

## **Kempsey Community Mental Health Team Wins**

Dear Member,

HSU members have won a significant battle with the Mid North Coast LHD. After sustained pressure and advocacy, the HSU has finally been invited to participate in a consultative process where previously only nurses were invited to outline concerns. This result is a victory for HSU members who provide specialist care for patients in the Kempsey/Macleay District.

The first consultative meeting is scheduled for Thursday 7 March. The HSU is seeking expressions of interest from members within the Kempsey Community Mental Health team to participate in this forum. Please email your interest to Organiser Michael Kearns at [michael.kearns@hsu.asn.au](mailto:michael.kearns@hsu.asn.au) by close of business Thursday 21 February.

The HSU congratulates members for standing up and fighting for the right to be heard.

In unity,



Gerard Hayes  
Secretary, HSU NSW/ACT/QLD