

GLAMORGAN RECORD OFFICE/ARCHIFDY MORGANNWG

Reference code: GB 0214 D525

Title: Caerphilly & District Miners' Hospital Action Committee Records

Dates : 1968-1973

Level of description: Fonds

Extent and medium: 0.002 cubic metres (2 files)

Name of creator(s): Dr Percy John

Administrative/biographical history

These records detail a period of upheaval for hospital provision in South Wales. Following a report into hospital provision in the region in the late 1960s, several hospitals were threatened with closure and reorganisation; one of these was Caerphilly & District Miners' Hospital. Opened in June 1923, the hospital was founded to provide health care to the 24,000 miners and their families who worked in the 29 pits of the Rhymney Valley.

Archival history

The records remained in the custody of the creator until deposited.

Immediate source of acquisition

Deposited by the retired Medical Officer of Health for Caerphilly Urban District Council in Feb 2008.

Scope and content

Reports, minutes and correspondence which detail the efforts of the Caerphilly & District Miners' Hospital Action Committee to ensure the survival of the Miners' Hospital and of other hospitals in the Rhymney Valley.

Appraisal, destruction and scheduling information

All records which meet the collection policy of the Glamorgan Record Office have been retained.

Accruals

Accruals are not expected.

System of arrangement

Not applicable

Conditions governing access

Items containing information on named individuals may be restricted in accordance with the Data Protection Act and Record Office policy.

Conditions governing reproduction

Normal Glamorgan Record Office conditions apply.

Language/scripts of material

English

Physical characteristics and technical requirements

Good condition

Finding aids

Detailed list not available.

Existence and location of originals

Not applicable

Existence and location of copies

Not applicable

Related units of description

Not applicable

Publication note

Not applicable

Archivist's note

Compiled by Geoff Edwards for the Glamorgan Record Office.

Rules or conventions

This description follows Glamorgan Record Office guidelines based on ISAD(G) compatible cataloguing guidelines for fonds level descriptions used by the Archives Network Wales.

Date of description

25 Mar 2008