

Nursing and Residential Care Homes in Lyme Regis, Charmouth and immediate vicinity

NB: This information was as accurate as we could make it in December 2017 but all details will need checking before use.

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Lyme Regis Nursing Home, Pound Road

- Residential care home with nursing.
- Registered for Old Age, Physical Disability, Dementia, Sensory Impairment, Younger Adults.
- Respite care / Palliative Care.
- 26 single rooms (12 en suite).
- Phone point / TV point in each room.
- Lift & wheelchair access.
- Six NHS beds with CCG paying for nursing and 'hotel' costs.
- List controlled by community nursing team.
- GPs from each of the three practices have care of their own patients and the GP on call for each practice responds promptly when requested by nursing staff.
- NHS bed patients have medical and nursing support from the GPs, community nurses, Occupational Therapist, physiotherapist, and social worker.
- Weekly multi-disciplinary team meeting (Mondays) with all care agents and GP representation.
- Main needs: rehabilitation for hips and major operations; poor mobility; Urinary Tract Infections; not managing at home.
- Discharge criteria: being able to manage at home and having a sufficient reablement care package in place, or to another care setting. Expected average stay is 6 weeks; actual average stay up to and over 1 year.
- Other beds potentially fundable by Dorset County Council Social Services.
- Dining room, garden and outdoor seating.
- Additional services and appointments include Chiropody, Occupational therapy, Physiotherapy, Osteopathy, Dentist and Optician, some of which are chargeable.
- Activities and trips.
- Owners: Farrington Care Homes Ltd.
- Registered Manager: Elaine Jefford. 01297-422322.
- Senior care nurse: Dee Conber.

Abbeyfield, Silver Street, Lyme Regis

- Sheltered fee-paying home offering independent supported living.
- 9 separate flats, communal lounge, dining room, conservatory, garden.
- All en-suite rooms furnished by residents, each with its own front-door bell.
- No formal care or nursing.
- An independent Abbeyfield managed by trustees, not by central Abbeyfield.
- Manager: Christine Holden / 01297-443783 / abbeyfieldlymeregis@hotmail.co.uk

Note:

The six homes following all accept Social Services funded residents but require a 3rd party to meet the fees.

Bymead, Charmouth

- Residential care home with nursing.
- Registered for Old Age, Physical Disability, Sensory Impairment.
- No dementia patients.
- Specialist Care Categories: Cancer, Epilepsy, Hearing Impairment, Motor Neurone Disease, Multiple Sclerosis, Orthopaedic, Parkinson's Disease, Stroke, Visual Impairment.
- Day care, Convalescent care, Respite care, Palliative care.
- Gold standard for end of life care.
- 30 single rooms (27 en-suite), on two floors with lift and wheelchair access.
- Nurse call system / Phone point / TV point / Internet access in each room.
- Communal living room on each floor; dining room, conservatory, shop and garden.
- Other services: Physiotherapy, Activities, Trips, Minibus.
- No smoking.
- Owners: Bymead House Ltd.
- Registered Manager: Lisa Walters / 01297-560620

Fairfield House, Charmouth Road, Lyme Regis

- Residential retirement home.
- Registered for Old Age, Physical Disability, Dementia.
- Specialist Care Categories: Hearing Impairment & Deafness, Orthopaedic, Speech Impairment, Stroke, Visual Impairment.
- Respite care, end-of-life care.
- Staff trained in dementia care.
- 34 single rooms, 1 shared room (26 en suite).
- Phone point / TV point / Internet access in each room.
- Lift, stairlift, wheelchair access.
- Lounges, restaurant-style dining, conservatory, garden.
- Other services: Physiotherapy, Activities, Trips, Minibus.
- Owners: Fairfield House Healthcare Limited. Zoe and Miles Hutchins.
- Registered Manager: Sarah Cornick / 01297-443513.

Pinhay House, Rousdon

- Residential care home without nursing.
- Registered for Old Age, Dementia.
- Respite care, Day care.
- 19 single rooms, 3 shared rooms (5 en suite).
- Phone point / TV point in each room.
- Stairlift and wheelchair access.
- Dining room, garden.
- Other services: referrals as needed to community psychiatric nurses, speech and language therapists, district nurses, GP's and chiropodists.

