The Hospital Communication Book

Each ward in the hospital has access to a Hospital Communication Book.

The Hospital Communication book has useful advice, pictures, signs, symbols which can be used to help communication.

Hospital Resource Pack

This is information to help hospital staff to care for people with a learning disability.

The Learning Disability Liaison Team

The Learning Disability Liaison Team works at:

- The Royal Sussex County Hospital
- The Sussex Eye Hospital
- The Princess Royal Hospital
- The Hove Poly Clinic Department

Contact us:

Monday - Friday
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Sussex Partnership NHS Foundation Trust
What do we do?

We help hospital staff to understand what people with learning disabilities need.

We give specialist nursing guidance and advice.

We help people with a learning disability and hospital staff to make sure the decisions they make are person centred.

My Care Passport

All patients should have a care passport. In the passport you can put important information staff need to know to look after you.

You should bring your care passport with you at every visit to show staff.

You can ask for a care passport template from the learning disability liaison team.

What do we use to help?

We can support you with:
- planned & emergency admissions
- outpatient appointments
- hospital discharge

We help people with a learning disability and their family or carers to get good care when they go to hospital.