



Listening to you to improve health services

Learning Disability and Mental Health

**you
said**

Family carers told us when someone with a learning disability was admitted to the adult mental health inpatients ward, the staff did not understand the person's needs.

we did

We looked closely at experience of a patient with a learning disability (LD) in the Swallownest Adult Inpatient Unit.

We spoke to the Adult Mental Health Service and Nursing Care Homes about how we could improve the quality of mental health services provided to people with LD and Autism.

Changes in the future:

- We are working with SpeakUp Self-Advocacy to carry out visits to both Swallownest and Woodlands, helping us to find ways to improve these services for people with learning disabilities.
- We will deliver training on Learning Disability Awareness to mental health staff working in adult services.

Is there something you want to tell us about health services?

If so please email NHS Rotherham CCG at Rotherhamccg@rotherhamccg.nhs.uk, or call us on 01709 302042



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