/12/17 12:20PM ID: 69043447	GL18		
1535	06/12/17 12:29PM ID: 69048488	GL14		
1536	06/12/17 12:37PM ID: 69050850	GL16		
1537	06/12/17 12:43PM ID: 69052040	GL51		
1538	06/12/17 12:52PM ID: 69052555	GI51		
1539	06/12/17 1:12PM ID: 69034762	GL20		
1540	06/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69056267	GL50		
1541	06/12/17 1:39PM ID: 69057124	GL52		
1542	06/12/17 1:51PM ID: 69058401	GL1		
1543	06/12/17 2:03PM ID: 69060014	GL18		
1544	06/12/17 4:03PM ID: 69072486	GL14		
1545	06/12/17 4:36PM ID: 69075776	GL14		
1546	06/12/17 4:58PM ID: 69077458	GI16		
1547	06/12/17 5:10PM ID: 69077987	GL15		
1548	06/12/17 5:27PM ID: 69079481	GI15		
1549	06/12/17 6:05PM ID: 69081914	GL15		
1550	06/12/17 6:18PM ID: 69082599	GL16		
1551	06/12/17 7:17PM ID: 69085782	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1552	06/12/17 8:35PM ID: 69089263	GL16		
1553	06/12/17 10:29PM ID: 69093917	GI15		
1554	06/12/17 10:47PM ID: 69094443	GL14		
1555	06/12/17 10:55PM ID: 69094304	GL15		
1556	06/12/17 11:22PM ID: 69095116	GL15		
1557	07/12/17 8:00AM ID: 69083387	GL17		
1558	07/12/17 8:02AM ID: 69104145	GL17		
1559	07/12/17 9:11AM ID: 69107630	GL1		
1560	07/12/17 9:16AM ID: 69108269	Not given - paper survey returned		
1561	07/12/17 9:17AM ID: 69108625	GL14		
1562	07/12/17 9:18AM ID: 69108693	GL15		
1563	07/12/17 9:33AM ID: 69108844	GL15		
1564	07/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69110025	GL14		
1565	07/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69110229	GL16		
1566	07/12/17 9:39AM ID: 69110358	NP16		
1567	07/12/17 9:41AM ID: 69110478	GL15		
1568	07/12/17 9:47AM ID: 69110639	GL15		
1569	07/12/17 9:48AM ID: 69111077	GL17		
1570	07/12/17 9:50AM ID: 69111163	NP16		
1571	07/12/17 9:58AM ID: 69111845	NP16		
1572	07/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69111001	GL14 1JT		
1573	07/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69112140	GL15		
1574	07/12/17 10:01AM ID: 69112083	GI14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1575	07/12/17 10:05AM ID: 69112382	Not given - paper survey returned		
1576	07/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69112786	GL19		
1577	07/12/17 10:09AM ID: 69112884	Not given - paper survey returned		
1578	07/12/17 10:12AM ID: 69113320	GL15		
1579	07/12/17 10:17AM ID: 69113638	GL16		
1580	07/12/17 10:22AM ID: 69114166	GL15		
1581	07/12/17 10:23AM ID: 69113188	GL15		
1582	07/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69114606	GL16		
1583	07/12/17 10:27AM ID: 69114977	GL15		
1584	07/12/17 10:29AM ID: 69115066	GL15		
1585	07/12/17 10:30AM ID: 69115172	GL14		
1586	07/12/17 10:31AM ID: 69115301	Not given - paper survey returned		
1587	07/12/17 10:33AM ID: 69115390	GL15		
1588	07/12/17 10:48AM ID: 69115546	GL14		
1589	07/12/17 10:49AM ID: 69116673	Not given - paper survey returned		
1590	07/12/17 10:50AM ID: 69113756	GL17		
1591	07/12/17 10:51AM ID: 69116806	NP16		
1592	07/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69116934	NP16		
1593	07/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69117003	GL14		
1594	07/12/17 11:00AM ID: 69117446	GL14		
1595	07/12/17 11:04AM ID: 69117789	GL14		
1596	07/12/17 11:16AM ID: 69118059	GL17		
1597	07/12/17 11:21AM ID: 69119512	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1598	07/12/17 11:28AM ID: 69119966	GL16		
1599	07/12/17 11:30AM ID: 69120809	GL16		
1600	07/12/17 11:35AM ID: 69121102	GL2		
1601	07/12/17 11:39AM ID: 69121561	GL15		
1602	07/12/17 11:43AM ID: 69122027	GL15		
1603	07/12/17 11:48AM ID: 69122395	GL14		
1604	07/12/17 11:54AM ID: 69122850	GL15		
1605	07/12/17 12:01PM ID: 69123420	GL14		
1606	07/12/17 12:08PM ID: 69124239	Not given - paper survey returned		
1607	07/12/17 12:16PM ID: 69125014	GL14		
1608	07/12/17 12:24PM ID: 69125839	GL2		
1609	07/12/17 12:26PM ID: 69126579	GL16		
1610	07/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69126706	GL16		
1611	07/12/17 12:42PM ID: 69127614	not given - paper survey returned		
1612	07/12/17 12:44PM ID: 69127890	GL17		
1613	07/12/17 12:48PM ID: 69128003	NP16		
1614	07/12/17 12:49PM ID: 69128251	NP16		
1615	07/12/17 12:51PM ID: 69127907	NP16		
1616	07/12/17 12:53PM ID: 69128414	GL15		
1617	07/12/17 12:54PM ID: 69128389	GL14		
1618	07/12/17 12:55PM ID: 69128676	GL14		
1619	07/12/17 12:56PM ID: 69128819	GL20		
1620	07/12/17 12:58PM ID: 69128902	GL14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1621	07/12/17 1:00PM ID: 69129056	GL15		
1622	07/12/17 1:02PM ID: 69129231	not given - paper survey returned		
1623	07/12/17 1:04PM ID: 69127099	GL15		
1624	07/12/17 1:08PM ID: 69129346	GL15		
1625	07/12/17 1:10PM ID: 69129859	GL14		
1626	07/12/17 1:14PM ID: 69130047	GL14		
