

The report on the mental health day services consultation has at last been published. See it here:

http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/home/social_care/healthmatters/mentalhealth/mhdayserviceconsultation.htm

We'd expected to see it around the middle of October (see our news on 26th October) but then were told there would be no report and the information would instead contribute to the new consultation over the future of all day services. Many of us objected to that, in letters and emails, so we're pleased to see it now, but it is still incomplete.

Page 20 of the consultation document asked *Do you have any other comments?* and it was the responders opportunity to make their views quite clear, in a way the rest of the document did not allow. Kay Cutts herself pointed out this option, at a meeting of the full council on 22nd July. We were further reassured by Councillor Rostance that these comments would be fully published in conjunction with the report. Unhappily, this has not happened, and they have been reduced to a few lines, perhaps just summaries of what people actually wrote.

We call upon County Hall to fulfil their obligation to make the true views of the people known, by publishing these comments.