

Save South Tyneside Hospital Campaign



Save Our Hospital Services

The Fight is Still on to Save Essential Children's A&E, Maternity and Stroke Services whilst the fight to Save other Acute Services including A&E is about to start

The Save South Tyneside Hospital Campaign calls on everyone to support our campaign to oppose the downgrading of hospital services at South Tyneside Hospital. Already, Sunderland Royal is full to capacity yet the Sunderland based Executive want to transfer access to acute services to Sunderland. At the moment the Trust Executives are preparing options to downgrade all our hospital services for consultation next year.

In the meantime we have lodged an application for a Judicial Review to oppose their decision in February to close Children's 24/7 Consultant led A&E, the Special Care Baby Unit (SCBU), Consultant led Maternity and the hospital stroke service. They have not listened to the medical staff, or the people of South Tyneside in making these decisions. Intensify the Fight!

Support Our Crowd Funding Page

<https://www.crowdjustice.com/case/save-south-tyneside-hospital>

Access to health care is a right of all in a modern society, it must be guaranteed

Our NHS in Crisis

May's minority government, that has no credibility, plans to continue to cut NHS hospital services everywhere and move funds out of the NHS into the private sector and American style Accountable Care Systems. **We demand the restoration of the duty of government** to provide and fund a comprehensive acute and community, physical and mental health service across England to all communities.

Join the Save South Tyneside Hospital Campaign

What we stand for is that health care is a right!

We demand that locally accessible district hospitals with a wide range of properly funded acute and A&E services are retained in South Tyneside and Sunderland.

We are opposed to the government's *Integrated Care Systems (STPs!)* that demands cuts of £904

million a year from the health and social care budget for Northumbria, Tyne & Wear and north Durham by 2021.

The commissioners are planning the downgrading our acute and Accident & Emergency services at South Tyneside Hospital. The government plans to wreck the NHS and make it more unsafe and unsustainable so as to increase privatisation. Further details can be found on our website:

<http://www.savesouthtynesidehospital.org/>

"The NHS will last as long as there are folk left with the faith to fight for it" – Aneurin Bevan, 1948 at the establishment of the NHS

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