



North Somerset

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Welcome to Edition 4 of the Clevedon Newsletter

Plans for the new hospital have reached another key milestone following submission of the detailed planning (Reserved Matters) application on September 3rd 2010. The outcome will be revealed in December following the Statutory Council 3 month consultation period. The Application Reference Number is **10/P/1628/RM** and it will shortly appear on the NHS North Somerset website @ <http://wam.n-somerset.gov.uk/MULTIWAM/searchsubmit/performOption.do?action=search&appType=planning>

The plans will see a new two-storey hospital built on the Millcross site which was formerly occupied by the Kwik Save supermarket. Current timescales are for the new hospital to open in the Summer of 2013.

Residents in North Somerset recently had the opportunity to view and comment on the proposed designs for the new Hospital, which were unveiled at a public exhibition held in Clevedon Baptist Church during July. Experts from Alder King, David Kent Architects and Drivers Jonas Deloitte were also on hand to answer questions. The designs were left on display for the duration of the following week and also on the NHS North Somerset website so members of the public could complete questionnaires stating their preferences on various elements of the building design.

Following consultation, the feedback received was positive with the exception of the



proposed colour. These comments were taken on board and it will no longer be the former blue that was displayed. This has now been changed in favour of Aqua Marine. The latest designs, which have been submitted as part of our planning application, can be

viewed on our website at

http://www.northsomerset.nhs.uk/Clevedon_Hospital_Redevelopment/

Next Steps

Preparation of the Full Business Case is underway and there is still a significant amount of work to be done. The focus will be on the detailed design of the building. Detailed planning of all service activities will be worked on to ensure that the hospital delivers a service plan fit for the residents of North Somerset and for the future.

Contact Us

If you have any queries or questions about the new hospital please email us at clevedon@nsomerset-pct.nhs.uk