

Survey for carers of patients with learning disabilities

The Trust recognises that carers and relatives play a vital role with patients who have learning disabilities, and is committed to improving how we work with, and support you in your demanding role. This survey is about your experience of the support that was provided to you. Your responses will be treated confidentially and will be used to improve how we work in partnership with carers and relatives.

Thank you

Please tick the relevant box and answer all questions:

1. Was the person you care for brought into hospital?

- As an inpatient As an outpatient

2. Which hospital did the person come in to?

- Diana, Princess of Wales Hospital Scunthorpe General Hospital
 Goole District Hospital

3. If you are happy to do so, please state the ward/department that was visited

4. When was the person you care for last in hospital (either as an inpatient or outpatient)?

- Still in hospital Less than 1 week ago
 Less than 1 month ago Over 1 month ago

5. How long was the person you care for in hospital for?

- Less than 1 week Less than 2 weeks
 Less than 1 month Over 1 month

6. What was the level of the person's learning disability?

- Mild learning disability Moderate learning disability
 Severe learning disability Profound and multiple learning disabilities

7. Have you felt supported while they were in hospital?

- Fully supported Not supported at all
 Partly supported

8. Did the ward/department make you feel involved in the care of the person?

- Not at all Not often
 Often Quite often

9. Does the person you care for have complex health needs?

Yes

No

If you are happy to do so, please state the persons health needs

10. Where appropriate, were you as carers / relatives encouraged to stay with the person to assist them?

Yes

No

11. Did you feel the staff had an understanding of learning disabilities?

Yes

Some of the staff

No one seemed to understand learning disabilities

Additional comments

Please feel free to give us any additional comments, in the box below, on what we did well or how we could improve

Once completed please post in the friends and family card boxes or send to Rachel Greenbeck, Acting Lead Nurse for the Chief Nurse Directorate, DPoW