



Priory's Brain Injury Services

Case studies

Priory's Brain Injury Services across the country provide a person-centred approach to care, and aim to maximise people's independence and quality of life through our tailored neurorehabilitation and care plans.

In this brochure, you can learn more about the positive outcomes achieved throughout our Brain Injury Services, and read stories from a number of people who have been supported, as they share their experiences:

Elm Park

The specialised neurobehavioural rehabilitation programme offered at Elm Park can help patients to better understand and self-manage their cognitive, behavioural and emotional changes following a brain injury. Former patients, Andrew and Michael, both now living independently, share their experiences of the programme at Elm Park.

Priory Elm Park
Andrew's story

Following a severe neurobehavioural rehabilitation programme for people with an acquired brain injury (ABI), Priory Elm Park, in Essex, aims to reduce challenging behaviour and optimise functional skills, including increasing social engagement through the provision of a graded independence programme.

Andrew, a 45-year-old man, was admitted to Priory Elm Park in 2017 with an ABI caused by a motor vehicle accident. He had significant challenges with his behaviour, including aggression, and was unable to live independently. He was admitted to a general hospital, where he became frustrated, angry and confused by people and things around him. He had trouble understanding how to carry out simple tasks and had no awareness of his own feelings and emotions. Andrew had been in hospital for 18 months before being admitted to Elm Park.

Andrew was in need of a rehabilitation programme to address his memory deficit, and to learn to regulate and personally manage his mood and support to carry out activities of daily living so that he could live independently. He was referred to a specialist care pathway.

After 12 weeks of neurobehavioural rehabilitation at Elm Park, Andrew's anger and frustration were a significant improvement. Andrew quickly moved through the programme and was able to live independently. He is now a member of the local community and is supported by Elm Park.

Care pathway

Andrew was discharged to an independent living service and set up to live at Elm Park and Elm House. He has a good awareness of his feelings and emotions, and is able to manage his mood. He has a job and is a member of the local community. He is supported by Elm Park.

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Priory Elm Park
Michael's rehabilitation journey

Michael was only 18 when he sustained his brain injury from falling from a roof. He was unable to walk or talk, he was disorientated to place and time, and unable to recognise his family.

After a period of care in a specialist hospital, Michael had an excellent and varied medical history but was discharged and placed in a care home. He was unable to live independently and was unable to manage his own care. He was admitted to a general hospital, where he became frustrated, angry and confused by people and things around him. He had trouble understanding how to carry out simple tasks and had no awareness of his own feelings and emotions. Michael had been in hospital for 18 months before being admitted to Elm Park.

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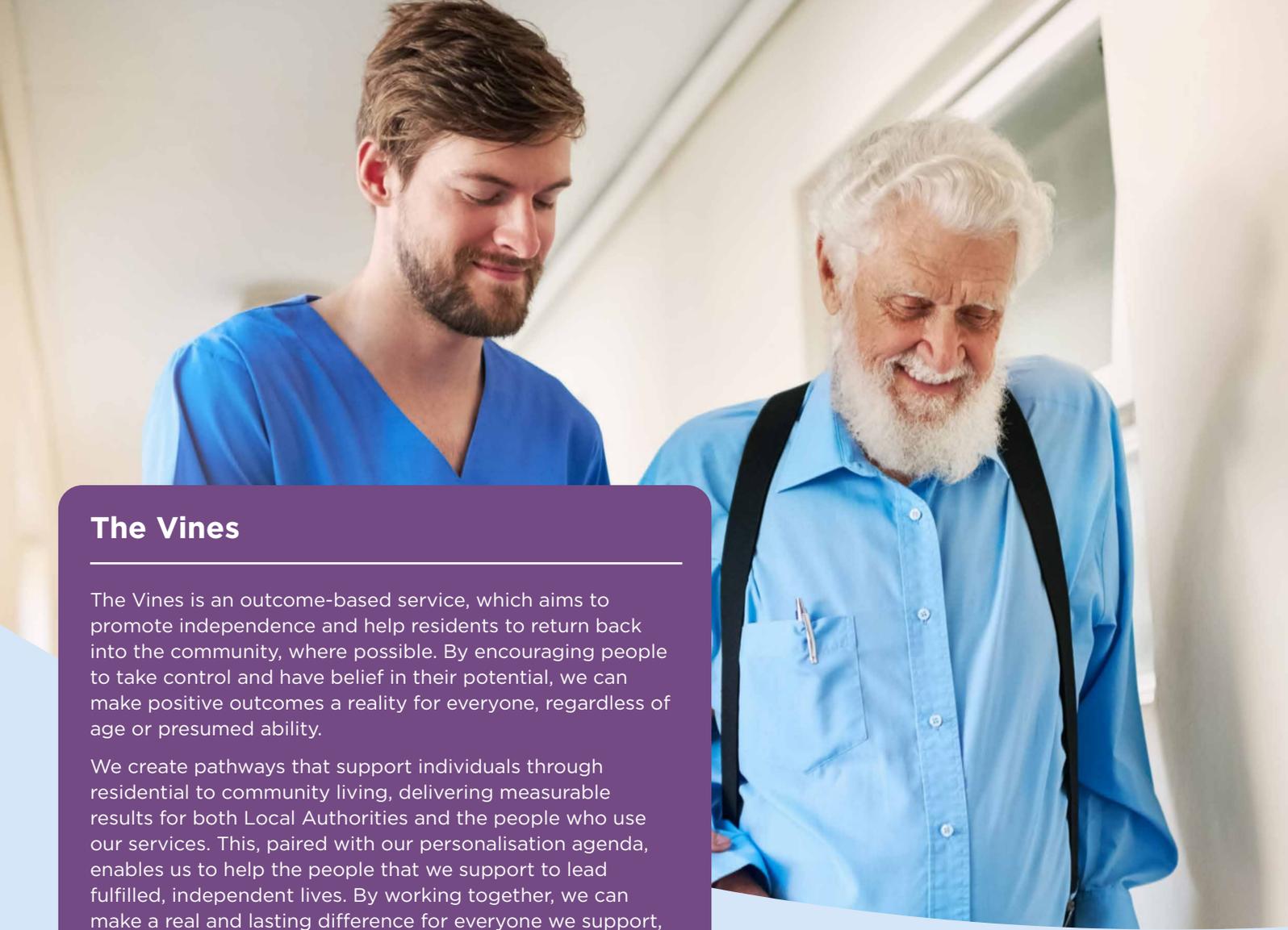
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The Vines

The Vines is an outcome-based service, which aims to promote independence and help residents to return back into the community, where possible. By encouraging people to take control and have belief in their potential, we can make positive outcomes a reality for everyone, regardless of age or presumed ability.

We create pathways that support individuals through residential to community living, delivering measurable results for both Local Authorities and the people who use our services. This, paired with our personalisation agenda, enables us to help the people that we support to lead fulfilled, independent lives. By working together, we can make a real and lasting difference for everyone we support, enhancing their lives and helping them to reconnect with their community, families and friends.

Click here to read the positive outcomes achieved at The Vines



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