

# Care & Supporting Independence

## Porter Court



#### **Main features**

Ages: 60+ (55+ if registered with a disability) Resident Services Worker 25 bedsits 27 x one bedroom flats Two x two bedroom flats Community alarm system

#### **Communal facilities**

Communal lounge Kitchen Laundry room Guest room Attractive gardens

#### **Porter Court** Flitcroft Gardens, Lake, PO36 9LG

Porter Court is a sheltered scheme for older people who want to retain their independence. The scheme is situated a short distance from the shops, doctors and local churches.

The scheme has a Resident Services Worker and is linked to an out-of-hours emergency service. Social activities such as whist drives and bingo are held in the communal lounge. Coffee mornings and afternoon tea are available.

The scheme also has a kitchen and attractive gardens.

We welcome residents from all sections of the community.

#### How to get there



**Directions** The scheme is off Sandown Road, the A3055.

**Bus** Close to bus routes to Island destinations.

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## Sheltered housing schemes

Southern Housing Group provides self-contained flats in 10 sheltered housing schemes on the Isle of Wight for more than 300 people aged 60 or over.

To apply for a place, older people will need to put their names down on the Island Homefinder register.

Each scheme has a Resident Services Worker, who provides an intensive housing management service while on duty. Out of hours, residents have access to a community alarm call system. Resident Services Workers will:

- make daily calls to all residents
- promote continued independence
- encourage residents to get involved in scheme activities
- involve other organisations that have resources to offer our residents
- signpost residents to specialist agencies.

Alongside the flats, schemes usually provide some shared facilities. For details see the front of this leaflet.

### Contact us

To find out more about this scheme or to arrange a visit, call **01983 522 479**. You may wish to give this number to your Care Manager if you have one.

For help with translations, or if a large type, Braille or audio summary would be useful, please contact the Southern Housing Group Service Centre on 0300 303 1772.





