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Submission: Objection

Comments: I;m writing to object to the planning proposal for the John Munroe hospital site the danger the classification change from C2 to C2a will propose to vulnerable children in the 3 local schools is of great concern to me as a parent of two young children that live in close proximity to the site and attend Horton St Micheal;s School, the site is situated in green belt country side with a public right of way right by it this is not suitable for housing potentially dangerous patients, the site has no public transport links and is only accessible by narrow country lanes which can become impassable during winter months this will make the transport of staff, food and patients very difficult and could result in a lack of proper staffing as has been the case when the site was open previously before being closed by the Quality Care Commission in 2022

I also have concerns that the shouting and screaming as previously heard from patients is very damaging to the young children in the area this is without the environmental impact of large flood lights creating light pollution and tall fencing which is not in keeping with the area

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