

Independence at Home

Age UK H&W's new service provides short term practical support to help you remain independent at home

What is 'Independence at Home'?

Practical support for adults in Worcestershire to improve their independence, health and wellbeing at home, while reducing the need for non-medical health and care support.

Eligibility:

Adults aged 18 and over

Not in support of fully funded social care package or long-term care

Resident of Worcestershire

Short term support:

- Providing a service to individuals to keep them in their own homes for as long as possible, in a caring and personalised manner
- Keeping people well, at home and away from hospital
- Reducing avoidable admissions through community support
- Aiding discharge from hospital
- Up to 3-day support plan (following assessment)

How to access the service?

- Open referral following discharge
- Admission prevention via healthcare professional

For more information, or to make a referral, contact the team.

There will be an **'Information Line'** available Saturday & Sunday 9am - 5pm for enquiries only, contact: **07503 687102**.

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