

## Care Home Information Sheet

### Feasibility Study of communal facilities and individual needs

#### Assessment and report for refurbishment of facilities i.e. bathroom /toilet / entrance

To include assessment of bathroom/individual service users (for purposes of study) assess clients with different disabilities to get an idea of needs within Residential Home

#### Request for Assessment and report tasks involved are as follows :

##### Feasibility:

- Reading case files and understanding needs of service users
- Discussing bathing needs with Key workers, carers, service user (if able)
- Observing present practise in bathroom with workers and service user – only ones with particular needs therefore might need to see all residents
- Surveying bathroom layout, positioning of facilities/equipment, taking dimensions including rough sketch
- Writing up assessment and using to draft up Report with recommendations
- Sending draft copy of report to ensure Referrer is happy with content before submitting final draft
- Completion of specification for bathrooms
- Completion of diagrams with dimensions for each bathroom/toilet etc
- Completion of order form for equipment/adaptations as necessary

##### Report to include:

- Identified problems/ needs of service user/Care staff
- Identified risks
- Recommendations with costing for equipment, adaptations, training etc
- Additional information about products recommended, medical conditions etc.
- Summary/outcome
- **For Group reports** – provide one overall report which includes assessment of the environment, service users and care staff to ensure safe practise/standards within home.

##### Additional Individual residents assessments

– include additional needs of each service user within home to include risk assessment and manual handling within report.

If you have any further questions, or if there is any other way in which we can help, please do not hesitate to call us on 01223 501603 and ask to speak with Delia Naylor – Co director of Access Independent or Annalisa Roper – OT Contracts Manager.



**ACCESSINDEPENDENT**  
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY AT YOUR FINGERTIPS