Supported living for adults with learning disabilities, autism, mental health needs and behaviours that may challenge

Staffordshire Supported Living, West Midlands

Supported Living is an important step towards independence. We know how important it is for individuals to have the right support so they can live the life they want to live.

We support individuals with learning disabilities, autism, mental health needs and behaviours that challenge. Individuals are supported to hold their own tenancy agreement with a registered housing association. Individuals who are interested in living here may have previously been detained within a hospital setting and are ready for a step down placement within their local community.

"I have been in 65 placements since being in care since I was 12 years old and you can tell they actually care about us here." Resident





Now taking referrals







Our resident profile:

- > Diagnosis of learning disability and/or autism
- > May have associated mental health needs
- > Behaviours that may challenge
- > Communication challenges



Cygnet Social Care are experienced in supporting individuals who may lack capacity to choose where they live and would work closely alongside our commissioning partners to ensure that correct legal frameworks are in place in order for them to live successfully in the community.

Offering experienced, trained staff twenty-four hours a day, the service benefits from a core staffing team. Each tenant would be allocated an experienced and consistent staff team and training would be bespoke to individual support needs which enables tenants to live as independently and safely as possible.

When individuals come to Staffordshire Supported Living, we take the time to get to know them, their preferences, as well as their hopes and dreams for the future. We support individuals with a personal discharge plan to achieve their goals and aspirations and ensure they feel they are in control of their own life. "I didn't feel safe in hospital or the shared house that I moved to - I feel safe here." Resident





Our community links:

- Local shops and supermarkets
- Good rail link
- > Local parks
- > Leisure centres

How we support individuals:

Helping individuals to build relationships and access whatever community activities they would like to take part in





Working with them to find out their strengths, abilities and references Providing personcentred practical help for individuals - such as training and support on how to manage their home, their money, gardening, housework and healthy living

Easy read and other accessible information available to individuals





We get to know them, their families, carers advocates and other people who are important to them and their care and support Helping individuals to set and achieve goals as part of their support plan



Supporting individuals in Staffordshire

Birmingham 16 single occupancy apartments

Wolverhampton 9 single occupancy bungalows

Registered address:

Unit D, Hunters Row Centre, Gaolgate Place, Stafford, West Midlands ST16 2AD

T: 01785 337999

errals

How to make a referral

We are able to take referrals 24 hours a day,





- Referral made to Cygnet referrals team via 0808 164 4450 /
 - chcl.referrals@nhs.net or through your regional Business Relationship Manager
- 2 Assessment arranged and undertaken via our management team
 - Feedback provided on whether our service can meet the individual's needs
- 4 Assessment pack formulated including care plans and funding information

5 Admission agreed and plans for transition arranged with referring team following confirmation of acceptance of placement

Care

CYG-524 | Date of Preparation: 15/06/23

Please visit <u>cygnetgroup.com</u> for more info | Follow us on social media:

Integrity

Trust

7 days a week. For more information or to make a referral

please call 0808 164 4450 / email chcl.referrals@nhs.net

or contact your regional Business Relationship Manager.

Empower

Respect