



Hanham Centre for Independent Living

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How we can help you

Our health and independence can be challenged at any time in our lives and may cause difficulties with our day to day activities and routines. We are here to work with you to identify practical solutions to these difficulties.

If you need information and advice on disability products, national and local suppliers, organisations and services we can help you find it.

If you want to find products that suit your individual needs, we can show you and let you try them for yourself. Nothing is for sale and the advice you get is impartial and free. A wide range of products are available for demonstration and assessment purposes:

- Bathing and showering products
- Riser recliner chairs and armchairs
- Scooters, wheelchairs and walking aids
- Meal preparation, feeding and drinking products
- Beds and associated products
- Toileting and continence products
- Moving and handling products
- Telecare products
- Curved and straight stair lifts (working)

Who we can help

The Centre for Independent Living is designed for people of all ages and disabilities, their carers and families, health and social care professionals, voluntary, community and business organisations.



When we can help

The centre is open for visitors to drop-in between 9am and 4pm Monday to Thursday and 9am to 3pm on Fridays.

Individual assessments with occupational therapy and other experienced staff need to be booked in advance, and are available Monday to Thursday 9am - 4pm and 9am – 3pm on Fridays.

The centre has three disabled parking spaces and there is a large public car park situated in Allenvie Road (opposite the Centre).

How you can contact us

We can be contacted by telephone on 01202 843560 or by email: hanhamilc@dorsetcc.gov.uk

Compliments and complaints

Adult and Community Services staff in Dorset are committed to providing quality services to our service users, their carers and families. We welcome comments from our service users as this helps us to understand what aspects of our service people like.

If you are unhappy about the service you have received and want to make a complaint, our fact sheet 'How to complain' describes the procedure. Our Complaints Officer can give you advice on the process and can be contacted on 01305 224322.

Diversity statement

Diversity is not about treating everyone in the same way, but about recognising and valuing difference, as well as recognising and addressing inequalities and disadvantage.

As an employer and service provider, Dorset County Council seeks to promote an environment that accepts and actively supports diversity in age, gender, ethnic origin, sexual orientation, religious belief, disability, culture, work style and the many other ways in which people differ from each other.

All our factsheets are available in large print and on audio cassette/CD, Braille, Easy to Read or alternative languages. Please contact the Information Office on 01305 224320.



Further information on services provided by Dorset County Council
Adult and Community Services can be accessed at
www.dorsetforyou.com

