

Person-centred Support and the **Multi-disciplinary** **Team**



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At Precious Homes, we are committed to delivering high quality, truly person-centred support which is tailored to the needs of each individual.

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We work in partnership with senior team members and professionals to **find solutions and innovative responses to the needs of every single person that we support.** As part of this approach, **we've invested heavily in building an in-house multidisciplinary team (MDT),** who provide holistic care and support to the people we support



Our In-House MDT

An MDT is a team of health workers from different disciplines, who work closely together to deliver specific services. By having an in-house team, we bring together professionals and practitioners from across different sectors to deliver person-centred, holistic care which focuses on the needs of the individual.

Our in-house MDT can provide therapeutic and behavioural input. This is classed as an additional resource which has to be agreed individually with the funding authority. Those not in receipt of dedicated funding can still benefit from the expertise of the MDT. As an in-house resource, the MDT can offer advice, training and support, as well as incident monitoring to identify new or ongoing need across all of our services.



Our specialisms

Our specialised and highly qualified MDT includes clinical director, forensic and behavioural Psychology, Occupational Therapy (OT), Sensory Integration Practitioner, Speech and Language Therapy (SALT). Our MDT works in conjunction with our support teams, including internal PBS, Training, Quality and Risk Management and Operational Teams, to provide additional advice and support. We also work closely alongside external partners including Behavioural Specialists, Psychiatry, dieticians and fitness experts from the local community to complement our in-house teams.

How are we different?

Precious Homes is pretty unique in the industry. While many care providers have access to a statutory/external MDT resource, our team is a dedicated, in-house resource, employed by Precious Homes solely to support our people. This enables us to provide proactive support when a person needs it rather than having to make referrals to external teams which can often take time.

Our MDT team have a really good understanding of our environment, ethos and how we work, enabling them to offer consistent levels of support and resources. Where we do employ the expertise of outside specialists, the in-house MDT act as the conduit to ensure consistency of care and continuity of knowledge throughout the service user's journey with Precious Homes.

Accessing MDT support

There are a number of routes for accessing support from the MDT.

Commissioned support: Some of the services offered by the MDT are classed as additional resources which must be agreed individually with the funding authority at the time that the initial assessment takes place.

Advice and expertise: It is important to remember that we are also there to advise anyone who is looking for guidance, even if funding is not in place. Our Positive Behaviour Support (PBS) and Intensive Support (IST) teams are widely accessible to all and can be called on in times of need. Both of these teams are trained to help reinforce positive behaviour strategies and advise and support our core support teams.

Incident monitoring: We work with the management team at every service to actively review incident reports at regular intervals. If our incident analysis suggests that there has been an increase in incidents/anxieties, a member of the MDT team will work with the person and the local support teams to offer help and guidance.

Staff Training: Our team of knowledgeable experts are on-hand to provide training and support to the wider team where required.



Award-winning provider

As well as a list of industry accolades from the Great British Care Awards, Laing Buisson and The National Learning Disability and Autism Awards, the company has won several Pinders Healthcare Design awards, in recognition of their innovative service design, which is specifically tailored to meet the needs of the individuals we support.



Contacts and Referrals

We provide a rapid response to referrals and will normally arrange a professional assessment within a few days of your call.

For more information, to arrange a visit or to make a referral please contact our placements team:

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