

Keys

Acquired Brain Injury Services

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Acquired brain injury services and Connected Support

Our **acquired brain injury** services are dedicated to providing support and neuro-rehabilitation for people with complex needs following a brain injury.

We understand that no two people and no two brain injuries are the same so we offer a variety of supportive pathways, personalised to suit each person's specific needs, including **Connected Support**.

We are focussed on the strengths, interests and dreams of everyone we support.

Keys **Connected Support** provides a national network of **Care, Education** and **Health** services for children, young people and adults, seamlessly connecting specialist schools, alternative learning solutions, children's homes, adult residential, supported living and neurodevelopment services.

We start with the individual, connecting the right expertise and the right service to each person. There are no predetermined pathways. Sometimes this means support from one service, sometimes it means many services working together.



Clinical input

Our clinical team work intensively with colleagues to support people to develop effective cognitive, communication, emotional and behavioural strategies.

Types of support available:

- + Neuro-Occupational Therapy
- + Neuro-Physiotherapy
- + Neuro-Psychiatry
- + Neuro-Psychology
- + Vocational Rehabilitation
- + Specialist Behaviour Input
- + Neuro-Speech and Language Therapy

All therapeutic input is incorporated into daily life in line with each persons goals and aspirations and progress is monitored through a recognised outcomes measurement tool. This is regularly reviewed by our multi-disciplinary team.



The Headway Approved Provider scheme

Three of our **acquired brain injury** residential services have successfully achieved Headway Approved provider status. The teams at **Isfryn**, **Chesterwood** and **Oakhill** have worked extremely hard to achieve this award. The process is rigorous and looks for specialist **acquired brain injury** support for people and their families in 33 domains.

This ensures that services gaining Approved Provider status can demonstrate the provision of appropriate specialist care for those with an Acquired Brain Injury. Key parts of the process include ensuring staff are aware of, and responsive to, issues associated with **acquired brain injury**, and that the service considers the other needs of the person, their family and carers.

Each successful service is accredited by Headway for a two year period as an Approved Provider.

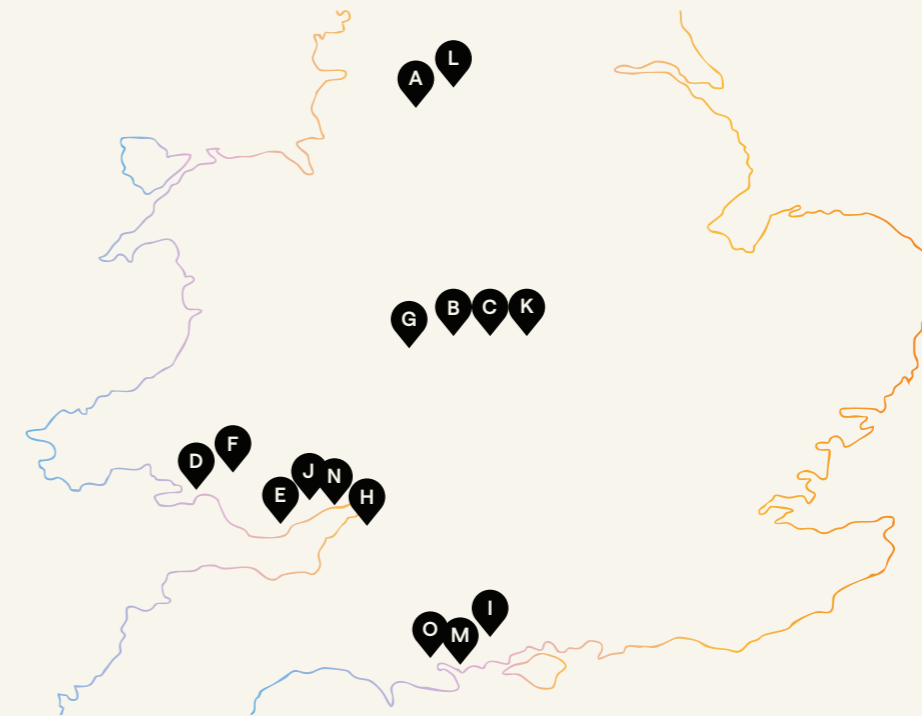
Positive steps

Our Positive Steps workshops take place in a safe environment, under the guidance and support of our clinical team, enabling people to develop their own cognitive and social skills, with a focus is on decision-making, attention, memory skills and social functioning.

Our homes

We offer a range of residential homes that support people to live somewhere that is right for them and we strive to support people to live as independently as possible, now and in the future.

