



Community Assessment & Treatment Service Newsletter Autumn 2018

Hello and welcome to our first newsletter from the Community Assessment and Treatment Service.

We are a service for adults with learning disabilities, we work with people who require specialist health care needs.

We work with you in your home, in the community or you can come to see us. We aim to help people live independently, to live in their own home and work with the person in the best way we can.

Our values mean we will treat you with respect and dignity, we will listen to you and your carers and we will involve you in your care.

We met with Jill Gee (West) and Susan Archer (East & North) team managers for the Community Assessment and Treatment Service.

What is your Job Role?

We are the team managers for the Community Assessment and Treatment Service. Jill works in the West and Susan works in the East & North.

What does the service do?

We support adults with a learning disability who have specialist health needs which cannot not be met by mainstream services.

How can people get help from our team?

A referral needs to be made to the Single Point of Access (SPA). Telephone number; 0300 777 0707.



What is the best part of the job you do?

Working in a person centred way with service users, families, carers and colleagues.

Our values

Welcoming Kind Positive Respectful Professional

*Who works in the
Community Assessment and Treatment Service...*

Intensive Support Nurses

Art Therapists

Psychiatrists

Health Access Champions

Occupational Therapists

The Positive Partnerships Team (PPT)

Psychotherapists

Dieticians

Speech and Language Therapists

The Offending Behaviour Intervention Service (OBIS)

Sexual Health Counsellors

Clinical Psychologists

Good News Story: PPT have trained over 561 support workers in Positive Behaviour Support since April 2017. On Thursday 11th September, people from across the county will gather for the Herts PBS Conference to share good practice and discuss the development of a Community of Practice for Positive Behaviour Support.

Contact us:

Single Point of Access (SPA) for Referrals:

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West Community Assessment and Treatment service:

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Next quarter you will be hearing from our Occupational Therapists and our Health Access Champions!