1627	07/12/17 1:15PM ID: 69130399	GL18		
1628	07/12/17 1:16PM ID: 69130476	GL15		
1629	07/12/17 1:19PM ID: 69130603	GL16		
1630	07/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69130862	GL16		
1631	07/12/17 1:23PM ID: 69131005	NP16		
1632	07/12/17 1:25PM ID: 69131209	NP16		
1633	07/12/17 1:29PM ID: 69131397	GL15		
1634	07/12/17 1:37PM ID: 69132220	GL15		
1635	07/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69131709	GL15		
1636	07/12/17 2:30PM ID: 69137759	GL15		
1637	07/12/17 3:27PM ID: 69141231	GL15		
1638	07/12/17 3:42PM ID: 69145192	GL17		
1639	07/12/17 4:37PM ID: 69130392	GL15		
1640	07/12/17 5:20PM ID: 69153088	GL17		
1641	07/12/17 5:55PM ID: 69154726	GL14		
1642	07/12/17 6:14PM ID: 69156409	GL17		
1643	07/12/17 6:26PM ID: 69157417	GI15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1644	07/12/17 6:58PM ID: 69158845	GL19		
1645	07/12/17 7:50PM ID: 69162188	np16		
1646	07/12/17 8:03PM ID: 69163041	GL1		
1647	07/12/17 8:58PM ID: 69165685	GI4		
1648	07/12/17 9:11PM ID: 69165943	GL14		
1649	07/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69166823	GL17		
1650	07/12/17 9:52PM ID: 69168602	GL53		
1651	07/12/17 9:54PM ID: 69168492	GI14		
1652	07/12/17 11:05PM ID: 69171540	GI15		
1653	07/12/17 11:23PM ID: 69171221	GL4		
1654	07/12/17 11:36PM ID: 69171396	GL15		
1655	07/12/17 11:43PM ID: 69172594	GL15		
1656	08/12/17 12:12AM ID: 69173390	GL3		
1657	08/12/17 6:40AM ID: 69178751	GL16		
1658	08/12/17 8:56AM ID: 69184814	GL14		
1659	08/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69188147	GL14		
1660	08/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69182051	gl 15		
1661	08/12/17 10:11AM ID: 69189649	GL14		
1662	08/12/17 10:25AM ID: 69192586	GL14		
1663	08/12/17 10:55AM ID: 69195359	GL2		
1664	08/12/17 10:58AM ID: 69195154	GI15		
1665	08/12/17 10:59AM ID: 69196142	GI15		
1666	08/12/17 10:59AM ID: 69196154	GL17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1667	08/12/17 11:27AM ID: 69199326	GL15		
1668	08/12/17 11:51AM ID: 69201657	GL51		
1669	08/12/17 12:09PM ID: 69203114	GI15		
1670	08/12/17 12:13PM ID: 69201474	GL15		
1671	08/12/17 12:56PM ID: 69197790	GL14		
1672	08/12/17 12:59PM ID: 69207977	GL14		
1673	08/12/17 1:03PM ID: 69208116	Not given - paper survey returned		
1674	08/12/17 1:06PM ID: 69208376	GL15		
1675	08/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69208513	GL15		
1676	08/12/17 1:08PM ID: 69208636	Not given - paper survey returned		
1677	08/12/17 1:11PM ID: 69208750	GL15		
1678	08/12/17 1:15PM ID: 69208951	GL16		
1679	08/12/17 1:18PM ID: 69209235	GL15		
1680	08/12/17 1:21PM ID: 69209405	NP16		
1681	08/12/17 1:23PM ID: 69209637	GL1		
1682	08/12/17 1:27PM ID: 69209787	GL15		
1683	08/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69210038	GL15		
1684	08/12/17 1:35PM ID: 69210307	GL16		
1685	08/12/17 1:37PM ID: 69209024	GL15		
1686	08/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69209867	NP16		
1687	08/12/17 1:43PM ID: 69210672	Not given - paper survey returned		
1688	08/12/17 1:50PM ID: 69211247	GL16		
1689	08/12/17 1:52PM ID: 69210842	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1690	08/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69211689	GL15		
1691	08/12/17 1:59PM ID: 69211912	GL14		
1692	08/12/17 2:02PM ID: 69212373	GL18		
1693	08/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69212571	GL18		
1694	08/12/17 2:10PM ID: 69212817	GI15		
1695	08/12/17 2:12PM ID: 69212635	GL16		
1696	08/12/17 2:13PM ID: 69213332	GL15		
1697	08/12/17 2:14PM ID: 69211342	GL16		
1698	08/12/17 2:15PM ID: 69213506	GL16		
1699	08/12/17 2:19PM ID: 69213691	GL15		
1700	08/12/17 2:20PM ID: 69214075	Not given - paper survey returned		
1701	08/12/17 2:22PM ID: 69214150	GL14		
1702	08/12/17 2:23PM ID: 69214311	GL18		
1703	08/12/17 2:25PM ID: 69214557	GL17		
1704	08/12/17 2:27PM ID: 69214796	Not given - paper survey returned		
1705	08/12/17 2:34PM ID: 69214178	GL16		
1706	08/12/17 2:40PM ID: 69215576	GL17 9EJ		
1707	08/12/17 2:41PM ID: 69216398	GL17		
1708	08/12/17 2:52PM ID: 69217278	NP16		
1709	08/12/17 3:15PM ID: 69218166	GL14 2NT		
1710	08/12/17 3:42PM ID: 69219931	GL17		
1711	08/12/17 4:09PM ID: 69221167	GL14		
1712	08/12/17 4:10PM ID: 69222652	GI17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1713	08/12/17 4:20PM ID: 69223815	GL179BP		
1714	08/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69223870	GI16		
1715	08/12/17 4:31PM ID: 69221924	GI15		
1716	08/12/17 4:48PM ID: 69224845	GL17		
1717	08/12/17 5:03PM ID: 69225831	GL17		
1718	08/12/17 5:25PM ID: 69227947	GL17		
1719	08/12/17 5:38PM ID: 69228085	GL15		
1720	08/12/17 5:48PM ID: 69227718	gl15		