All our residential homes provide personalised support, offering people greater choice and control over their own lives.



- A** *Byron Lodge, Blackley, Manchester*
12 studio apartments and
2 en-suite bedrooms
- B** *Chesterwood, Kings Heath, Birmingham*
5 en-suite bedrooms
- C** *Evergreen, Moseley, Birmingham*
8 en-suite bedrooms
- D** *Isfryn, Ystradgynlais, Swansea*
8 en-suite bedrooms
- E** *Kington House Annexe, Barry,
Vale of Glamorgan*
4 en-suite bedrooms
- F** *Oakhill, Fforestfach, Swansea*
7 en-suite bedrooms
- G** *The Grove, Kidderminster, Worcestershire*
12 en-suite bedrooms
- H** *Warmley Court, Warmley, Bristol*
10 en-suite bedrooms
- I** *Eilat, Charminster, Dorset*
6 en-suite bedrooms
- J** *Ty Newydd, Newport, Gwent*
6 en-suite bedrooms
- K** *Westholme, Moseley, Birmingham*
13 en-suite bedrooms
- L** *Boston House, Oldham, Manchester*
17 bedrooms
- M** *Willow Lodge, Bournemouth, Dorset*
9 bedrooms
- N** *Summerhill, Newport, Gwent*
12 en-suite bedrooms
- O** *Church Road, Bournemouth, Dorset*
8 bedrooms

Acquired brain injury support

Our **acquired brain injury** services are highly personalised and focus on the rehabilitation and development of people's skills, and we also support people with complex needs, including those with a dual diagnosis.

We have been providing services for people with an **acquired brain injury** for over 35 years and have a proven track record of supporting people into their own tenancies and supporting those who have previously been difficult to place.

Our **acquired brain injury** services can act as a short term 'step down' transitional service to promote skills for independent living, with medium to long term placements available, if appropriate, for people with significant long term needs.

We provide physical, cognitive, social and behavioural support to enable each person to build on their strengths, interests and aspirations and we actively promote community participation, autonomy and vocational pathways.



We support people who have:

- + Traumatic brain injuries
- + Stroke / aneurysms
- + Alcohol related brain injuries (including Korsakoff's syndrome)
- + Brain injuries as a result of hypoxia, encephalitis, meningitis and tumours
- + Physical and mobility needs
- + Diabetes, epilepsy and PEG care
- + Behavioural, psychological, emotional and forensic needs
- + Cognitive and executive functioning difficulties (memory, attention skills, information processing, insight, social, problem solving and planning difficulties)
- + Dual diagnosis with Mental Health or substance misuse

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I love having my own home, I have come so far from where I started my journey.

I am in the best place now and able to call it home. I am an adrenaline junkie and love to try new things, I even went jet skiing last year. I felt the need for speed!

I love being independent and love the staff team that support me. They listen and make my dreams possible.



Assessment tools

Our **acquired brain injury** assessment tool was developed in conjunction with Professor Roger Woods to ensure each person is thoroughly assessed for their current abilities. From the assessment, cognitive support plans are devised to support processing, insight, attention and executive function, to develop and review strategies and quickly identify any changes in support.

The aim of support strategies is always to enable the person to achieve the highest degree of independence possible.

All therapeutic input is integrated into daily strategies or measured goals in line with the person's aspirations. Progress on a rehabilitation pathway is monitored using recognised outcome measures and reviewed regularly by the multi-disciplinary team.

We facilitate family network groups and our clinical and management team are available to support families to understand whatever changes are occurring.



Person-centred support planning

Colleagues support each person to create a person-centred plan that tells us how they want to live their life, now and in the future, and each person is closely involved in the development of their own plan.

Through our specific **acquired brain injury** support plan, we provide a holistic approach to support, whilst enabling key progression areas to be identified for focused goal setting.

How we support people includes:

- + Working towards independence with personal care tasks
- + Skills building to manage money
- + Travel training to gain confidence and independence
- + Learning to stay healthy and exercising
- + Support with medication and health appointments



Keys Care

Children's residential homes and adult residential and supported living services for people with Mental Health needs, Learning Disabilities, Autism, and Acquired Brain Injuries.



Keys Education

A national network of schools and alternative learning provision, including Keys Inclusion Pathways that take education beyond the classroom, designed for young people who cannot access traditional or specialist schools.





Keys Health


Expert clinical, therapeutic and speech and language services to help children, young people and adults with neurodevelopmental needs, including ADHD and autism.


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