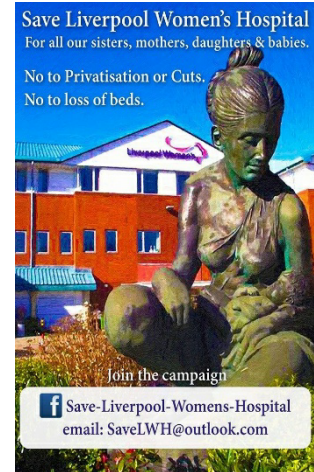


Save Liverpool Women's Hospital Campaign Summer 2018



Dear

We ask for your solidarity and support in our fight to Save Liverpool Women's Hospital,

- To defend and improve maternity services, locally, regionally and nationally,
- To defend specialist health care for women
- To defend and improve health care for our babies,
- To demand better mental health care in pregnancy and after birth,
- To demand increased recruitment of midwives, paediatricians, related staff, and better working conditions for the staff.
- We firmly link our campaign to other NHS campaigns in defence of a publicly owned and publicly provided NHS, fully funded from general taxation.

Formal consultation on the future of the hospital is due to start in summer 2018

In 2015 the trust said, "*The trust is no longer viable past 2015-16. The forecast negative cashflow position is 2016-17 is £1million-*" Yet in 2018 the hospital flourishes still, providing for the births of more than 8,000 babies a year. This is because of public pressure. The hospital is still under threat, for ideological reasons

Our response to the next consultation will be to conduct our own consultation, stalls, petitions, workshops, leaflets and, if we can raise the cash, door-to-door leafletting

We want to plan another march on 22nd September 2018 from Liverpool Women's Hospital to the Albert Dock where Labour's conference will be assembling. We want to show the strength of local opinion and to indicate that the next government is supporting us.

We invite you to sponsor the house-to-house information leaflets, to sponsor the march, and to share our efforts to publicise this march and its objectives. We would be happy to send you a speaker. Please help us financially if you possibly can.

Please make cheques out to Save Liverpool Women's Hospital Campaign. We hope to soon have a working donate button on our blog

In solidarity

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