# Livability Kenway Court Southend-on-Sea



- + **Empowerment**
- + Community

It all adds up to

Livability

## Welcome

+ Choice

+ Personalised



# Welcome to Livability

Livability Kenway Court is a residential, community focused care home in Southend-on-Sea. The service supports disabled people and people with learning disabilities. People that live at the home have a lot of individual choice, with active support from staff. Our service offers nursing support to those with complex needs.

We take a person-centred, flexible approach. We know that everyone's needs and aspirations are different – that all sorts of things add up to a flourishing life. Together, with the people that use our services, we create bespoke care plans that give people choice and control over their own lives.

Livability Kenway Court is a service that focuses on prevention, offering specialist care onsite. An example of this is where we've supported residents with pressure ulcers, avoiding hospital admissions.

Livability Kenway Court is part of a network of services in Southend. Also in the area is Livability Southend and Livability Dolphin Court. Find out more about these at www.livability.org.uk/our-services



Dianne Alexander Manager

# Accessible + Modern





## What can you expect?

#### **About the home**

Our accessible and spacious environment provides modern facilities, communal and individual spaces for people that live at the home.

### These include:

- Nursing care
- 24 individual rooms
- Ensuite/individual wash facilities, toilets and level-access showers
- Accessible courtyard and garden spaces
- Self-decoration of rooms residents can choose their preferred colour scheme
- 3 communal bathrooms with adjustable bath and sluice

- 2 communal lounges with TV, video and music system
- Laundry room, 2 large washing machines and 1 large tumble dryer
- Lift and automatic doors throughout the building
- Portable hoists, profiling beds and wifi in all rooms
- Eyegaze and voice-activated technology

# **Community connections**

### Transitions back into the community

Our prevention model means that if people aren't ready to go straight home or back to supported living from hospital, we can be there to offer nursing care until the person is ready.

### Recreation

With an active network of supporting services and community partners, people that live at Livability Kenway Court enjoy opportunities to pursue a wide range of recreational activities in the local area. The home is well situated, within easy reach of the town centre, seafront, parks, library, museum, cinema, theatre and more. The area is served by a good train service.

### **Our staff and values**

Our dedicated and professional team are carefully chosen for their skills and compassion. They have extensive experience of empowering people to live their lives. Working to Livability's values, we are open, enabling, inclusive and courageous in all that we do.

# Staff

- + Confidence
- + Enabling





'Eyegaze has opened up a whole new world. We hadn't been able to have a conversation for years, but now we feel much closer because we can communicate through Eyegaze.'

A family member reflects on their loved one's experience of assistive technology.

### **Our approach**

Together and with the people that use our services, we create bespoke care packages that help people live the life they want to lead.

#### Person-centred and flexible

Livability puts the person at the centre of their care planning. We help individuals work out what their care needs are, choose the support they want and have control over their life. Livability Kenway Court champions the use of assistive technology to empower people to live their lives and express their choices.

### **Growing wellbeing**

We enable connections that help people thrive. Personal health and wellbeing does better when people enjoy supportive networks. We enable the people that use our services to follow their interests and get involved in their community.

### **Working with strengths**

Our focus is on looking at the strengths people have, rather than what they lack. We help people make use of their skills, knowledge and relationships.

### **Supporting spirituality**

Livability has a broad and inclusive Christian ethos. People of all faiths and none are welcomed. We believe in the equality and unique value of every person, supporting everyone to discover and fulfil their potential.

### **Continuous improvement**

Livability strives to deliver services of the highest quality and constantly seeks to improve through listening, reflection, learning and action.

## Livability Kenway Court is part of the Livability family of services.

Livability is the charity that exists to support disabled people to live a life that adds up for them.

Working together and with the people we support, we tackle barriers that impact disabled people, to enable better wellbeing and participation for all.

Delivering a wide range of care, education, vocation and rehabilitation services, we strive to grow community connections that help people thrive.

#### It all adds up to

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