

## Community Care and Health

### Mental Health Services

#### What do we do?

We are a team of Social Workers and Community Support Workers based in Community Mental Health Teams throughout the Vale of Glamorgan. We carry out assessments under the N.H.S. and Community Care Act (1990), Unified Assessments under the Local Government Act (2000) and The Mental Health Act (1983) for people who suffer with mental health problems whose ordinary residence is within the area.

We also:

- Provide individuals with care and support within their own home.
- Arrange care within a nursing, residential setting rehabilitation setting.
- Review and reassess current care provision.
- Assess and intervene in situations where a Vulnerable Adult might be at risk.
- Provide advice and support to carers and families.
- Signpost to other agencies and professionals.

#### Who is the service for?

The service is aimed at people with mental health problems between the ages of 18 and 70 living within the Vale of Glamorgan who may require assistance with emotional, financial and social difficulties.

#### How can you find out more?

We accept referrals and liaise with people from a wide variety of backgrounds including:

- Self-referral, carers, family, friends and neighbours.
- Health professionals: GPs, Psychiatrist, Psychologist, Community Psychiatric Nurses and Hospital staff.
- Voluntary agencies.
- Other departments within the Authority including Housing and Children's Services.
- Probation, Police, Courts and Solicitors.

Enquiries to: Team Manager, Amy Evans Centre,  
190 Holton Rd, Barry, CF63 4HN  
Tel: 01446 733331

Opening hours of the centres are: 8.30am – 5.00pm Monday to Thursday  
8.30am – 4.30pm Friday

#### Further information:

A directory of current services and other contact details is available which details Residential, Nursing and Domiciliary Services provided within the Vale of Glamorgan. Copies are available from the Contact and Information Centre, Tel: 01446 731100

This leaflet is also available in other languages and in large print and other formats upon request.

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