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

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I am about to undergo chemotherapy and could have had this done at the Kinghorn centre. My family has been associated at St Vincent's hospital for over 50 years through work. I have chosen NBH because I live nearby and trust the staff.

Every hospital has had some problems, I feel the NBH has been unfairly treated by press.

It started off with two hospitals merging, the staff of each unwilling to change their ways, each set in the past. This made it a difficult start for all involved.

The future, with the division, dividing it into two separate entities will also be hard, dividing the staff into private and public run by two different administrations within one building.

Tough times ahead. My local hospital that I will support.