

Questions from Councillors at City Council
Chief Executive's Department



**Name of Member submitting the
question Councillor Lynda Bowyer**

Date received by Democratic Support Team

To Councillor Kate Taylor

Question

Do we have any adults with autism or learning difficulties living in special units and if so how often are we reviewing their care packages?

Answer

Currently 6 adults are housed out of Plymouth and their care packages are funded by the CCG & NHS England. No one was placed out of area in June.

Plans are in place, informed by regular reviews, for all clients to return to Plymouth over the next 18 month period. 2 individuals may take longer as they are subject to Ministry of Justice restrictions against their discharge.

In relation to reviews, all Plymouth clients are being reviewed every 6 months using the Care Programme Approach (CPA), this is alongside specialist reviews called Care and Treatment Reviews (CTRs) every 6 months following the NHSE mandatory requirements. Livewell SW start discharge planning with the client as soon as an individual has been admitted into hospital.

Signed

Date: 12 July 2019

Note

- Written questions must be submitted to the Monitoring Officer via the Democratic Support Team.
- Written questions will be replied to within 10 working days.
- Written questions and answers will be published on the last Friday of each month.