1721	08/12/17 5:56PM ID: 69228887	GL15		
1722	08/12/17 5:57PM ID: 69228621	GL15		
1723	08/12/17 6:16PM ID: 69230260	GL15		
1724	08/12/17 6:19PM ID: 69231120	GL5		
1725	08/12/17 6:26PM ID: 69231343	HR9		
1726	08/12/17 7:09PM ID: 69233165	GI14		
1727	08/12/17 7:20PM ID: 69233320	GL15		
1728	08/12/17 7:30PM ID: 69232958	GL16		
1729	08/12/17 7:47PM ID: 69235053	GI16		
1730	08/12/17 7:53PM ID: 69232968	GL16		
1731	08/12/17 7:59PM ID: 69235388	GL15		
1732	08/12/17 8:35PM ID: 69234916	GL14		
1733	08/12/17 8:36PM ID: 69236863	GI14		
1734	08/12/17 9:47PM ID: 69239111	GL14		
1735	08/12/17 10:33PM ID: 69241034	NP16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1736	08/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69241016	GL17		
1737	09/12/17 3:36AM ID: 69245233	GI15		
1738	09/12/17 8:21AM ID: 69249254	GL14		
1739	09/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69250508	GL14		
1740	09/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69250641	GL15		
1741	09/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69251815	GL5		
1742	09/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69252340	GL17 9ES		
1743	09/12/17 9:51AM ID: 69252094	GL15		
1744	09/12/17 12:27PM ID: 69258731	GL16		
1745	09/12/17 12:29PM ID: 69259068	GL15		
1746	09/12/17 2:31PM ID: 69263170	GL15		
1747	09/12/17 3:00PM ID: 69264015	GL14		
1748	09/12/17 3:13PM ID: 69259351	GL16		
1749	09/12/17 3:31PM ID: 69265161	NP16		
1750	09/12/17 3:35PM ID: 69265701	GL16		
1751	09/12/17 4:22PM ID: 69266661	GL15		
1752	09/12/17 4:28PM ID: 69266970	GL15		
1753	09/12/17 4:32PM ID: 69267291	GL15		
1754	09/12/17 4:42PM ID: 69267652	GL15		
1755	09/12/17 6:15PM ID: 69270637	GI15		
1756	09/12/17 6:38PM ID: 69270946	GL14		
1757	09/12/17 6:42PM ID: 69271552	GL16		
1758	09/12/17 7:12PM ID: 69272353	GL17		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1759	09/12/17 7:13PM ID: 69272263	GL14		
1760	09/12/17 7:31PM ID: 69272966	GL16		
1761	09/12/17 7:38PM ID: 69272711	GL15 5QF		
1762	09/12/17 8:06PM ID: 69273525	GL17		
1763	09/12/17 8:39PM ID: 69274042	GL17		
1764	09/12/17 8:44PM ID: 69274455	GL15		
1765	09/12/17 8:44PM ID: 69274409	GL18		
1766	09/12/17 9:25PM ID: 69275796	GL15		
1767	09/12/17 9:41PM ID: 69276030	GL16		
1768	09/12/17 10:16PM ID: 69277221	GL15		
1769	09/12/17 10:45PM ID: 69277903	GL15		
1770	09/12/17 11:01PM ID: 69277567	GL15		
1771	09/12/17 11:08PM ID: 69278337	GL15		
1772	09/12/17 11:26PM ID: 69276227	NP16		
1773	09/12/17 11:54PM ID: 69279078	NP16		
1774	10/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69288111	gl15		
1775	10/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69288956	GL15		
1776	10/12/17 11:27AM ID: 69292828	GI17		
1777	10/12/17 12:10PM ID: 69294864	GL15		
1778	10/12/17 1:40PM ID: 69297816	GL14		
1779	10/12/17 3:08PM ID: 69299170	GL14		
1780	10/12/17 3:59PM ID: 69301632	GL 16,		
1781	10/12/17 4:50PM ID: 69302265	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1782	10/12/17 5:16PM ID: 69304981	GL16		
1783	10/12/17 5:24PM ID: 69305302	GL16		
1784	10/12/17 5:52PM ID: 69306595	GL14		
1785	10/12/17 5:56PM ID: 69306703	GL17		
1786	10/12/17 6:21PM ID: 69307478	GL14		
1787	10/12/17 6:41PM ID: 69307490	GL18		
1788	10/12/17 7:09PM ID: 69309218	GL14		
1789	10/12/17 7:20PM ID: 69309545	GL17		
1790	10/12/17 7:27PM ID: 69310011	GL17		
1791	10/12/17 7:35PM ID: 69310360	GI14		
1792	10/12/17 7:55PM ID: 69310199	GL17		
1793	10/12/17 8:00PM ID: 69311181	GL14		
1794	10/12/17 8:09PM ID: 69311657	GI15		
1795	10/12/17 8:11PM ID: 69311852	GI15		
1796	10/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69314391	GL15		
1797	10/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69314382	GI14		
1798	10/12/17 9:32PM ID: 69314863	GL14		
1799	10/12/17 9:44PM ID: 69315252	GI14		
1800	10/12/17 9:47PM ID: 69315393	GI16		
1801	10/12/17 9:54PM ID: 69315151	GL14		
1802	10/12/17 10:00PM ID: 69314609	GL15		
1803	10/12/17 10:00PM ID: 69315754	GI14		
1804	10/12/17 10:13PM ID: 69316246	GI14		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1805	10/12/17 10:40PM ID: 69316550	GL15		
1806	10/12/17 11:00PM ID: 69317458	GL16		
1807	10/12/17 11:05PM ID: 69317517	gl1		
1808	10/12/17 11:29PM ID: 69318153	GL14		
1809	10/12/17 11:42PM ID: 69317743	gl14		
1810	10/12/17 11:58PM ID: 69311344	GL16		
1811	11/12/17 1:22AM ID: 69319269	GL16		
1812	11/12/17 7:04AM ID: 69323472	GL142RL		
1813	11/12/17 8:56AM ID: 69328043	gl51		
1814	11/12/17 9:19AM ID: 69329965	GL3		
1815	11/12/17 9:21AM ID: 69330137	Not given - paper survey returned		
1816	11/12/17 9:30AM ID: 69330283	GL14		
1817	11/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69331150	GL14		
1818	11/12/17 10:06AM ID: 69333644	Not given - paper survey returned		
