Social Services Telecare Service





TELECARE AND ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY - INFORMATION LEAFLET

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TELECARE AND ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY IN FLINTSHIRE

The Telecare Team are a specialist team who offer information, advice and assistance on products, equipment and systems that enhance daily living for people with disabilities.

WHAT IS TELECARE AND ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY?

The Telecare and Assistive Technology Service is an inclusive service who support anyone who resides in Flintshire.



INFORMATION

The Telecare and Assistive Technology Team can offer information on Carelink and signposting to other services which may be of help.

ADVICE

Specialist knowledge on both Telecare and assistive technology which is specific to your individual circumstances.

We can provide advice on equipment which you may already have that can support your situation.

We are able to support you by signposting to relevant retail outlets.

ASSISTANCE

We can provide a range of equipment following a specialist assessment to meet your individual outcomes.

EQUIPMENT

Linked telecare equipment which can be linked to a monitoring centrer or mobile phone. Examples of these are:

- Smoke Detectors
- Impact Falls Detectors
- Door Sensors
- Flood Detectors
- Epilepsy Sensors
- Bed exit sensors
- Movement sensors
- Video Door bell
- GPS Location Device
- Pill Dispensers
- Carer Alert
- Health & Wellbeing Apps

Communication and sensory aids such as signposting and supporting with Amazon Echo, Alexa, Facebook Portal, Facetiming etc

Minimize risk of falls by use of impact falls detector, PIR movement sensor, chair/bed exit sensors

Medication such
as supporting
review of
medication, dosset
boxes, blister
packs, medication
boxes and pill
dispensers



Parental reassurance such as signposting to window restrictors, cupboard and cooker control locks, door exit sensors, PIR movement sensors, flood detectors

Fire Safety including joint working with the fire service, smoke detectors, stove guard and a lockable gas valve, accessible via the fire service

Supporting people with dementia to access the community safely with a safety net, such as a GPS Location Device, door exit sensors and signposting to apps, memo minder PIR

HOW TO CONTACT THE TELECARE AND ASSISTIVE TECHNONLOGY SERVICE

The Telecare team consists of a Telecare Coordinator and a Telecare Officer who are more than happy to answer any queries you may have.

For more information please contact:

Single Point of Access (SPOA)

2 03000 858 858

■ SSDUTY@flintshire.gov.uk

Preswylfa, Hendy Road, Mold, CH7 1PZ

USEFUL CONTACTS

A wide range of voluntary organisations provide independent advice and assistance. Contacting them will give you information on your rights.

Flintshire Citizens advice Bureau		
08444 772020	www.flintshirecab.org.uk	
Flintshire Care and Repair Flintshire Care and Repair offer advice on housing repairs, adaptations and benefits for disabled and elderly people.		
01352 758700	www.flintshirecr.co.uk	
Age Connects North East Wales		
08450 549969	www.acnew.org.uk	
Mencap Cymru Helpline		
0808 808 1111	www.mencap.org.uk/wales	
MIND		
01352 757637	www.flintshiremind.org.uk	
North East Wales Carers Information Service (NEWCIS)		
01352 752525	www.carers.org/local/wales/flintshire	

Flintshire Disability Forum

01352 755546

Social Services

First Contact, Preswylfa, Hendy Road, Mold, Flintshire, CH7 1PZ

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COMPLAINTS, COMPLIMENTS AND REPRESENTATIONS

We are aware that despite our best efforts there may be occasions when you need to make a complaint. Any complaint about the services can be made to your Social Worker, their Team Manager or you can contact:

The Complaints Officer
Social Services
Ty Dewi Sant
St. Davids Park
Ewloe
Flintshire, CH5 3FF 01352 702623

Email: myview@flintshire.gov.uk

A leaflet 'Your right to compliment and complain' which explains how your comments can be made and how they will be dealt with is available from the same address or online at: www.flintshire.gov.uk/careinfo

www.dewis.wales

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