P-04-621 Stop Closure of Consultant-led Maternity Unit at Ysbyty Glan

Clwyd

Petition wording

We the undersigned request that Betsi Cadwallader University Health Board

stop its planned closure of the Consultant-led Maternity Unit at Ysbyty Glan

Clwyd. We believe its closure will be detrimental to the welfare of expectant

mothers and their families, and will endanger lives. We do not believe it it

right or fair for patients to have to travel upwards of 30 miles for treatment,

particularly in case of emergency. We believe that the additional pressure

placed on staff at Ysbyty Maelor and Ysbyty Gwynedd will be detrimental to

maternity services at those hospitals. We ask that the BCUHB consider other

options (such as closure of unit to elective proceedures) and retain

consultants at Ysbyty Glan Clwyd for the safety of expectant mothers.

Lead petitioner: Rebecca Roberts

First considered by the Committee:

Number of signatures: 562 online signatures.