1819	11/12/17 10:15AM ID: 69334011	GL18		
1820	11/12/17 10:27AM ID: 69334747	GL15		
1821	11/12/17 10:42AM ID: 69335774	not given - paper survey returned		
1822	11/12/17 10:46AM ID: 69336992	GL15		
1823	11/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69337414	GL15		
1824	11/12/17 11:09AM ID: 69337984	GL15		
1825	11/12/17 11:19AM ID: 69339225	GL16		
1826	11/12/17 11:30AM ID: 69340070	GL17		
1827	11/12/17 11:42AM ID: 69340956	GL15		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1828	11/12/17 11:53AM ID: 69342024	Not given - paper survey returned		
1829	11/12/17 12:04PM ID: 69342976	Not given - paper survey returned		
1830	11/12/17 12:13PM ID: 69343900	GL14		
1831	11/12/17 12:41PM ID: 69344749	GL15		
1832	11/12/17 1:00PM ID: 69348414	GI15		
1833	11/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69348547	GL14		
1834	11/12/17 1:12PM ID: 69349148	GL15		
1835	11/12/17 1:16PM ID: 69349570	NP16		
1836	11/12/17 1:20PM ID: 69349990	GL16		
1837	11/12/17 1:21PM ID: 69350479	NP16		
1838	11/12/17 1:26PM ID: 69350568	GL17		
1839	11/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69351211	HR9		
1840	11/12/17 1:31PM ID: 69351779	GL16		
1841	11/12/17 1:32PM ID: 69351862	GL15		
1842	11/12/17 1:38PM ID: 69352059	GL18		
1843	11/12/17 1:42PM ID: 69352689	not given - paper survey returned		
1844	11/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69353060	Not given - paper survey returned		
1845	11/12/17 1:46PM ID: 69353273	GL15		
1846	11/12/17 1:53PM ID: 69353642	GL17		
1847	11/12/17 1:57PM ID: 69354254	GL17		
1848	11/12/17 2:00PM ID: 69354689	Not given - paper survey returned		
1849	11/12/17 2:03PM ID: 69355043	HR9		
1850	11/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69355409	Not given - paper survey returned		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1851	11/12/17 2:07PM ID: 69355603	GL18		
1852	11/12/17 2:11PM ID: 69355857	GL17		
1853	11/12/17 2:14PM ID: 69356448	GL17		
1854	11/12/17 2:15PM ID: 69356834	GL15		
1855	11/12/17 2:18PM ID: 69357048	GL15		
1856	11/12/17 2:19PM ID: 69357386	Not given - paper survey returned		
1857	11/12/17 2:21PM ID: 69357566	GL15		
1858	11/12/17 2:23PM ID: 69357768	GL16		
1859	11/12/17 2:25PM ID: 69358158	GL15		
1860	11/12/17 2:26PM ID: 69358382	GL51		
1861	11/12/17 2:27PM ID: 69358522	GL17		
1862	11/12/17 2:28PM ID: 69358657	GL16		
1863	11/12/17 3:11PM ID: 69362687	GL14		
1864	12/12/17 8:54AM ID: 69401654	GL17		
1865	12/12/17 9:15AM ID: 69402860	NP16		
1866	12/12/17 9:31AM ID: 69404481	GL15		
1867	12/12/17 9:33AM ID: 69405668	GL18		
1868	12/12/17 9:40AM ID: 69405841	GL17		
1869	12/12/17 9:42AM ID: 69406336	GL14		
1870	12/12/17 9:56AM ID: 69406496	GL16		
1871	12/12/17 10:02AM ID: 69407650	GL15		
1872	12/12/17 10:12AM ID: 69408049	GL15		
1873	12/12/17 10:28AM ID: 69409275	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1874	12/12/17 10:35AM ID: 69410665	Not given - paper survey returned		
1875	12/12/17 10:38AM ID: 69411119	GL15		
1876	12/12/17 10:45AM ID: 69411350	GL15		
1877	12/12/17 10:52AM ID: 69411998	GL16		
1878	12/12/17 11:11AM ID: 69412690	GL15		
1879	12/12/17 11:26AM ID: 69414603	NP16		
1880	12/12/17 12:34PM ID: 69189253	GL5		
1881	12/12/17 1:13PM ID: 69427002	GL15		
1882	12/12/17 1:24PM ID: 69428296	GL15		
1883	12/12/17 1:27PM ID: 69428846	Not given - paper survey returned		
1884	12/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69429186	GL15		
1885	12/12/17 1:32PM ID: 69429464	GL17		
1886	12/12/17 1:33PM ID: 69429693	GL17		
1887	12/12/17 1:37PM ID: 69429793	GL15		
1888	12/12/17 1:43PM ID: 69430104	GL16		
1889	12/12/17 1:49PM ID: 69430800	GL15		
1890	12/12/17 2:47PM ID: 69431539	GL14		
1891	13/12/17 10:26AM ID: 69497069	GL15		
1892	13/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69511914	GL17		
1893	13/12/17 1:36PM ID: 69514652	Not given		
1894	13/12/17 1:46PM ID: 69517178	GL14		
1895	13/12/17 1:51PM ID: 69517906	Not given		
1896	13/12/17 2:05PM ID: 69518471	GL16		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
1897	13/12/17 2:37PM ID: 69520001	GL16		
1898	13/12/17 3:09PM ID: 69524456	GL17		
1899	13/12/17 3:29PM ID: 69527695	GL14		
1900	13/12/17 4:04PM ID: 69531730	GL17		
1901	13/12/17 4:16PM ID: 69532684	GL14		
1902	13/12/17 4:41PM ID: 69533764	GL14		
1903	13/12/17 4:45PM ID: 69535763	GL14		
1904	13/12/17 5:04PM ID: 69536015	GL14		
1905	13/12/17 5:15PM ID: 69537442	GL16		
1906	13/12/17 5:33PM ID: 69538184	GI14		
1907	13/12/17 5:52PM ID: 69539270	GL16		
1908	13/12/17 5:54PM ID: 69540245	GL17		
1909	13/12/17 5:55PM ID: 69540372	GL15		
1910	13/12/17 5:57PM ID: 69540413	GL15		
1911	18/12/17 1:34PM ID: 68569948	GL15		
			answered	1911
			skipped	1079









