

The Mayfield Trust

Gibraltar Road Nursing Home

Inspection report

35 Gibraltar Road
Halifax
West Yorkshire
HX1 4HE

Tel: 01422352418
Website: www.mayfield-trust.org.uk

Date of inspection visit:
02 December 2020

Date of publication:
17 December 2020

Ratings

Overall rating for this service	Inspected but not rated
Is the service safe?	Inspected but not rated

Summary of findings

Overall summary

Gibraltar Road Nursing Home is a care home providing personal and nursing care to ten people living with a learning disability. At the time of the inspection the service was fully occupied

We found the following examples of good practice.

The premises looked clean. Hand sanitisers and PPE stations were situated throughout the building.

Staff were observed wearing appropriate PPE. There was prominent signage and instructions to explain what staff should do to ensure safety.

Alternative forms of maintaining social contact were used for friends and relatives; for example: keeping in touch using video calls.

The service had laundry processes in place so clothes were not mixed and washed together.

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?

Further information is in the detailed findings below.

Inspected but not rated

Gibraltar Road Nursing Home

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.

As part of CQC's response to care homes with outbreaks of coronavirus, we are conducting reviews to ensure that the Infection Prevention and Control practice was safe and the service was compliant with IPC measures. This was a targeted inspection looking at the IPC practices the provider has in place.

This inspection took place on 2 December 2020 and was announced.

Is the service safe?

Our findings

How well are people protected by the prevention and control of infection?

- 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 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 were assured that the provider was making sure infection outbreaks can be effectively prevented or managed.
- We were assured that the provider's infection prevention and control policy was up to date.