

**Your hospital consultant
is asking...**

**What if...
We had the extra
3,000 hospital
beds promised**



Then...

Patients would not be kept on trolleys.

Patients would have shorter waiting times for planned admissions.

Patients would have reduced risk of MRSA and other hospital acquired infections.

**Which means...
a better health service for you**



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