

How to access our Service

Referrals will only be accepted from:

- GPs
- District Nurses
- Social Services
- Derbyshire Carers Association.

If you are unsure or you would like more information then please contact us directly on 01773 873581.

We can also visit you at home for a confidential and informal chat about our services.

Carers Sitting Service
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What our Service Users say about us:

"The Carers Sitting Service is very professional and is much needed."

"My dad likes her to come and we could not manage without her, as we know he his being well looked after."

"My mum loves both ladies that visit her."

"I would be lonely without the Service."

"A wonderful Service, the Sitters are very kind, patient and caring."

"The Sitting Service is a godsend to me."

"A very well run Organisation, with an excellent workforce."

"The Sitting Service gives me a welcome 2 hours to myself, I am highly delighted."

The above comments have been taken from the Service User Survey in November 2011.

As a Not For Profit Organisation we have to raise money to keep our services running to support **local Carers.**

If YOU would like to help with a gift, legacy, or donation it will greatly benefit Carers and Service Users.



Carers Sitting Service

Registered with Care Quality Commission (CQC)

For Carers in:

- The Bolsover District
- Clay Cross
- Holmewood
- Heath
- Mickley
- Morton
- Pilsley
- Shirland
- Stonebroom



Time out for Carers

Derbyshire Times Business Awards
Customer Service
Winner 2011

Who we are:

Our staff are CRB (Police) checked and trained up to NVQ 2 in Health and Social Care and are experienced to provide the highest quality care and support whilst Carers take a well deserved break.

What we do:

We provide a short respite/ breaks to Carers. We ensure the Cared for are safe and provided with good quality care and individual company.

We provide the same member of staff for each visit to encourage and develop a comfortable relationship and to maintain consistency.

Who do we help:

We help Carers who are looking after a loved one to have a break.

We help people to stay in their own homes if they live alone.

We provide company to those that are lonely.

We provide support to those who want to go out/social activities/hospital appointments etc.

How we can help:

- Promote independence skills
- Provide Personal Care customised to your needs
- Night Sitting
- Meal Preparation
- Shopping
- Prescription collection
- Practical domestic tasks such as cleaning, ironing etc
- Monthly support meetings available carried out in partnership with Derbyshire Carers Association.

Look at our Performance:

What do you think of the Carers Sitting Service?



This information was collated from our current Service Users in November 2011.

45 out of 59 questionnaires were completed and returned.

