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## Redevelopment of the Royal Brompton's Fulham Road Wing: Public Exhibition

Dear Neighbour,

Welcome to the first community newsletter for the proposed redevelopment of the Fulham Road Wing on Fulham Road which currently forms part of The Royal Brompton Hospital.

The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust is proposing to submit a detailed planning application to the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea for the redevelopment of the Fulham Road Wing to provide The Royal Marsden with much needed additional inpatient and outpatient facilities.

As you may be aware, the Royal Brompton has been discussing proposals for the consolidation of its services in Chelsea with planning officers at the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea. These proposals were set out in the draft Royal Brompton Supplementary Planning Document published by the Council in February 2014 for public consultation.

As part of these proposals, the Royal Brompton is proposing to relocate the services currently provided in the Fulham Road Wing to its Sydney Street site. The Fulham Road Wing site would then be developed for residential use with the site no longer being in social and community use.

The Royal Marsden is committed to remaining in Chelsea. However we are at capacity and there is no more room to expand our activities on any adjacent land. The loss of the Fulham Road Wing to residential use would represent a missed opportunity to enable The Royal Marsden to expand our service and research capability for the benefit of cancer patients, as well as enhance the reputation of this part of Chelsea as a world class health campus.

The Royal Marsden passionately believes that the Fulham Road Wing needs to remain in social and community use. This is why The Royal Marsden Board has made a commitment to make available the necessary funds to purchase the Fulham Road Wing at the market value of the land, based on continuing hospital use.

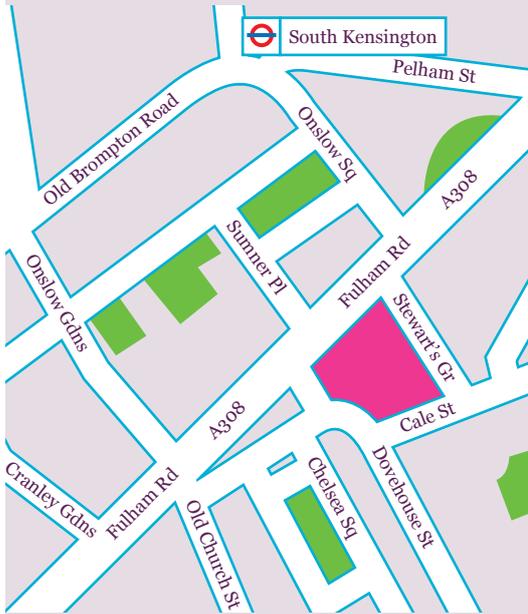
As a local resident living in the area we would like to invite you to attend a public exhibition, where you can view our vision for the future of the Fulham Road Wing. Further details of the exhibition location and times are overleaf. We hope that you are able to attend, but if this is not the case please feel free to contact a member of the development team if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

**Sunil Vyas**  
**Director of Projects and Estates**  
**The Royal Marsden NHS Foundation Trust**



## Our exhibition



Your views matter a great deal to us. Our exhibition will be held at:

**Venue:** The Royal Marsden Education and Conference Centre, Stewart's Grove, Chelsea, London, SW3 6JJ

**Date:** Monday 14 July 2014  
Time: 2pm – 6pm

**Date:** Tuesday 15 July 2014  
Time: 4pm – 8pm



## About The Royal Marsden

The Royal Marsden opened its doors in 1851 as the world's first hospital dedicated to cancer diagnosis, treatment, research and education.

Today, together with its academic partner, The Institute of Cancer Research (ICR), it is the largest and most comprehensive cancer centre in Europe, treating over 50,000 NHS and private patients every year. It is a centre of excellence with an international reputation for ground breaking research and pioneering the very latest in cancer treatments and technologies, as well as specialising in cancer diagnosis and education.

The Royal Marsden, with the ICR, is the UK's only National Institute for Health Research Biomedical Research Centre dedicated solely to cancer. First awarded the status in 2006, it was re-awarded in 2011. A total of £62 million is being provided over five years to support pioneering research work, and is being shared across eight different cancer themes.

We have two hospitals: one in Chelsea, London, and another in Sutton, Surrey. We also have a Chemotherapy Medical Daycare Unit at Kingston Hospital. The Royal Marsden also provides community services in the London boroughs of Sutton and Merton.

To learn more about the difference The Royal Marsden makes please visit: [www.royalmarsden.nhs.uk](http://www.royalmarsden.nhs.uk)

## Our vision for the Fulham Road Wing would

- Enhance cancer care facilities for the Borough and London as a whole
- Enable The Royal Marsden to meet the increased demand for cancer care
- Facilitate the expansion and extension of The Royal Marsden's world class research facilities
- Maintain and enhance the reputation of this part of Chelsea as a world class health campus
- Enable closer cooperation between the Royal Marsden and the ICR, which occupies the adjacent premises to the Fulham Road Wing
- Deliver a contemporary and appropriately designed building that retains the important architectural and historic features of the existing building.

## Contact us

Even if you cannot make the exhibition we would still like to hear from you. You can write to us at our **FREEPOST** address:

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