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Overall, how would you rate your health during the past 4 weeks?				
			Response Percent	Response Total
1	Excellent		17.94%	339
2	Very good		28.04%	530
3	Good		25.34%	479
4	Fair		17.67%	334

Overall, how would you rate your health during the past 4 weeks?








						Response Percent	Response Total
5	Poor					6.24%	118
6	Very Poor					1.43%	27
7	Prefer not to say					3.33%	63
Analysis	Mean:	2.84	Std. Deviation:	1.44	Satisfaction Rate:	30.64	answered 1890
	Variance:	2.06	Std. Error:	0.03			skipped 1100

Do you consider yourself to have a disability? (Tick all that apply)




						Response Percent	Response Total
1	No					63.36%	1188
2	Mental health problem					4.11%	77
3	Visual Impairment					3.68%	69
4	Learning difficulties					0.75%	14
5	Hearing impairment					7.84%	147
6	Long term condition					18.99%	356
7	Physical disability					8.96%	168
8	Prefer not to say					5.33%	100
Analysis	Mean:	3.44	Std. Deviation:	2.75	Satisfaction Rate:	33.01	answered 1875
	Variance:	7.55	Std. Error:	0.06			skipped 1115

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Which of the following health and care services have you, or your family, used in the last 12 months? (Tick all that apply)

						Response Percent	Response Total
1	GP Practice					92.10%	1749
2	Community Nursing					10.32%	196
3	Community Hospital Minor Injury and Illness Unit					33.33%	633
4	Outpatient appointment at a Community Hospital					36.60%	695
5	Outpatient appointment at a large 'acute' hospital e.g Gloucestershire Royal Hospital					48.08%	913
6	Stayed in a Community Hospital					3.53%	67
7	Stayed in a large 'acute' hospital e.g Gloucestershire Royal Hospital					15.01%	285

Which of the following health and care services have you, or your family, used in the last 12 months? (Tick all that apply)

