

"Compassion and Kindness" ...at Ealing Hospital



Those are the words used by a recent official inspection to describe treatment of patients at Ealing Hospital and we agree – they're fabulous.

NATIONAL STAFFING CRISIS: But staff are underpaid and overworked. There are huge staff shortages here in Ealing and right across England. There's many vacancies for nurses, doctors, midwives and other professionals and we believe it's UNFORGIVEABLE that the Government still has NO PLANS to deal with the staff shortage or increase funding – in fact the opposite.

IN DEBT BEFORE IT EVEN STARTS: The new Health and Care Act has chopped up the English NHS into 42 pieces, to be run by new boards and committees. Here in North West London a new NHS Board has been set up with a **deficit of £94 million.**

MORE CUTS, MORE PRIVATISATION: At the same time as our NHS faces more cuts, dozens of profit-based companies are being encouraged to bid for NHS contracts. And as waits get longer, patients with money become desperate and look for private treatment. Others can't. We believe this is a deliberate undermining of our NHS.

TAKE ACTION: Please support the E-mail campaign overleaf.

Ealing Save Our NHS is a campaign group made up of local people. Visit us at www.ealingsaveourNHS.org.uk to get our regular newsletter and sign our petition to improve mental health services in Ealing. We're also part of Keep Our NHS Public.



REBUILD OUR **NHS**: GET PRIVATE PROFITS OUT



Let's rebuild an NHS for people over profit!

We demand:

- 1** A ban on private companies on NHS boards and committees
- 2** A ban on private companies sitting on committees that decide who runs NHS services
- 3** An end to the outsourcing and privatisation of NHS services

What you can do NOW!

Open your smartphone camera and scan the QR code and send the email to our local NHS leaders in less than 2 minutes. Or visit bit.ly/FindMyNHS to send the email.



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