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Forensic Support Service

Information for Referrers

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Helping people to be
the best they can be

The Team

We are a specialist team with expert knowledge and skills in the assessment, treatment and management of individuals with mental health and/or developmental disorders who engage in offending behaviour.

We are a multi-disciplinary team comprising of the following professionals: Specialist Nursing Practitioners; Occupational Therapist; Substance Misuse Practitioner; Forensic Psychiatrist; Clinical Psychologist; Clinical Support Worker and Speech and Language Therapist.

We are supported by our team secretary staff member.

Who is the service for?

The Forensic Support Service (FSS) is a tertiary service within CWP for individuals aged 18 and above who have been convicted and / or are considered at risk of offending. We aim to reduce the likelihood of secure hospital admission and support the transition back out of secure care provision.

We can also provide advice and consultation to secondary services for individuals aged 16 – 18 who meet the above criteria.

What does the team provide?

The team have expert knowledge in the following areas:

- Multiagency risk management
- Structured professional judgement assessment (SPJ such as HCR20, RSVP)
- Offence focused interventions in collaboration with partner agencies
- Single case supervision, consultation and review
- Training and staff development
- Input into care package design and risk management planning
- Liaison with criminal justice agencies
- Risk assessment and management formulation to assist with future care and placement planning.

Who can refer to the team?

The team will consider referrals from secondary services within CWP (community learning disability and mental health teams and in-patient services) for individuals who are open for care coordination.

Please note referrals for individuals not open to secondary services will need to be referred on and accepted prior to FSS involvement.

All patients being discharged from secure care pathways (i.e. Saddlebridge, Alderley and Maple step-down services) will automatically be open to an Outreach Practitioner within FSS.

How is a referral made?

Referrals are made by sending in a completed referral form (available from the team secretaries on request).

The referral will be discussed at the weekly team meeting and will be allocated to a team member for screening. A member of the team will be in touch to discuss the referral and establish intervention goals.

Referrals should be made via email:

cwp.forensicsupportreferrals@nhs.net

The team is based at:

Saddlebridge Recovery Centre
Soss Moss Hospital Site
Chelford Road
Nether Alderley
Cheshire
SK10 4UJ

Telephone: 01625 862418

Working hours are Mon-Fri 09.00-17.00hrs.

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