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# Pearson Park Care Home

## Inspection report

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## Ratings

Overall rating for this service	Inspected but not rated
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Is the service safe?	Inspected but not rated
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# Summary of findings

## Overall summary

Pearson Park Care Home is a residential care home, providing personal care to up to 24 people who may be living with dementia or have a mental health problem.

We found the following examples of good practice:

- The provider had adapted aspects of the environment to reduce the risk of infections spreading. For instance, they had replaced the external doorbell with a motion sensor system to alert staff when visitors were approaching the main door. This meant visitors did not have to touch the door or doorbells. There were also sensor operated light switches in the bathrooms to reduce the number of switches (high touch areas) in the home.
- There were well managed visitor arrangements; relatives were able to visit their loved ones by prior appointment with good safety measures in place.
- There was a consistent and dedicated staff team, who were aware of the importance of robust infection control procedures and followed these. The provider was proactive with regards to the use of personal proactive equipment.

Further information is in the detailed findings below.

## The five questions we ask about services and what we found

We always ask the following five questions of services.

### **Is the service safe?**

We were assured the service were following safe infection prevention and control procedures to keep people safe.

**Inspected but not rated**

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## **Detailed findings**

### Background to this inspection

We carried out this inspection under Section 60 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 as part of our regulatory functions. This inspection was planned to check whether the provider is meeting the legal requirements and regulations associated with the Health and Social Care Act 2008.

This was a targeted inspection looking at the infection control and prevention measures the provider has in place. As part of CQC's response to the coronavirus pandemic we are conducting a thematic review of infection control and prevention measures in care homes.

This inspection took place on 17 August 2020 and was announced. The service was selected to take part in this thematic review which is seeking to identify examples of good practice in infection prevention and control.

## Is the service safe?

### Our findings

- We were assured that the provider was preventing visitors from catching and spreading infections.
- We were assured that the provider was meeting shielding and social distancing rules.
- We were assured that the provider was admitting people safely to the service.
- We were assured that the provider was using PPE effectively and safely.
- We were assured that the provider was accessing testing for people using the service and staff.
- We were assured that the provider was promoting safety through the layout and hygiene practices of the premises.

We have also signposted the provider to resources to develop their approach.