



## Laurel Bank Care Home

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### YOUR DESCRIPTION

Laurel Bank is a purpose-built, delightful care home furnished and equipped to the highest standards. It is situated close to the city centre on a bus route and near to Castle railway station.

At Laurel Bank, six comfortably furnished lounges plus a conservatory and a large open foyer enable our residents to relax. The variety of surroundings presents views over the attractive gardens and patio to the Cumbrian fells. All the services are provided by a warm, caring and highly trained staff team.

### ACCOMMODATION

Private rooms	Residents may bring	Rooms have	Details of any associated housing
Single <input type="text" value="64"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Own furniture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Phone point	
Double <input type="text" value="1"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Own decoration	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TV point	
Total ensuite <input type="text" value="66"/>	<b>Building type</b>	<b>Lifts</b>	
Total reg. beds <input type="text" value="67"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Purpose built	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Full lift	
<b>Communal rooms</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Conversion	<input type="checkbox"/> Stair lift	<b>WEEKLY COST</b> <b>Personal care</b> <b>Nursing care</b> From: <input type="text"/> From: <input type="text"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accept local authority rates <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accept Continuing Care funding
Number of lounges or seating areas <input type="text" value="6"/>	Storeys <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> No lift	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hobby room	<b>Wheelchair access</b>	<b>Outdoors</b>	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> To all floors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Garden	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Ground floor only	Seating areas	
	<input type="checkbox"/> No access	One + <input type="text"/>	

## 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    Beds: **0**  
☒ Nursing    Beds: **67**  
Year registered: **2007**  
Year built:

### Registration categories

Older people generally  
Physical disabilities

### 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    ☐ Day care  
☒ Longer stay    ☐ 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:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="1"/>	Bus:	<input type="text" value="250"/>	<input type="text"/>
GP:	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Town centre	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="1"/>

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