- Activities, minibus.
- Owners: Robin and Carole Hodges (The Pinhay Partnership).
- Registered Manager: Adele Brady. 01297-445626.

Shire House, Sidmouth Road

- Residential care home without nursing.
- Registered for Old Age.
- Respite care, Day care.
- 18 single rooms, 2 shared rooms (17 en suite).
- Phone point / TV point in each room.
- Lift & wheelchair access.
- Additional service: physiotherapy.
- No smoking.
- Garden.
- Owners: Chris & Lorraine Nichols
- Registered manager: Marie Bunao. 01297-442483

Tree Tops, Timber Hill, Lyme Regis

- Residential care home.
- Registered for Old Age, Dementia, Sensory Impairment.
- Respite care, Day care.
- 16 single rooms, 1 shared room (19 en suite).
- Phone point / TV point in each room.
- Lift, stairlift and wheelchair access.
- Dining room, lounge, garden.
- Additional service: physiotherapy.
- Owners: Belinda and Richard Iyavoo.
- Registered manager: Belinda Iyavoo. 01297-443821.

The Koppers, Kilmington

- Specialist residential memory care home.
- Registered for Old Age, Dementia, Mental Health Condition, Physical Disability, Sensory Impairment.
- Day care, Respite care, Palliative care.
- Specialist Care Categories: Alzheimer's, Challenging Behaviour, Epilepsy, Parkinson's Disease, Speech Impairment, Stroke, Visual Impairment.
- Staff training in the Gold Standard Framework for end of life care.
- 15 single rooms, 5 shared rooms (14 en suite).
- Phone point / TV point in each room.
- Stairlift and wheelchair access.
- Dining room, lounge, patio, garden.
- Owners: The Koppers Care Ltd.
- Manager: Andy Charles. 01297-32427.

Total rooms: 180

Axminster

- **Tudor Cottage.** Residential Care Home. 17 rooms.
- **Oak House.** Residential Care Home. 15 rooms.
- **Magnolia House.** Residential Care Home. 19 rooms.
- **Silverleigh Nursing Home.** 61 rooms.
- **Total rooms: 112**

Colyton / Colyford

- **Elmwood, Colyford.** Residential Care Home. 38 rooms.
- **Doveridge, Colyton.** Residential Care Home. 19 rooms.
- **Total rooms: 57**

Seaton

- **The Check House.** Residential Care Home with Nursing. 54 rooms.
- **Dove Court.** Residential Care Home. 30 rooms.
- **Thornfield.** Residential Care Home. 36 rooms.
- **Seaswift House.** Residential Care Home. 15 rooms.
- **The Seaton.** Residential Care Home with Nursing. 43 rooms.
- **The Manor House.** Residential Care Home. 15 rooms.
- **Netherhayes.** Residential Care Home. 27 rooms.
- **Total rooms: 220**

Bridport

- **Sidney Gale House.** Residential Care Home. 44 rooms.
- **Drayton House.** Residential Care Home. 16 rooms.
- **The Hyde.** Residential Care Home. 28 rooms.
- **St James Park.** Residential Care Home with Nursing. 31 rooms.
- **Coneygar Lodge.** Residential Care Home. 22 rooms.
- **Harbour House.** Residential Care Home. 33 rooms.
- **Total rooms: 174**

Broadwindsor

- **Broadwindsor House.** Residential Care Home. 18 rooms.

Financial help.

Up to six weeks reablement support is available without charge. Thereafter, people with savings or available capital of less than £23,250 and meeting the care-need criteria relating to physical and / or mental health, may be eligible for County Council financial support with care costs, subject to a care needs assessment. Dorset Direct provides an assessment procedure online (www.mylifemycare.com/paying-for-care-at-home) or by phone (01305-22101).

People receiving council support may choose a more expensive care home if a 'third party' such as a relative, friend or charity agrees to a 'top-up' that bridges the gap between fees and council payment. This involves a legal agreement between the third party and the council to cover fee increases and continuity of payment.

If care needs are health-related, requiring nursing help, NHS Continuing Healthcare may contribute to costs. See page 34, or www.mylifemycare.com/article/426062/Paying-for-your-care. Someone living in a care home registered to provide nursing care, who has been assessed as needing nursing care but is not eligible for NHS Continuing Healthcare, should receive NHS Funded Nursing Care as a contribution (currently £155 per week) made directly to the care home.