



OLDER PEOPLE'S SERVICES IN GLOSSOP

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Older Adults Services



- Strong history of frontline health and social care staff working together in Glossop - despite organisational constraints
- With Woods and Shire Hill hospitals in Glossop, DCC is involved in PCT wide strategies for older people's mental health and for intermediate care
- History of planning new developments together e.g. Whitfield House extra care housing

Who delivers social care for older people in Glossop?

- Assessment team - 6 wte staff (care managers/community care workers)
- Service Provision team - 3 domiciliary organisers, 60 part time home carers
- New rapid response team - 6 part time home carers, 1 part time manager





What do they do?

- 300 older people supported at home with free home care, some with Direct Payments
- 200 people supported with MOW/laundry
- 60 people with day care (includes Bradbury House day service)
- 20 people with respite care
- 60 people supported in residential and nursing homes
- Home equipment and minor adaptations



What other social care is there for older people?

- Access to OTs and sensory disability services (children and young adults department)
- Welfare Rights
- Hospital discharge team
- Voluntary services funded by social care
 - Time Out at Bradbury House
 - Outreach from Bradbury House
- Carer support



How do social care and health work together?

- Single point of access for all older people's and disability services
- Hospital care manager in Tameside hospital
- Attendance at ward rounds at Shire Hill Hospital, Woods Hospital meetings
- Rapid response team based at Shire Hill
- Links with CARA team, district nurses, palliative care team
- Welfare Rights worker in GP surgeries
- Continuing Health Care

How do health and social care work together?

- Pharmacy scheme
- Palliative care worker
- Single Assessment process/person held records
- Individual case meetings
- Safeguarding vulnerable adults
- Meetings with home owners





How do we plan with health services?

- Joint Implementation Team
- Mental health strategy group
- Intermediate care Strategy group
- Whitfield House Extra care steering group
- Professional Executive Committee of the Primary Care Trust

How do we plan with health services [2]

- existing partnerships feed information into PCT to secure funding for additional services

e.g. design service for those who fall – community based exercise sessions designed for fallers [instead of attending Shirehill Hospital]





The Future

- locality working will:
 - promote consultation
 - strengthen existing & new partnerships
 - challenge how services are currently delivered and ask whether they provide good value
 - ensure services designed and delivered to meet needs of locality
 - promote improved monitoring through improved partnerships