



The Poplars Nursing Home

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YOUR DESCRIPTION

The Poplars is set in tranquil and secluded gardens (yet only 1 mile from Maidstone town centre, now famous for the beautiful shops in Fremlin Walk). Our well-qualified staff provide the highest standards of care, comfort and cuisine, but above all, kindness.

Visitors are welcome at any time, brochure available on request. Appointment not necessary.

ACCOMMODATION

Private rooms

Single

Double

Total ensuite

Total reg. beds

Communal rooms

Number of lounges or seating areas

Hobby room

Residents may bring

Own furniture

Own decoration

Building type

Purpose built

Conversion

Storeys

Wheelchair access

To all floors

Ground floor only

No access

Rooms have

Phone point

TV point

Lifts

Full lift

Stair lift

No lift

Outdoors

Garden

Seating areas

Details of any associated housing

WEEKLY COST

Personal care **Nursing care**

From: From:

Accept local authority rates

Accept Continuing Care funding

LIFESTYLE

Pets

- Pets accepted
- Home has a pet

Decision making

- Residents' committee
- Relatives' committee

Smoking

- Smokers not accepted

Daily routines are

- Fully flexible
- Flexible to a degree
- Not known

Meals

- Meal times are flexible
- Meals can be taken in own room
- There is a choice of menu
- Residents assist in planning meals
- Meals are prepared in the home
- Snacks are available at any time
- Vegetarians are catered for
- Special diets are accommodated

Family and friends

- Overnight facilities available
- Can usually accommodate visitors

REGISTRATION and SPECIALISMS

- Care only
 - Nursing
- Beds:
Beds:
- Year registered:
Year built:

Registration categories

Older people generally

Care specialisms

Care for people who need:

- Minimal help
- Moderate help
- A high level of help

Can usually accept people with:

- Visual impairment
- Deafness
- Urinary incontinence
- Faecal incontinence
- Moderate memory problems
- Severe memory problems
- Disruptive behaviour
- Challenging behaviour

and/or people who:

- Walk with a frame
- Use a wheelchair
- Are bedfast
- Wander indoors
- Wander outside

Duration of care:

- Short / respite
- Longer stay
- Day care
- Home care
- Trial visits can be arranged
- Dedicated beds for respite care
- Dedicated beds for convalescence

CULTURE and RELIGION

If the home is particularly suited to particular groups of people, please describe:

Specific requirements addressed?

- Religious
- Dietary
- Language

Languages spoken:

ACTIVITIES

- Entertainment in the home
- Outings
- Regular activities programme
- Facilities for hobbies
- Involvement in gardening
- Own minibus

How often are activities organised?

Daily

LOCATION

Location type: Shops walkable

Distances yards miles Distances yards miles

Local shop: Bus:

GP: Town centre

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