



# Enter and View visit report – Easy Read Ascot House Care Home 26<sup>th</sup> August 2015



# Acknowledgments

Thank you to everyone at Ascot House

# **Visiting Team**







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# Why we visited



To see how you are looked after



To talk to you



See how you and the staff get on



Talk to the staff

#### What we found

- You are well looked after
- Staff are helping you to live how you want

#### We think

Other homes could be as good as Ascot Lodge

# **Ascot Lodge said**

Thank you very much for the way in which you visited us. We all felt very comfortable with your visit.

#### **Results of Visit**

#### **Residents**

There are 6 residents.

We spoke to 2 - you like

and



**Angling** 

WELCOM.

Enter With

A Happy Heart

Gardening

#### **Staff**

6 staff work in the day

2 staff work at night

Staff are trained

Staff work with the Manager

#### **Environment**



Building well looked after and the garden is looked after

# **Privacy**



Residents have their own rooms and can have TV and Internet

# **Getting Involved**

Residents are involved in decision making and help with the care plans

### **Ongoing Medical Care**



Local GP comes to the home regularly



Residents have eye and teeth checks at the Lyng Health Centre.



All residents are looked after by the learning disability team.

## **Complaints**



The home deals with all complaints

#### Food



The home has been awarded 5 stars by Sandwell Council for food hygiene.

Residents also cook for themselves with help



The food is good



No alcohol is allowed in the home

# **Activities**



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#### What is Enter and View

Healthwatch can visit to see how people are looked after

We work with

- The Council
- The NHS
- Other groups

Our office is in Tipton

We help people to have their say