



Sarcp Staffordshire Care Association Membership Brochure 23/24

About Us

Sarcp is a member care association representing adult social care services in Stoke and Staffordshire.

Mission; To support and represent the business interests of Staffordshire providers, with a collective representative voice, enabling proactive relationships with local partner organisations to promote viable high-quality services.

Sarcp has an Executive Board of independent care provider proprietors/senior managers and professional consultants.

Services we support include

- Registered Care Homes
- Day Opportunities
- Home Care Agencies
- Learning Disability Services
- Voluntary Services
- Community Services

Key Outcomes

- A sustainable, viable social care and support sector in Staffordshire that offers those in need of adult social care, high quality services that help them live their best possible lives.
- Well informed members
- Professional image and clear understanding of social care and support across a range of audiences
- A resilient workforce
- Effective partnerships with the Local Authorities and statutory sector through key stakeholder groups and activities
- Collaborative networks for care and support providers to share practice and learning
- A strong representative voice for the independent adult care and support sector providers in Staffordshire

Membership Benefits

- **Training**
Facilitation of high-quality courses that promote high standards across the care sector. Available to members at a discounted rate
- **Representation**
To ensure the sector has a strong voice locally to inform commissioning of care, decision making and planning
- **Information and Advice**
Accurate, relevant and up to date information service and responsive advice to members and stakeholders
- **Networking**; Promote engagement and support to enable members to work together and share information locally
- **Workforce Development**; Promote the importance of investment in the development of staff and opportunities within the sector
- **Liaison and Lobbying**; We engage with local authorities, the integrated Care Board (ICB) and MPs on behalf of the sector. We are a member of the Care Association Alliance which represent all regional care associations in England

Our Membership Values

Safe – acting with confidence when making decisions, ensuring they are informed by evidence, insights and knowledge of our members and lived experience of the people who use care and support services in Staffordshire.

Active – engaging with local authorities, ICB's, regional and national associations to ensure members' collective voice is heard.

Resilient – supporting members to adapt during difficult, challenging periods to maintain provision of quality, viable services.

Competent – ensuring members have up to date knowledge, training and information to support compliance.

Professional – ensuring productive collaborative relationships with partners and members.



Service Standards; Our Commitment To You

We will

- Contact all new members within 14 days of joining SarcP for a personal one to one welcome conversation about their service needs and how we can best support them
- Contact at least 4 times a year for a 1:1 review of membership
- Respond to all enquiries within 5 working days
- Send regular bulletins on updates to local, regional, and national information.
- Listen to member feedback and amend our services to meet needs

Membership Annual Fees

Care Homes : £250 (>10 beds) £300 (10-30) £350 (31-50) £400 (50+)

£110 per additional home

Home Care : £250

£110 per additional agency

Day Opportunities : £175

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