

Learning Disabilities services in Cornwall

Primary Care Liaison Nurse for adults with Learning Disabilities:

We are a team of nurses who work alongside primary care providers and community hospitals. We aim to help professionals understand how to meet the health needs of people with a learning disability and to enable those, with a learning disability, to get the best from primary care services.

- **North and East - 07767 371426**
- **Mid and South - 07500 443321**
- **Mid and West – 07717 586762**

Screening Liaison Nurses for adults with Learning Disabilities:

We have three screening liaison nurses who work with the NHS adult screening programmes. These include the Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm, Bowel cancer, Breast cancer, Cervical cancer and Diabetic Retinopathy screening programmes. They work closely with the screening staff to identify people with learning disabilities so that they can be sent information in an easy to understand format and put reasonable adjustments in place when needed.

- **For patients with a GP surgery with a PL postcode contact**

Jo Pike: 07717 586043

- **For patients with a GP surgery with a TR postcode contact**

Sharon Ashby – 07789 946563

Megan Julian – 07799 658446

Special Parenting Service:

The Special Parenting Service supports parents who have a mild to borderline learning disability. This means they will have an IQ of 55 – 85

- **01872 221442**

Intensive Support Team:

The Intensive Support Team provides extra support for adults with learning disabilities (aged 18 and over) at home during a crisis, for a limited period.

- **01872 221555**



Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service for Learning Disabilities:

The CAMHS Learning Disability Team provide a service to children and young people with moderate, severe or profound learning disability who are unable to access a mental health assessment within the specialist CAMHS service.

- **Truro - 01872 221447**
- **Penzance - 01736 789488**
- **St Austell - 01726 873**

Acute Liaison Nurses for Learning Disabilities and/or Autistic Spectrum - RCH Treliске:

We offer support for patients with learning disabilities and autism spectrum conditions. We help make sure individuals with a learning disability in hospital get high quality services, real choice and control over their care

- **07827 897252**
- **07765 221848**
- **01872 254551**

Derriford Hospital – Plymouth:

The team work with adults who have a learning disability to help facilitate their patient journey whilst accessing hospital services.

- **01752 (4)31566**

Community Adult Learning Disabilities Teams:

- **West Cornwall - 01209 204025**
- **East Cornwall - 01208 834455**