

**INQUIRY INTO OPERATION AND MANAGEMENT OF
THE NORTHERN BEACHES HOSPITAL**

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The entire strategy and thought process is incorrect. Closing local hospitals for one main hospital removes important services from local communities. The hospital is too far from all northern beaches suburbs even suburbs closer like Mona vale never mind places like palm beach. The traffic around the hospital, particularly during peak hours, makes it inaccessible. The above plus many more aspects will lead to fatalities. My parents are getting older and require stronger medical support. If this causes an issue I will hold the government and particularly brad hazard to account! The government needs to resolve this. It feels like the northern beaches are losing important infrastructure due to it being a strong liberal seat which means there is minimal effort and support. Disgraceful!