

Barchester Healthcare Homes Limited

Edgbaston Beaumont

Inspection report

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Ratings

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

Summary of findings

Overall summary

Edgbaston Beaumont Nursing Home provides accommodation and personal care for up to 30 older people. At the time of our visit 15 people lived at the home.

We found the following examples of good practice

Checks were carried out on visitors to the service to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Regular testing in line with government guidelines for COVID-19 took place for people and the staff team.

Staff were wearing PPE appropriately. There were sufficient supplies of PPE located around the service and arrangements were in place for staff to safely remove and dispose of PPE.

People's health and wellbeing was monitored. People were observed for symptoms of COVID-19 and other potential infections.

The home was clean. Cleaning schedules had been enhanced to include additional cleaning in relation to COVID-19.

The management team communicated regularly with people, staff and relatives about COVID -19 to make sure everyone understood the precautions in place to keep people safe.

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 finding below.

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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.

As part of CQC's response to the COVID-19 pandemic we are looking at the preparedness of care homes in relation to infection prevention and control. This was a targeted inspection looking at the infection control and prevention measures the provider has in place.

This inspection took place on 08 April 2021 and was announced the day before our visit.

Is the service safe?

Our findings

S5 How well are people protected by the prevention and control of infection?

- We were assured 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 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.