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Woodthorpe Manor Nursing Home

Inspection report

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Ratings

Overall rating for this service Inspected but not rated Inspected but not rated

Summary of findings

Overall summary

Woodthorpe Manor Nursing Home is a residential and nursing care home providing accommodation and personal care to people aged 65 and over. The service can support up to 30 older people. At the time of the inspection, 21 people were living at the service.

We found the following examples of good practice:

- Safe visiting arrangements had been implemented to ensure compliance with social distancing within a safe environment.
- If visitors could not attend the home, staff supported people to speak with family and friends via the telephone or video calls.
- The care team liaised with their designated GP practice throughout the pandemic and weekly virtual ward rounds were undertaken.
- The home had a thorough testing process for staff and people living there.
- Staff were adhering to personal protective equipment (PPE) use and social distancing guidance.
- Staff training in all aspects of infection control was up to date.

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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Further information is in the findings 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 coronavirus 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 26 March 2021 and was announced.

Inspected but not rated

Is the service safe?

Our findings

- S5 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 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 have also signposted the provider to resources to develop their approach.

• Whilst we were assured that the provider's infection prevention and control policy was up to date, this had been produced by an external agency and some work was required to customise this to reflect specific arrangements within the care home.