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SJOG believes that every person has intrinsic worth and inherent dignity, and that with the right support each and every person can achieve their potential.

We don't have one standard approach but creatively provide help and support to people in the way they want.

We continue to be inspired by the story of our founder, Saint John of God, who left us a legacy of providing value-based service to those most in need.

Our Values

These are the values that we uphold in all that we do to make sure we treat people with:

HOSPITALITY

COMPASSION

RESPECT

Referrals and Admissions

SJOG's referral procedure is straightforward. We normally receive referrals from both health and social care professionals. The manager is often the first point of call where professionals can discuss Fairfield's aims and objectives, along with any vacancies we may have. We also encourage them to visit first.

Our referral and assessment procedure is outcome-focused and highly personalised involving a whole person approach. We encourage the person to be involved, along with their family and professionals. We do require a full assessment prior to admission, and we do not take emergency placements without this procedure being followed.

We encourage people to come and visit, and to spend time at Fairfield's before they consider moving in. We provide accessible information so that people can go away and make an informed decision.

SERVICE OVERVIEW Fairfields

- For 5 people aged 18-65 years who have a diagnosis of autism and/or learning disabilities and need 24-hour care and support.
- Specialised in autism and positive behaviour support.
- Innovative and personalised wellbeing activities aimed at behaviour reduction.
- Outcome focused quality of life practice framework captures progress and trends.
- Highly skilled autism practitioners.
- SPELL (Structure, Positive (approaches and expectations), Empathy, Low Arousal, Links) framework so that we can understand and respond to people's needs within an autism specific way.



Need more information?

If you would like further information about this service or any of the other services we provide, you can get this in several ways:

By telephone:
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By email:
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By mobile:
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By post:
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Fairfields Stockton

Residential Care



Fairfields provides 24-hour care and support to adults with autism and associated complex conditions. The home is registered with the Care Quality Commission.

We specialise in practising an Autism Practice Quality of Life Model that encompasses the principles and practices of Positive Behaviour Support (PBS).



Our team is trained in a range of specialised courses:

- Positive behaviour support – longitudinal PBS Champions course (including functional behaviour assessment)
- Sensory processing
- Augmentative communication techniques, e.g. Picture Exchange Communication
- Autism and co-morbidity
- Autism favourable environments
- Psychological informed environments
- Trauma-informed care

Our team also receives ongoing in-house continuous professional development with the support of SJOG's clinical practitioners.

Fairfields is committed to supporting people from out of placement areas, to return home to their family communities. Families form an important part of what we do, so working in partnership with families (and professionals) ensures greater success of outcomes for people with autism.

So, how do we do this?

We Think Autism and develop a person-centred profile of each individual so that we can adapt environments to be capable for people's needs.

We Act Personal and provide care and support that enables people to achieve their own outcomes and to be as independent and empowered as possible.

Our aims

- We will safeguard people through the promotion of rights.
- We will focus on prevention and early intervention.
- We will promote evidence-based good practice and support research development.
- We will promote health and wellbeing outcomes.
- We will promote outcome-focused personalised care and support to people.
- We will develop a highly skilled team that provides local capacity to an area of need.

People living at Fairfields will improve their quality of life.

Available at Fairfields:

- Support for 5 people who have a diagnosis of autism or associated complex conditions.
- Positive Behaviour Support champions who are trained in person-centred functional behaviour assessment and PBS planning.
- High support levels so that people can maximise their independence, positively.
- An environment that is autism favourable, assessed to consider person-centred sensory needs.
- An autism practice framework that has been academically tested focusing on measuring quality of life indicators and progress.
- Large spacious garden where people can relax or use it for emotional regulation.
- Large kitchen and dining facilities, where people can learn independent skills.
- Breakout spaces so people can relax privately when needed.
- Each bedroom is personalised to people's preferences and needs, and with ensuite facilities.
- Augmentative communication aids such as visual planning boards.
- Evidence for learning app capturing progress which families can view and comment on daily.
- A PBS and autism clinical team who can provide advice and support on complex behaviours.