

Strathmore Care Home Limited

Strathmore Nursing Home

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

We found the following examples of good practice.

Visitors were supported to wear PPE and sanitize their hands.

Visitors were strictly limited, even when visits are through the window.

Clear signage was displayed around the home.

Staff always wore full PPE within the home.

People with symptoms were isolated and barrier nursed.

Staff were supported to socially distance during breaks.

The service ensured tests had been carried out by the hospital prior to admission.

Isolation was in place for new admissions to help ensure the risk of cross infection was minimized.

There were designated areas for donning and doffing PPE.

Good, clear signage was visible around the home regarding donning and doffing PPE and handwashing.

Whole home testing was carried out.

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?

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.

The inspection took place on 9 February 2021 and was announced.

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 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.