

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

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Have had two operations , only requiring overnight stay as a public patient and in both cases all done very professionally and prompt and kind service .

As I had spent years involved with new hospital construction and commissioning I asked one of the surgeons about the initial teething problems and was reliably advised that it was all due to the Department of Health not issuing the Hospital Licence until the day of opening , thereby not allowing for any real time for stocking and familirization of the facilities before that date .