			Response Percent	Response Total
8	Out of Hours GP services		15.32%	291
9	I have not used any services in the last 12 months		3.58%	68
10	Other (please specify):		8.00%	152
Analysis				
	Mean:	9.61	Std. Deviation:	10.6
	Variance:	112.33	Std. Error:	0.24
	Satisfaction Rate:	77.19		
			answered	1899
			skipped	1091

Other (please specify): (152)

1	12/09/17 3:26PM ID: 63837910	Midwifery and Health Visitor services
2	12/09/17 3:50PM ID: 63839720	111 helpline
3	12/09/17 4:29PM ID: 63842479	Physiotherapy. At the Dilke.
4	12/09/17 4:42PM ID: 63843217	Dialysis
5	12/09/17 4:54PM ID: 63842875	NHS Lets Talk, Gloucester Emergency Department
6	12/09/17 5:28PM ID: 63846014	None
7	12/09/17 7:13PM ID: 63847655	Air ambulance, south mead hospital, hospital transport
8	12/09/17 7:48PM ID: 63850947	Mental Health Team
9	13/09/17 8:12AM ID: 63869020	Mental health team
10	13/09/17 11:17AM ID: 63879954	Prefer not to say
11	13/09/17 3:45PM ID: 63898452	visited a friend in hospital
12	14/09/17 3:40PM ID: 63956357	Appointments at Eating Disorder Clinic, Cheltenham
13	14/09/17 7:12PM ID: 63971892	Child Mental Health
14	15/09/17 11:39AM ID: 63998442	Lydney outpatients
15	15/09/17 5:36PM ID: 64023411	Lets Talk service
16	20/09/17 7:34PM ID: 64302984	Outpatient appointment in the Aspen Centre
17	23/09/17 10:41AM ID: 64439251	GRH ACCIDENT AND EMERGENCY
18	25/09/17 11:08AM ID: 64513363	GWAS
19	26/09/17 5:28AM ID: 64570539	111 service

