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## THE SAFETY AND QUALITY OF HEALTH SERVICES PROVIDED BY NORTHERN BEACHES HOSPITAL

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I was admitted to Northern Beaches Hospital approx. 18 months ago with a blockage of the oesophagus through the Emergency Department. I only stayed overnight after receiving a Gastroscopy but I have nothing but praise for the way I was treated by the staff. It would seem that it is in the management area that problems arise from time to time. The hospital should have been opened as a Public Hospital from the start not a joint Public/Private concern.