

## Guided Community Walks in the Astley Ainslie Hospital grounds

See map on reverse for meeting points

Saturday September 30<sup>th</sup> 10am – 4pm every half hour Sunday October 8<sup>th</sup> 10am – 4pm every half hour

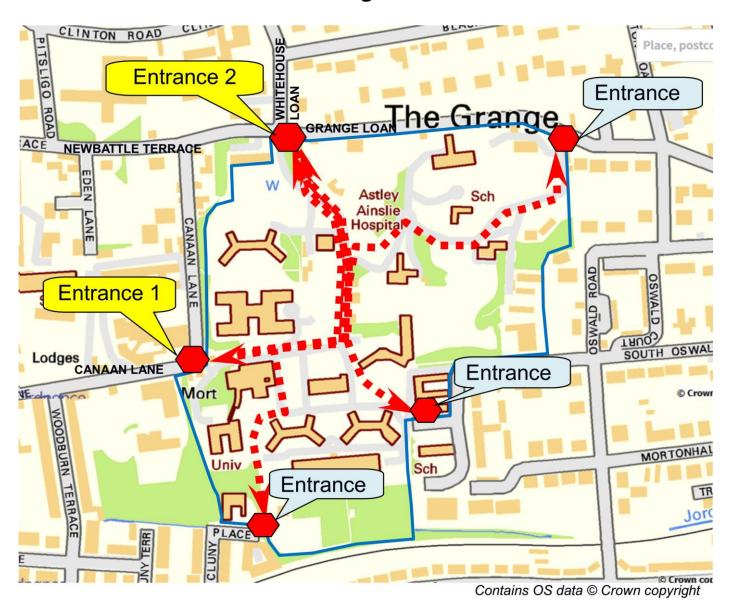
Why now? The health services now supported on the Astley Ainsley Hospital site, will transfer to new buildings at the Royal Edinburgh Hospital in 2019. The owners (NHS Lothian) will create a master plan for the present site and then sell it to developers. The NHS has committed to consulting with the community over the next few months, as to how the buildings and grounds should be developed.

The Astley Ainsley's grounds are beautiful, with many open spaces and mature trees. To give everyone an opportunity to understand this site, local community groups are organising guided walks in small groups round the hospital grounds. Walks will start on the half hour, and last about an hour. You can just turn up but it would be helpful to have an idea of numbers.

Please contact <a href="mailto:AAHComReps@gmail.com">AAHComReps@gmail.com</a> to register your interest

Supported by the Marchmont & Sciennes Community Council, Merchiston Community Council, Morningside Community Council, Grange Prestonfield Community Council and the Grange Association. Visit gaedin.co.uk/wp/astley-ainslie-hospital for more details

## Astley Ainslie Hospital: Guided Community Walks Meeting Points



Key:



Boundary of site (indicative only) - Post code EH9 2HL

**Entrance location** 

*Indicative walking routes between entrances* 

Meeting points for the walks on September 30<sup>th</sup> and October 8<sup>th</sup> are at the Canaan Lane (Entrance 1) and Whitehouse Loan (Entrance 2) entrances. Stewards will be at these entrances with information and will organise visitors to be taken on a tour of the grounds by one of the guides. There will be no more than 10 on each walk which will last about one hour. The last walk will start at 4pm