

## Comment on a planning application

### Application Details

**Application:** 21/3107/FUL

**Address:** Barnes Hospital South Worple Way East Sheen London SW14 8SU

**Proposal:** Drop-in full application to supersede residential development zone of previously approved Outline planning permission 18/3642/OUT. Demolition of existing structures and redevelopment of site including construction of three new buildings comprising 106 residential units of mixed tenure (Use Class C3), alterations and conversion of two existing buildings for 3 residential use (Use Class C3), car and cycle parking, landscaping and associated works.

### Comments Made By

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### Comments

**Type of comment:** Object to the proposal

**Comment:** We object to the proposed application on the grounds of its impact on traffic, road safety and air pollution.

The Barnes Hospital Development comprises three developments, the SEN School, the Health Centre and the residential development. The current application relates only to the residential development. It would be irrational to consider the residential development without considering the cumulative impact of the three proposed developments on traffic, road safety and air pollution.

#### Road Safety

Where the South Worple Way (SWW) joins White Hart Lane is a single track road. Vehicles cannot pass without going on to the pavement. The Motion Transport Statement states that the level crossing in White Hart Lane is closed for about 30 minutes every hour. Any increase in traffic such as that from the proposed development will exacerbate congestion, delay and frustration at what is already a difficult junction and increase the likelihood of a serious accident on the level crossing or at the junction of the SWW and White Hart Lane.

#### Air Pollution

The Council will be aware of the verdict of the Coroner in April 2021 into the death of Ella Adod-Kissi- Debrah and his conclusion that air pollution made a "material contribution" to her death. That was at another section of the south circular. In the vicinity of the site of the proposed development, the congestion of the south circular is exacerbated by the closure of Hammersmith Bridge and White Hart Lane by the frequent closure of the level crossing. The implications of increased air pollution in an area full of children are concerning.