

Hasbury Home Care Services Ltd

Eden Lodge Health Care

Inspection report

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Ratings

Overall rating for this service

Inspected but not rated

Is the service safe?

Inspected but not rated

Summary of findings

Overall summary

Eden Lodge Health Care is a care home providing personal care for younger adults who may have a learning disability or mental health condition. The service can accommodate up to seven people over two floors. There were five people living at home on the time of this inspection.

We found the following examples of good practice.

- There was an alternative entrance into the home for essential visitors/healthcare professionals. This enabled visitors to safely put on and take off personal protective clothing.
- Staff changed their clothes upon starting and finishing their shifts to reduce the risk of cross infection.
- The top floor of the home could be used, if required, to isolate people safely during the pandemic.
- People were supported by staff to stay safe when they went out, for example, going shopping.
- All beds were water-resistant, anti-bacterial and flame retardant. This meant beds could be cleaned and disinfected effectively to reduce risk of infection.

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.

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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 14 October 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

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 were assured that the provider's infection prevention and control policy was up to date.