## Improving lives together

ultimately, return home.

PICU environment.

## Specialist PICU Service for Women

Svanna Ward, Cygnet Hospital Beckton, London

help individuals to regain a sense of control and order in their lives, so they can move to a less restrictive care setting and,

The service provides expert, intensive, short-term,

individualised care for service users detained under the

risks that require them to be assessed and treated in a

Mental Health Act. Service users will present with increased

Svanna Ward at Cygnet Hospital Beckton is our new 12 bed PICU service for women. The service accepts emergency and crisis admissions from all areas including acute wards and forensic services. Our aim is a short, rapid intervention to

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12 beds

now open and

accepting referrals

Our service user profile:

- > Women, aged 18+ years
- > Detained under the Mental Health Act
- Experiencing difficulties that present a risk to the wellbeing of themselves or others that cannot be treated in an open environment
- > Diagnoses may include:
  - Acute mental illness
  - Acute depressive illness
  - Psychosis
  - Schizophrenia
- > May present with co-morbid presentations:
  - Self-harm
  - Substance misuse issues



Complex needs

Bi-polar disorder

Dual diagnosis

Personality disorder





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