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Home Teams Information

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Home Teams

Home Teams are a new way of delivering community services. They bring together community based health and social care practitioners into 8 individual, multi disciplinary teams across Dumfries and Galloway (these are shown on the map on page 4). This includes adult community nurses, adult social work, healthcare support workers, health and social care support workers, allied health professionals, health improvement practitioners, flow coordinators and business support. Home Teams are aligned to GP practices. Working in this way supports better coordination of care and support to enable Home Teams to adapt to meet the needs of their local population.

Home Teams are focused on delivering 5 different aspects of care and support in people's own homes:

Rapid response - Providing urgent care and support in the community for people being discharged from an emergency department, or who are in a crisis situation at home, hopefully preventing the need for a hospital admission.

Discharge to assess - Supporting people to be discharged from hospital on time and to have a comprehensive assessment of their needs in their own home.

Reablement and rehabilitation - Supporting people to recover from a period of ill health, or from a planned operation, to regain their independence.

Health and wellbeing - Supporting people to make positive lifestyle changes to improve their health and wellbeing outcomes.

Palliative and end of life care - Supporting people with a palliative diagnosis who choose to die in their own home.

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Summary information

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Home Team	Aligned GP practices	Estimated total population
Lower Annandale and Eskdale	Greencroft Medical Practice North, Greencroft South Medical Group, Gretna Surgery, Canonbie Surgery, Langholm Medical Partnership	23,000 people
Mid and Upper Annandale and Eskdale	Moffat Doctors, Lockerbie Medical Practice, Lochmaben Medical Group, Ecclefechan Surgery,	18,000 people
Dumfries Town (South)	Gillbrae Medical Practice, St Michaels Medical Centre, Shebburn Medical Practice	22,000 people
Dumfries Town (North)	Greyfriars Medical Centre, Charlotte Medical Practice, Lochthorn Medical Centre	27,000 people
Mid and Upper Nithsdale	Cairn Valley Medical Practice, Thornhill Medical Practice, Upper Nithsdale Group Practice	10,000 people
Stewartry	Castle Douglas (Dr Oliver and Partners), Castle Douglas Medical Group, Dalbeattie Medical Practice, Glenkens Medical Practice, Solway Medical Group	23,000 people
Machars	Cairnsmore Medical Practice, Galloway Hills Medical Group, Southern Machars Practice	12,000 people
Rhins	Lochnaw Practice, Lochinch Practice, Loch Ree Practice, Mull of Galloway Practice, Sandhead Surgery, Glenluce Surgery	17,000 people
	Source: Dumfries and Galloway Health and Socia	al Care Partnership