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			Response Percent	Response Total
20	26/09/17 3:53PM ID: 64607717	A&E at Abergavenny		
21	27/09/17 4:02PM ID: 64673255	Dilke out patients		
22	03/10/17 9:51AM ID: 64980741	111		
23	03/10/17 11:36AM ID: 64989777	Paramedics		
24	03/10/17 10:38PM ID: 65030942	Gloucester birth unit		
25	05/10/17 11:07AM ID: 65108787	Advice from local sunday pharmacy		
26	05/10/17 11:11AM ID: 65108956	Physiotherapy		
27	05/10/17 2:48PM ID: 65124090	My wife has dementia, had a pacemaker fitted Sept. last, used district nurse and community nurse.		
28	07/10/17 6:57PM ID: 65232954	GP referral service - Scan, ER Gloucester		
29	10/10/17 10:43AM ID: 65355808	Pain clinic, Dean Hospice, Ambulance		
30	10/10/17 12:11PM ID: 65362736	NHS Direct		
31	11/10/17 3:51PM ID: 65453736	Clinic at community hospital		
32	12/10/17 9:47AM ID: 65494661	MRI Scan		
33	12/10/17 12:51PM ID: 65511061	A&E		
34	13/10/17 12:33PM ID: 65582996	A&E - GRH		
35	13/10/17 12:46PM ID: 65584243	Oncology		
36	13/10/17 12:56PM ID: 65584392	Ongoing physio / brain injury		
37	13/10/17 12:59PM ID: 65585308	Physiotherapy at lydney		
38	13/10/17 1:35PM ID: 65587707	"gether Trust		
39	16/10/17 7:34PM ID: 65805816	Ambulance for husband's serious fall		
40	17/10/17 10:17AM ID: 65836451	Have a relative at the Dilke		
41	17/10/17 2:03PM ID: 65858433	Mum had incurable cancer. Died Spring 2017		
42	17/10/17 8:39PM ID: 65886259	Imaging department at community hospitals		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
43	19/10/17 2:20PM ID: 66002494	Practice Nurse		
44	20/10/17 10:05AM ID: 66043419	MSKCAT / MRI / X ray - Glos / Cheltenham		
45	20/10/17 12:23PM ID: 66058671	MIIU		
46	23/10/17 7:57AM ID: 66159861	Speech therapy at health centre		
47	23/10/17 2:01PM ID: 66186094	X ray		
48	23/10/17 2:23PM ID: 66188362			
49	23/10/17 10:37PM ID: 66218066	X ray		
50	24/10/17 11:23AM ID: 66240099	111 phone call help		
51	24/10/17 1:54PM ID: 66252053	Private		
52	24/10/17 2:01PM ID: 66252220	Acute unit, A&E / Community learning disabilities team		
53	24/10/17 2:08PM ID: 66252715	Home visit by GP		
54	24/10/17 2:29PM ID: 66254586	A&E - GRH		
55	24/10/17 2:40PM ID: 66254878	A&E Gloucester		
56	24/10/17 5:40PM ID: 66268193	Travelled to stroud with my husband for an half hr operation which is ridiculous		
57	25/10/17 11:41AM ID: 66302794	Cataract		
58	27/10/17 6:26PM ID: 66428209	Physiotherapy		
59	30/10/17 11:09AM ID: 66513083	Service 111		
60	30/10/17 11:14AM ID: 66513346	Podiatry and leg ulcer care		
61	30/10/17 12:57PM ID: 66521230	Respiratory services		
62	30/10/17 1:43PM ID: 66523163	Cardiac rehab		
63	31/10/17 9:46AM ID: 66574491	Mental health for husband		
64	31/10/17 3:29PM ID: 66638369	Prefer not to say		
65	31/10/17 8:53PM ID: 66661633	Lets Talk		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
66	02/11/17 12:58AM ID: 66743990	A&E		
67	03/11/17 9:39AM ID: 66819456	Physio		
68	03/11/17 10:03AM ID: 66821386	Physio, oncology, Endoscopy, Eye Clinic		
69	03/11/17 10:18AM ID: 66822870	Physio, Oncology, Endoscopy		
70	03/11/17 1:51PM ID: 66842648	Attended Hereford eye casualty department		
71	06/11/17 12:47PM ID: 66986363	A&E Acute hospital		
72	06/11/17 1:10PM ID: 66989778	Podiatry		
73	07/11/17 1:23PM ID: 67078631	Flu Jab		
74	09/11/17 9:59AM ID: 67217691	A&E 111		
75	09/11/17 10:05AM ID: 67218067	hospital clinc o/s or Gloucester		
76	09/11/17 1:09PM ID: 67240416	End of life care at Lydney hospital - Husband		
77	10/11/17 2:24PM ID: 67337157	Audiology		
78	10/11/17 8:29PM ID: 67366663	Mental health services at Colliers Court, Cinderford		
79	11/11/17 6:15PM ID: 67402016	Colliers Court - Mental Health support		
80	14/11/17 12:06PM ID: 67557030	All this refers to my husband		
81	15/11/17 2:08PM ID: 67644699	Eye surgery in a community hospital		
82	17/11/17 1:20PM ID: 67795447	Dentist, Optician, Orthodontist		
83	20/11/17 10:47AM ID: 67919645	Stoma Nurse Visits		
84	20/11/17 11:39AM ID: 67925660	private consutlation due to long waiting list on NHS		
85	20/11/17 11:32PM ID: 67976628	Endoscopy clinic In bristol		
86	21/11/17 1:11PM ID: 68016051	A&E		
87	22/11/17 3:33AM ID: 68068152	Antenatal and health visitor services		
88	22/11/17 12:56PM ID: 68099023	999		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
89	22/11/17 5:58PM ID: 68122238	GP & outpatient for my children		
90	23/11/17 12:51PM ID: 68182828	Rapid Response team		
91	23/11/17 1:40PM ID: 68188825	Ambulance		
92	24/11/17 5:49PM ID: 68283834	Pharmacist advice. 911 service		
93	25/11/17 4:29PM ID: 68316070	Colliers Court		
94	25/11/17 9:56PM ID: 68324008	111 service		
95	27/11/17 12:14AM ID: 68359960	A and E		
96	27/11/17 10:40AM ID: 68382838	NHS111		
97	27/11/17 11:10AM ID: 68385255	I have CARERS emergency plan		
98	27/11/17 1:32PM ID: 68218197	not applicable as I am responding on behalf of an organisation		
99	28/11/17 10:01AM ID: 68467843	111 Emergency (3 times) Fast responders		
100	28/11/17 12:52PM ID: 68485563	Yearly check up for blood pressure with nurse at surgery		
101	28/11/17 2:05PM ID: 68489803	Currently needing treatment at the Dilke		
102	28/11/17 4:29PM ID: 68501677	Breast screening.		
103	28/11/17 5:45PM ID: 68511802	Minor foot operation at Cirencester		
104	30/11/17 12:36PM ID: 68650415	Hip replacement at Emersons Green		
105	30/11/17 1:33PM ID: 68656495	12 weeks physiotherapy exercise		
106	01/12/17 11:42AM ID: 68725086	Have had to contact 101 on several occasions, complete waste of time. Seems to be procedure to advise people to go to Gloucester.		
107	01/12/17 5:07PM ID: 68751689	X-ray at community hospital		
108	02/12/17 5:08PM ID: 68802920	My mother was cared for at the Dilke and the care was outstanding		
109	02/12/17 8:10PM ID: 68808261	999 & 111		
110	03/12/17 1:25PM ID: 68828534	111		
111	04/12/17 10:47AM ID: 68870175	Scan at Horton Road		

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			Response Percent	Response Total
112	04/12/17 2:14PM ID: 68889116			
113	05/12/17 10:20AM ID: 68949437	Mental health services and crisis support		
114	05/12/17 10:34AM ID: 68952036	Scan Dilke		
115	05/12/17 10:48AM ID: 68953238	Dental		
116	05/12/17 11:35AM ID: 68958173	District Nurse		
117	05/12/17 12:30PM ID: 68962982	NHS at winfield - 2 knee ops and physio		
118	05/12/17 12:35PM ID: 68963778	MH services		
119	05/12/17 10:28PM ID: 69007530	liver unit birmingham		
120	06/12/17 10:16AM ID: 69034985	Used ED at Cheltenham General		
121	06/12/17 10:18AM ID: 69035127	Minor Surgery at a private NHS partner in South Gloucester		
122	06/12/17 11:40AM ID: 69045009	Physio		
123	06/12/17 1:12PM ID: 69034762	Hospice at home		
124	06/12/17 1:30PM ID: 69056267	Emergency Department attendance at CGH and GRH. MRI scan and Xrays. Cardiac services / stent insertion		
125	06/12/17 10:29PM ID: 69093917	Health visitor and community midwife		
126	07/12/17 9:36AM ID: 69110025	Paramedic at night		
127	07/12/17 10:17AM ID: 69113638	X Ray and Ultrasound		
128	07/12/17 10:23AM ID: 69113188	Endoscopy at Gloucester		
129	07/12/17 10:30AM ID: 69115172			
130	07/12/17 11:54AM ID: 69122850	Physiotherapy		
131	07/12/17 12:24PM ID: 69125839	A&E		
132	07/12/17 12:54PM ID: 69128389	Dilke physio unit		
133	07/12/17 12:56PM ID: 69128819	Fertility Clinic		
134	07/12/17 1:44PM ID: 69131709	X ray and Physiotherapy Lydney		

