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**Have Your Say: Help Shape the Future of Adult Mental Health Inpatient Services**

We need your input! A new survey is now open to help shape the future of adult mental health inpatient services across Shropshire, Telford, and Wrekin.

Health and care partners, including NHS Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin, Midlands Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust, local councils, and the voluntary and community sector, are working together to shape the new [Transforming adult mental health inpatient services strategy for 2024-27](https://www.shropshiretelfordandwrekin.nhs.uk/our-work/mental-health-transformation/mental-health-inpatient-quality-transformation-programme/).

The plan aims to:

* Provide earlier support and intervention
* Reduce avoidable hospital admissions
* Improve the quality of inpatient care when it is needed
* Ensure care is safe and effective
* Keep residents close to home and connected to support.

Your feedback is vital to ensuring that services are accessible, effective, and focused on what matters most to adults with mental health needs. By sharing your experiences and ideas, you’ll play a key role in shaping services that meet the diverse needs of our community.

**Who Should Participate:**

* Adults who have used mental health services
* Family members and carers of those who have used mental health services
* Professionals and volunteers who support adults with mental health needs

The survey is anonymous, and your responses will help ensure diverse representation, guiding future improvements and decision-making.

**Deadline for responses:** 4 November 2025
**Take part in the survey today:** [www.shropshiretelfordandwrekin.nhs.uk/get-involved/current-and-recent-work/adult-mental-health-inpatient-services/](http://www.shropshiretelfordandwrekin.nhs.uk/get-involved/current-and-recent-work/adult-mental-health-inpatient-services/)

Let’s work together to build a future where every adult has access to the mental health support they need to thrive.

For any questions or further information, contact us at stw.getinvolved@nhs.net

**SHORT COPY**

**Have Your Say: Shape the Future of Adult Mental Health Inpatient (Hospital) Services**

A new survey is open to gather your views and help shape future adult mental health inpatient services across Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin.

Health and care partners, including NHS Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin, Midlands Partnership University NHS Foundation Trust, local councils and community organisations, are working together on [a new strategy for 2024–2027](https://www.shropshiretelfordandwrekin.nhs.uk/wp-content/uploads/NHS-STW-Inpatient-Quality-Transformation-Strategy-FINAL.pdf). The goal is to provide earlier support, reduce avoidable admissions, improve inpatient care, and ensure people receive safe, effective treatment close to home. Your input is vital to help ensure future services truly reflect the needs and priorities of adults with mental health challenges living in the county.

Whether you are someone who has used mental health services, a carer, family member, or a professional or volunteer in this field, your feedback matters. The survey is anonymous and open until 4 November 2025.

**To take part, visit:**

[**www.shropshiretelfordandwrekin.nhs.uk/get-involved/current-and-recent-work/adult-mental-health-inpatient-services**](http://www.shropshiretelfordandwrekin.nhs.uk/get-involved/current-and-recent-work/adult-mental-health-inpatient-services)