



HPE Ref: SWD23/78074

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Dear Mr Hayes

I am writing to advise you of proposed changes to the location of the General Managers Unit (GMU) within the Drug Health Service, South Western Sydney Local Health District (SWSLHD) which has the potential to directly affect your members.

The General Managers Unit provides the administrative support functions to the Drug Health Service across the LHD. There are currently 18 staff members who are in the GMU that will be affected by the change in location. They are a mixture of Administration Officers, Health Managers and nurses.

The Local Health District wishes to consolidate the GMUs of community services (Primary and Community Health, Oral Health, Drug Health Services) into one building. It is anticipated that these changes will see efficiency gains and increased partnership opportunities. The proposed plan is for the GMU to relocate to Bolger Street Campbelltown at the completion of refurbishment works around November 2023.

To ensure the proposed changes have the input of employees, consultation is being planned, in line with the consultative provisions of the Health Employees Conditions of Employment (State) Award, I am writing to invite you to attend a meeting with employees to discuss the proposed changes on Wednesday 23 August at 9:00am, 7 Levuka Street Cabramatta and to provide any comments regarding the proposed changes within two weeks from the date of this meeting.

Alternatively I would be happy to meet to discuss this matter further with your representatives prior to this meeting.

If you would like to discuss the proposed changes further please do not hesitate to contact me by email mick.rowles@health.nsw.gov.au or by phone (02) 8717 4036.

Yours sincerely

Mick Rowles
General Manager
Drug Health Services
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