

Fynvola



Specialised Care for older people with Learning Disabilities

End of Life Care

Fynvola Foundation seeks to provide end of life care for adults with a learning disability.

We are a recently formed charity which aims to deliver a service for older adults with a learning disability. Our fifteen bedded unit provides skilled care and specialist nursing to this group of vulnerable adults, some of whom may have a diagnosis of cancer or other life limiting illness. The majority of our clients will be drawn from the older age group whose health or cognitive ability has deteriorated to a point where more expert care is required.

The Home Manager is a qualified Registered Nurse (Learning Disabilities). We currently employ seven qualified nurses thus ensuring that there will be a qualified nurse on shift at all times.

The trustees of Fynvola have established links with the GP lead Cottage Hospital and with the Wisdom Hospice. We work in partnership with the Community Palliative Care Team in order to provide a gold standard service for the clients and their families as they approach the end of their lives. Central to our care of the dying patient is a commitment to provide skilled support to his or her family and loved ones.

We strongly believe that our client group should be cared for until the end of their lives in the place that they call home where they have established meaningful relationships.

Lady Dane House has fifteen generously sized bedrooms, three of which have been equipped with hoists and are spacious enough to accommodate further medical equipment if needed. All rooms have en-suite facilities.

The bathrooms are specially adapted for use by those with very limited mobility. All rooms have en-suite facilities. At least one of these rooms may be used as a respite facility for individuals who meet our admissions criteria and are over the age of eighteen at the time of placement.

Please contact the Registered Manager - Rosalyn Chapman - for further details on: 01795 538299 or by email: registerednurse@fynvola.org.uk