

Halton Adult Learning Disability Nursing Team

The team work with people aged 18 and over. The team will also work with clients from 17 to aid a smooth transition to adult services for complex cases.

Work that the team completes

- Health action plans/health questionnaires/health passports
- Support with learning disability health checks/ referrals to services
- Health facilitation
- Health promotion work – healthy eating/lifestyle
- Men's/women's groups – sexual health/relationships/personal hygiene/breast and testicular awareness
- Bespoke training
- Training– to enable a wide range of staff, including those who work in social services, hospitals and the independent sector, to become more familiar with how to support people with learning disabilities to have their health needs met
- Epilepsy assessments (no longer completed by the team)
- Sleep hygiene
- Sexual health and relationship work
- Psychiatry clinic/mental health support
- Preventing admission to hospital by providing community based treatment working alongside the Community learning disability team and intensive support team as part of transforming care.
- Supporting people with complex and enduring needs within the community (in partnership with the LD Community Matron)
- Support with stomp pathway/medication monitoring
- Support with activities of daily living
- Behavioural support/assessments/plans
- Lead professionals for clients on Dynamic support database
- Walk in the park every Monday
- Link workers GP surgeries/data cleanse project alongside ICB
- Assessment of learning disability
- Desensitisation
- Transition work
- Weekly liaison with local Hospital safeguarding teams
- Reasonable adjustments
- End of life care/support
- MCA/DOLS assessments
- Positive behaviour support plans

The nursing team, work with partners in relation to pathways processes such as STOMP, LeDeR, transforming care, Dynamic support database.

Referrals

There are several ways you can make a Referral to the Team as follows:

- Contact the Team on **Tel: 0151 511 6606**
- Contact Halton Borough Council on **Tel: 0151 907 8306**
- Complete the Referral Form and email it to: LDNursing.Team@halton.gov.uk

The team are currently based at:

Runcorn Town Hall, Heath Road, Runcorn, WA7 5TD

We are able to help you with your health needs and support you to look after your health