WELCOME TO THE TRUST

Gloucester Charities Trust has a long history of providing affordable housing and practical assistance to older people in Gloucestershire.

The Trust also manages a residential home, a nursing home and a day centre, all of which help to create a seamless approach to supporting local people to live full and independent lives, both in their own homes and, if the need arises, in one of our specialist facilities.

OUR AIM

At The Gloucester Charities Trust we understand how important it is to feel settled and secure in later years of life and our aim is to make life a little easier by offering a range of high quality support services, all of which can be tailored to meet the unique needs of the individual.

We manage 133 self-contained retirement flats at four sites across the city, along with Magdalen House, our Nursing Home and Guild House, our residential facility.

We are proud to have recently added The Kimbrose Club, a day club for older people with memory loss or dementia completing what we call our 'circle of care' philosophy to meet the needs of local people.

Gloucester Charities Trust

The Trust is a Gloucester based charity which is registered to provide housing and support services for older people.

The Trust owns and manages: -

133 retirement flats on sites around the Gloucester City area
Guild House Residential Home
Magdalen House Nursing Home
The Kimbrose Club &
The Monday Club

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The Gloucester Charities Trust



Magdalen House

NURSING HOME

"Opening doors for older people in Gloucestershire"

What is Magdalen House?

Magdalen House is a registered nursing home for older people which specialises in caring for those with complex needs. At Magdalen House we provide a high standard of care delivered with dignity and respect to meet the unique needs of each individual in a safe, homely environment.

How do I get to Magdalen House?

Magdalen House is located near the city centre on main bus routes, with the railway station and the M5 motorway close by.

How can I apply?

We operate an open referral process and accept direct applications from individuals, families , GP's and Health and Social Care workers. Further information and application forms can be obtained by contacting Magdalen House on **01452 386331** or by visiting the home in person.

What can you expect at Magdalen House?

Residents have the choice of participating in a wide range of activities including: musical movement, quizzes, gardening, film shows, pamper sessions, trips out etc. There are secluded gardens and grounds for residents to enjoy.

Daily newspapers can be ordered in and the Chiropodist, Dentist and Optician visit regularly, as do representatives from the local community and faith organisations, encouraging an inclusive ethos.

The comfortable single rooms are decorated and furnished to a high standard with integral en-suite facilities.

Personalising the room is encouraged to create a home-from-home.

Visitors are welcomed and hospitality is always available! Family and friends of those in our care are encouraged to be included in the "Team" and can join us for meals, activities etc.

"Getting to know you" is vital to enable us to provide holistic care and to create a Plan of Care which is unique to the individual taking account of life history, likes, dislikes, relationships etc.



Meals

All our delicious, home cooked, meals are prepared on site in our kitchens from locally sourced fresh produce and are nutritionally balanced to meet our residents needs. Choice is the key and snacks are available throughout the day and night if required. We cater for a range of individual dietary needs and requests.

<u>Staff</u>

Our registered nurses and qualified care staff are experienced and skilled in caring for people with complex physical needs. The well trained staff team are fully supported by local health professionals (GP's, Chiropodists, Dentists etc.) to provide an excellent level of care to our residents.