



# Care Homes Sefton





## Background

131 CQC registered homes across Sefton

	Residential Beds	Nursing Beds
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LD 28, Residential 65, Nursing 31, R/N 7

CCGs typically commission around 500 beds, Local Authority around 1,500. Remaining utilised beds are Private funded and other CCGs / LA funded.





## **Support to Care Homes**

- Joint working between CCG's/LA
- Capacity Tracker/Shared/NHS Net Account
- Equipment
- Smart Phones with ACCuREX and Attend Anywhere
- Weekly 'check in' by named HP/MDT as required
- Aligned with PCN's
- Education & Training (PPE/Equipment) LA Web page/Zoom/6 steps
- Fortnightly strategic meetings
- Regular bulleting's
- Joint weekly letter from LA/CCG's
- Medication supply to care homes including EOL medication
- Updated Guidance i.e. Visiting
- Supported by IPC/PH



#### Cont..

- Dedicated sessions with professionals on safely facilitating visiting have been held and support to maintain social contact through partnership working with the community and voluntary sector have been facilitated
- Care Homes are supported with provider forums and weekly updates on guidance and training opportunities, this has included support around maintaining the health and wellbeing of residents and wrap around support from Health and Social Care professionals
- Additional training offers have also been provided to care homes to ensure that their staff continues to meet the needs of their residents.





#### Cont...

- Additional financial support to care homes which can be used to meet additional costs (all placement types, not just those commissioned by CCGs and LA) and work such as supporting safe visiting arrangements
- Emergency supplies of PPE
- Capital funding programme to support care homes with initiatives to make homes more dementia friendly
- Allocations from the national Infection Control Fund
  - support safe visiting
  - Dedicated staff to support and facilitate visits.
  - Additional IPC cleaning in between visits.
  - Capital based alterations to allow safe visiting such as an altering a dedicated space
  - Ensuring staff who are self-isolating receive their normal wages

### Cont....

- Implementation of actions arising from End of Life, Intermediate Care and Care Home Strategies (once strategies have been ratified)
  - End of Life Strategy (joint CCG/LA) aim identify patients, development of personalised care plans, training & education, fully integration
  - Intermediate Care Strategy aim of increasing independence and supporting more people in their own homes, expansion of community based services
  - Care Home Strategy joint CCGs and LA approach to future commissioning, market management, quality and compliance work, engagement.





#### **Future Plans**

- Workshops with S&O Trust/CH/LA/CCG
  - Discharge
  - OOH
  - DNACPR
- 72 hour Rapid Response Scheme linked to escalation policy, exploration of dedicated staff team to go into homes to provide additional staffing support when capacity issues arise
- Roll out of Safe Steps
- Continue with the roll out of RESTORE2
- My Home Life Care Home Leadership Programme
- EMIS pilot in two Sefton homes