



## ELLSWORTH HOUSE – BATH

As a provider of a range of service solutions, Consensus is focusing on providing services that can meet the very specialist needs of some individuals by providing small scale and bespoke services. We are currently developing a purpose built eight person service, in partnership with Bath and North East Somerset Council. Ellsworth House is a mixed range provision for people with learning disability and challenging needs, who through lack of local resource have recently been placed out of county. The service is situated in the village of Midsomer Norton, 7 miles from Bath, 13 miles from Bristol and 9 miles from the Somerset City of Wells. It has great access to local leisure facilities and local transport networks, as well as local colleges and day services.

This truly unique service is dual registered for both Residential Care and Domiciliary support services. The main building has 6 registered beds, and to the side a new build flat and flat-let. The aim of the project is to improve outcomes for people, reduce incidences of challenges and ultimately move them on to more independent accommodation. The Domiciliary service can also provide outreach support to people with complex needs in the community and indeed as part of

the project we will also encompass satellite supported living units in the local area.

Our approach includes intensive work with the people we support, focusing on person-centred outcomes and building the environment around the individual. The scheme incorporates the latest technology and environmental measures, which have been defined by the latest thinking. As well as the environment the people we support will benefit from professional behavioural input from our in house behavioural services team and through the Community Learning Difficulty Team Behavioural Specialist.

Support will be outcome focused on the development of independence and social skills with a clear goal of moving on into more appropriate independent accommodation. People will be prepared for living in tenancies, connecting with their communities, access to employment or education, where appropriate. Focusing on person-centred planning and the development of circles of support our staff will be trained to the highest standard and will share the can do outcome focused approach to enable the people supported by the service to live the lives that they want.



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