

As a San Franciscan who may need a bed at Laguna Honda, I am a stakeholder in its future: I demand NO bed cuts, NO closure procedures and NO forced discharges of people that need nursing home care. These 3 things must be de-coupled from the work to resume normal operations as a state of the art nursing home.

Closure, discharges and/or bed cuts will add to the extreme shortage of decent quality Medi-Cal nursing home beds in the entire region, while incurring possibly fatal transfer trauma of current residents.

The City and County of SF work must assertively with all levels of government to stop this cruel exercise.

SFDPH must ensure adequate funding and staffing at Laguna Honda. Safe and local alternative facilities must be made available to persons with active substance use or unstable mental illness who cannot be cared for safely at Laguna Honda.