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I can not beleive you would even think of closing such an important part of the hospital, we already live far enough away from any services, and with two very young children that sometimes need assistance in the middle of the night it is appalling to think that because of Money someone is going to die for being not treated. My children get croup (WHICH GETS WORSE AT NIGHT) and cant breathe, so really a trip to Geelong is unnecessary when it can be easily fixed in a small hospital like colac. People move to the small rural towns because they either cant afford the big cities, or it is a better lifestyle, this area is going to decrease without hospital services. It is something you think about moving out of the area for the safety and concerns and well being for your family. I have only been here for 4 years and we have used Emergency three times in that time. And lets face it we dont go to Emergency for the hell of it.

Yes there has been cuts in all sectors of public hospitals, but seriously an Emergency section?????? surely there is something within the district that is far less important ..

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