

HOME FIRST: YOUR FUTURE NHS CARE AT HOME AND IN THE COMMUNITY

Questionnaire

Within mid Essex, there are three areas of current care that the CCG would like to change in a bid to offer local people the best outcomes for their health:

1. In 2018, the CCG plans to introduce a Home First service that will aim to help more people rehabilitate and recover at home after a spell in hospital
2. We want to maximise the use of two state-of-the-art theatres at Braintree Community Hospital for Orthopaedic surgery
3. At the same time, we would like to change the way beds on Courtauld ward at Braintree Community Hospital are used to help patients to recover after surgery

More information about these changes can be found on the CCG website: <http://bit.ly/2y9XYWC>.

We'd like to find out what you think of our plans.

A little information about you

To help us understand who is responding to this survey please tell us:

1. Your age group

- 18-30
- 31-40
- 41-50
- 51-60
- 61-70
- 71-80
- 81 and above

2. Your gender

- Male
- Female

3. Do you have a disability

- Yes
- No

4. Ethnic origin

- White
 - Mixed / Multiple Ethnic Groups
 - Asian or Asian British
 - Black / African / Caribbean or Black British
 - Other ethnic group (please state)
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5. Where in mid Essex do you live or represent?

- Braintree District
 - Maldon District
 - Chelmsford City
 - All three parts of mid Essex
 - Outside of mid Essex (please state)
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(This information is for monitoring purposes only and will not be used to identify people who respond)

How community care affects you

6. Which of the following statements apply to you?

- I have recent or current experience of hospital discharge to a community bed in mid Essex
- I am a carer or family member of someone who has used or is using a local community bed
If selected, please go to Q7
- I work for a provider and am directly involved in managing community beds and/or reablement
If selected, please go to Q8
- I am a health or social care professional not directly involved in these areas
- I do not have any direct interest in this matter but wish to share my view
If selected, please go to Q9
- If you have a different interest in this subject, please state:

7. If you/a family member received care in a community hospital, where was this care given? Please tick all that apply:

- Braintree Community Hospital
- St Peter's Maldon
- Halstead Hospital
- Other (please state)

8. If you work for a provider and are directly involved in managing community beds and/or reablement, where do you work?

- Braintree Community Hospital
- St Peter's Maldon
- Halstead Hospital
- Other (please state)

9. Do you or the person you care for have recent or current experience of Continuing Health Care (CHC) services in mid Essex?

- Yes
- No

Home First

In 2018, the CCG plans to introduce a Home First service that will aim to help more people rehabilitate and recover at home after a spell in hospital – see <http://bit.ly/2y9XYWC> for more information.

10. Please give us your views about Home First and how you think people who need ongoing care after they are discharged from hospital should receive it:

11. What do you think are the positives of a Home First service?

12. If you have any concerns about Home First, what are they? Please select all that apply:

- Safety concerns
- Limitations of the service
- Impact on my financial situation
- Impact on my health conditions
- Impact on me / another individual
- Concerns about CCG or NHS policies
- Other (please specify)

13. If you think Home First will impact on you, someone you care for or another family member, please tell us how:

Braintree Community Hospital

At the same time as starting a Home First model, the CCG would like to use Courtauld ward at Braintree Community Hospital in a different way – by turning beds that are currently used for rehabilitation into beds for people recovering from Orthopaedic surgery.

14. Please give us your views about our plans for the beds at Braintree Community Hospital:

15. If you have any concerns about these plans what are they? Please select all that apply:

- Safety concerns
- Limitations of the service
- Impact on my financial situation
- Impact on my health conditions
- Impact on me / another individual
- Concerns about CCG or NHS policies
- Other (please specify)

16. If you think these plans may have any impact on you, someone you care for or another family member, please tell us how:

17. Is there anything else we could do to support people ready for discharge from hospital who require ongoing NHS care?

18. Please add any other comments you would like to make:

Please complete this survey and return it no later than **Friday 15th December 2017 to:
Rachel Harkes, Head of Communications, Home First, Mid Essex CCG, Wren House,
Hedgerows Business Park, Colchester Road, Chelmsford, CM2 5PF.**



Get in touch

If you would like to request a printed copy of the engagement document and questionnaire or an alternative format i.e large font, Braille then please get in touch.

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We look forward to hearing from you.