

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

In Wirral, Cheshire & Wirral Partnership NHS Trust in conjunction with the Metropolitan Borough of Wirral Authority are the main providers of mental health and social care services, contributing to the support of individuals, families and communities affected by mental illness and learning disability related problems. They provide a mixture of services for all ages, both in the community and hospital setting.

Services can be accessed via:

- your GP
- Wirral's Central Advice and Duty Team (0151 606 2006)
- **or in an emergency** via Arrowe Park Hospital Accident and Emergency Department.

Also see below for details of further mental health services that offer support.

Advocacy in Wirral

68 - 74 Woodside Business Park
Birkenhead
CH41 1EP

Tel: 0151 650 1530

Email: admin@alw.org.uk

Opening hours: Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm. Sessions also delivered in other venues.

To provide advice and representation to people experiencing mental health problems, including alcohol/drug issues.

Services provided:

- welfare benefit/housing/debt advice
- representation/support through complaints procedures/appeals
- representation/support in care planning meetings.



Cheshire & Wirral Partnership NHS Foundation Trust – Wirral Locality Adult Mental Health – Dual Diagnosis Service

The Stein Centre
St Catherine's Hospital
Derby Road
Birkenhead
CH42 0LQ

Tel: 0151 488 7708/9

Website: www.cwp.nhs.uk

Opening hours: Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm

To provide advice, support and treatment to adults with a severe and longstanding mental health disorder and substance misuse issues. Also can provide training on/around dual diagnosis and its impact (for professionals and carers).

How to access:

Professional referral via GP only.

Facilities provided:

Disabled facilities and hearing loop.

Family Tree

Stein Centre
St Catherine's Hospital
Derby Road
Birkenhead

Tel: 0151 488 7708

A service which works with carers who support people experiencing specific mental health problems. Please ring for more details.

Social Services Adults' Department (please see page 72)

Wirral MIND

90-92 Chester Street
Birkenhead
CH41 5DL

Tel: 0151 512 2200

Email: admin@wirralmind.org.uk

Opening hours: Monday - Thursday 9am - 6pm,
Friday 9am - 8pm, Saturday 10am - 4pm, Sunday 10am - 5pm.

Services provided:

The following services for adults with mental health problems in a fully accessible building:

- drop in service at the MIND Fountain Project
- supported housing and outreach housing support
- counselling, advocacy and befriending
- training and education.

How to access:

Will accept appropriate referrals from any source, usually GP or mental health professional.