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135	07/12/17 11:23PM ID: 69171221	A&E Acute Hospital		
136	08/12/17 9:37AM ID: 69182051	cheltenham outpatient....cancer screening		
137	08/12/17 10:25AM ID: 69192586	my elderley parents are regular users of services		
138	08/12/17 1:03PM ID: 69208116	111		
139	08/12/17 1:43PM ID: 69210672	Private hospital		
140	08/12/17 1:59PM ID: 69211912	X ray, NHS direct		
141	09/12/17 3:13PM ID: 69259351	Physiotherapy; dental services.		
142	09/12/17 4:22PM ID: 69266661	Paramedics		
143	09/12/17 6:15PM ID: 69270637	Bristol children's hospital		
144	10/12/17 6:41PM ID: 69307490	A&E		
145	11/12/17 10:00AM ID: 69331150	GP home visit		
146	11/12/17 11:19AM ID: 69339225	Bristol Eye hopsital, A&E		
147	11/12/17 1:07PM ID: 69348547	Thirlston House (breast care)		
148	11/12/17 1:12PM ID: 69349148	Ambulance		
149	11/12/17 1:16PM ID: 69349570	Physiotherapy		
150	11/12/17 1:26PM ID: 69350568	so called "mental Health services" - Very bad		
151	11/12/17 2:07PM ID: 69355603	Ambulance (Fire Service) to GRH		
152	11/12/17 2:19PM ID: 69357386	occupational Health (flu jab)		

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To which of these ethnic groups would you say you belong? (Please tick one)

			Response Percent	Response Total
1	White British		90.57%	1710
2	Mixed Background		0.58%	11

To which of these ethnic groups would you say you belong? (Please tick one)

			Response Percent	Response Total
3	Asian or Asian British		0.21%	4
4	Black or Black British		0.11%	2
5	Chinese or other ethnic group		0.00%	0
6	Prefer not to say		6.62%	125
7	Other White Background (please specify):		1.91%	36
Analysis				
	Mean:	1.46	Std. Deviation:	1.47
	Variance:	2.16	Std. Error:	0.03
	Satisfaction Rate:	7.64		
			answered	1888
			skipped	1102

Other White Background (please specify): (36)

1	12/09/17 5:04PM ID: 63844223	FORESTER
2	13/09/17 4:39PM ID: 63904166	European
3	14/09/17 1:00AM ID: 63922365	Why
4	16/09/17 7:39AM ID: 64043076	English.....no such thing as Britain.
5	19/09/17 9:55AM ID: 64174459	USA
6	21/09/17 10:24AM ID: 64330362	English
7	30/09/17 3:22AM ID: 64830210	White European
8	03/10/17 10:15PM ID: 65030000	Forest
9	10/10/17 10:40AM ID: 65354189	Forester
10	11/10/17 5:46PM ID: 65464879	forester
11	19/10/17 1:59PM ID: 66001004	North American
12	10/11/17 2:13PM ID: 67336122	English
13	14/11/17 1:51PM ID: 67564445	European
14	21/11/17 2:12PM ID: 68021118	
15	26/11/17 8:50PM ID: 68355431	Really don't see this having an effect on your decision
16	26/11/17 10:52PM ID: 68358642	English
17	27/11/17 2:16PM ID: 68403962	Welsh
18	30/11/17 1:43PM	White English

To which of these ethnic groups would you say you belong? (Please tick one)

			Response Percent	Response Total
	ID: 68657717			
19	03/12/17 2:45PM ID: 68830703	This question is very offensive		
20	04/12/17 10:42AM ID: 68869487	White English		
21	04/12/17 3:17PM ID: 68896882	White English		
22	04/12/17 8:14PM ID: 68915523	English		
23	05/12/17 9:56AM ID: 68949038	English		
24	05/12/17 12:34PM ID: 68963759	White English		
25	05/12/17 2:10PM ID: 68973115	Portugese		
26	06/12/17 5:35AM ID: 69016862	Australian		
27	06/12/17 10:33AM ID: 69036374	Irish		
28	07/12/17 11:35AM ID: 69121102	English		
29	07/12/17 12:24PM ID: 69125839	English		
30	07/12/17 12:51PM ID: 69127907	white caucasian		
31	07/12/17 9:52PM ID: 69168602			
32	08/12/17 1:18PM ID: 69209235	English		
33	09/12/17 3:13PM ID: 69259351	White British + European		
34	10/12/17 9:17PM ID: 69314382	Forester		
35	11/12/17 2:21PM ID: 69357566	English		
36	12/12/17 10:28AM ID: 69409275	Welsh		