

Riversdale (Northwest) Limited

Riversdale Nursing Home

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

Riversdale Nursing Home provides care and support for up to 40 people. At the time of our inspection 29 people were living at the home.

We found the following examples of good practice.

- The provider had made appropriate use of regular testing for people living at the home and staff members.
- The home was clean, with multiple PPE stations in convenient locations.
- Safe procedures were in place for when people moved into the home.
- Staff were knowledgeable about procedures for keeping people safe and knew who was isolating within the home.
- The provider had limited visitors to the home; except for exceptional circumstances or essential visits. They had recently put steps in place to facilitate future visits to the home in a safe manner.

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 this service were following safe infection prevention and control measures 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.

We received information of concern about infection control and prevention measures at this service. This was a targeted inspection looking at the infection control and prevention measures the provider has in place.

This inspection took place on 18 November 2020 and was unannounced.

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 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.

We have also signposted the provider to resources to develop their approach.