

**Supported Housing in the Sevenoaks District**  
**For People with Mental Health Issues and Learning Disabilities**

Please note you must be registered on Kent Homechoice and take advice from the Lifeways Team at West Kent Housing Association before you can be referred to any of these schemes. This document consists of 2 pages.

**21 Swanley Lane, Swanley, Kent.**

6 units of low level supported accommodation for people with mental health problems provided by Dartford and Gravesham Mind.

All flats are self contained and are fully furnished and equipped. Rent and Council Tax payments are normally covered by Local Housing Allowance and Council Tax Benefit but tenants pay their own bills to encourage independent living.

Tenants are visited by support staff every week but personal care is not provided.

For further information about the scheme contact Dartford and Gravesham Mind on 01322 291380, email [admin@dgsmind.co.uk](mailto:admin@dgsmind.co.uk) or visit [www.dgsmind.co.uk](http://www.dgsmind.co.uk)

**Vine Court Road, Sevenoaks, Kent.**

7 units of supported housing for people with enduring mental health problems provided by Rethink. The scheme consists of 5 bedsits and 2 self contained flats adjacent to the main house.

The scheme aims to promote life skills such as budgeting, education, leisure and social activities in order to prepare for moving on to either independent living or long term supported housing. The service is short stay for a maximum of two years and those who successfully move out into the community will continue to receive floating support which allows weekly contact with a support worker.

For further information about the scheme contact Rethink on 01732 742351, email [vinecourt@rethink.org.uk](mailto:vinecourt@rethink.org.uk) or visit [www.rethink.org](http://www.rethink.org).

**Greensands Supported Housing Scheme**

15 units of supported temporary accommodation in a shared house for single adults with mental health problems provided by Richmond Fellowship.

The emphasis of the Service is to support individuals in managing their own tenancy, through developing a range of skills that will enable them to live more independently in long term accommodation. The service is short stay for a maximum of two years.

For further information about the scheme contact Richmond Fellowship on 01732 743392, email [greensands@richmondfellowship.org.uk](mailto:greensands@richmondfellowship.org.uk) or visit [www.Richmondfellowship.org.uk](http://www.Richmondfellowship.org.uk) .

### **Freshfields and The Drive, Sevenoaks**

Freshfields consists of 9 units of supported accommodation and 42 The Drive consists of 6 units supported accommodation for people with mental health problems and is provided by Sevenoaks Area Mind.

Low level housing related support is available Monday to Friday during the day and there is an on call system for emergencies from Friday evening from 6pm to 9am Monday morning.

For more information on these schemes contact the Glen Dunlop Centre, Sevenoaks on 01732 459558, email [admin@sevenoaksareamind.org.uk](mailto:admin@sevenoaksareamind.org.uk) or visit [www.sevenoaksareamind.org.uk](http://www.sevenoaksareamind.org.uk) .

### **Ash Close, Edenbridge**

Eight bedroom supported housing scheme for people with learning difficulties in Edenbridge provided by Royal Mencap Society. Each tenant has their own bedroom and share communal facilities.

For further information on the scheme contact The Lifeways Team at West Kent Housing Association on 01732 749400, e-mail [lifeways@wkha.org.uk](mailto:lifeways@wkha.org.uk) .

### **Dunton Green**

This scheme comprises four one-bedroomed self contained flats for adults recovering from mental health issues provided by West Kent Housing Association. Tenants develop the skills needed to enable them to move on within two years, where floating support is offered to support independent living.

For further information on the scheme contact The Lifeways Team at West Kent Housing Association on 01732 749400, e-mail [lifeways@wkha.org.uk](mailto:lifeways@wkha.org.uk) or visit [www.westkent.org](http://www.westkent.org) .

### **16 Dartford Road, Sevenoaks**

9 flats in a large Victorian house offering supported housing for adults with learning disabilities provided by McIntyre Charity. Communal lounge and kitchen with support staff on site 24 hrs a day.

For more information on this scheme you can contact the scheme manager on 01732 743246, email: [referrals@mcintyrecharity.org](mailto:referrals@mcintyrecharity.org) or visit [www.McIntyrecharity.org](http://www.McIntyrecharity.org)