

IT'S CRUNCH TIME

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CORONATION PARK, KIAMA SURF BEACH

Join us at a public rally to demand a response from the government on the privatisation of Shellharbour and Port Kembla Hospitals.

After a year of threatening to privatise, the government is split on a decision. Local Kiama MP Gareth Ward has gone against his government and is standing with health workers and the local community to support a fully public hospital.

We need to know if this government is with us or against us.

We are waiting for an announcement by mid November.

Now is the time to join together to send a clear message to the Premier, Gladys Berejiklian, that we want fully funded PUBLIC hospitals in the Illawarra!

Please support your local health workers by coming along.



A COMBINED UNIONS AND COMMUNITY GROUP EVENT

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Community campaigns in Wyong and Bowral resulted in those communities receiving a fully funded PUBLIC Hospital

WILL SHELLHARBOUR/PORT KEMBLA HOSPITALS BE PRIVATISED?

The Kiama, Shellharbour and Port Kembla communities have been waiting for months for an answer: **WILL THEIR PUBLIC HOSPITALS BE PRIVATISED?**

A privatised health system does not equal a quality PUBLIC health system

LOSS OF SERVICE QUALITY:

- The not-for-profit privatised **Chris O'Brien** cancer centre “mistakenly” refused public patients bulk-billing.
- When cleaning services were privatised at **Royal North Shore** hospital, there were reports of infectious patients being left for hours in hospital corridors.

This is still privatisation of a PUBLIC health service.

Everyone in NSW will get better care in a hospital if we grow our public hospital system to match our community’s growing health needs.

We want a fully-funded PUBLIC hospital. Shellharbour/Port Kembla deserves it!



Contact NSW Health Minister, Brad Hazzard, and Premier, Gladys Berejiklian, and tell them to keep Shellharbour/Port Kembla Hospitals **PUBLIC!**

Send an email to office@hazzard.minister.nsw.gov.au and visit

www.nsw.gov.au/contact-us/contact-the-premier to complete a contact form

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