

Local Authorities

Local Authorities provide Adult and Children's Social Care, Safeguarding, Public Health and other general council services.

Shropshire Council General Enquiries Line

Tel: 0345 678 9000

Email:

customer.feedback@shropshire.gov.uk

Telford and Wrekin Council Customer Relationship Team

Tel: 01952 382006

Email:

customer.relationship@telford.gov.uk



If you live in Wales and need advice...

Community Health Councils

South Powys

Tel: 01874 624206

Email:

enquiries.powyschc@waleschc.org.uk

North Powys

Tel: 01686 627632

Email:

enquiries.powyschc@waleschc.org.uk

Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board

Tel: 03000 851234

Email:

concernsteam.bcu@wales.nhs.uk

Advocacy Services

If you need help to make your complaint you can contact the Independent Health Complaints Advocacy Service. These services are there to help people understand what their options are and to support them through the NHS complaints process.

Shropshire Healthwatch Shropshire

Tel: 01743 237884

Email:

enquiries@healthwatchshropshire.co.uk

Telford and Wrekin POhWER

Tel: 0300 456 2370

Email:

pohwer@pohwer.net



Ombudsman

If you are unhappy with the way in which the NHS or Local Authority has handled a complaint and you have exhausted processes locally, then you can request a review with the relevant Ombudsman.

Local Authority

Local Government and Social Care Ombudsman

Tel: 0300 061 0614

Online:

www.lgo.org.uk

NHS - Health Services

Parliamentary and Health Service Ombudsman

Tel: 0345 015 4033

Online:

www.ombudsman.org.uk

Shropshire and Telford Complaints and Patient Advice and Liaison (PALS)



Worried or concerned about your care and don't know who to talk to?

Your local PALS team is on hand to offer advice and support

This leaflet provides contact details for local health and social care organisation's Complaints and PALS Teams across Shropshire and Telford and Wrekin.

There are several organisations who provide health and social care within Shropshire and Telford and Wrekin area and service users are encouraged to contact these organisations directly if they require any advice or have any concerns about the service that they have received.

Most organisations have a Patient Advice and Liaison Service (PALS). PALS are there to offer guidance and support and may be able to resolve any issues without the need for a formal complaint.

In addition to this, service users can also seek advice or raise concerns with the organisation who buy local services. This may be the local NHS Shropshire, Telford and Wrekin, the Local Authority or NHS England, depending on the service the query relates to.

NHS Shropshire Telford and Wrekin

are responsible for buying local health services (with exception of those services detailed in Primary Care below)

NHS Shropshire Telford and Wrekin

Tel: 01952 580407

Email: stw.patientservices@nhs.net



Primary Care

(Ophthalmologists and local prison health). NHS England are responsible for Complaints regarding Primary Care Services

NHS England Complaints

Tel: 0300 311 22 33

Email: england.contactus@nhs.net

Hospitals

The Shrewsbury and Telford Hospital Trust provide the general hospital services within Shropshire and Telford and Wrekin.

Royal Shrewsbury Hospital

PALS Tel: 01743 261691 or 0800 783 0057

Princess Royal Hospital

PALS Tel: 01952 641222 Ext 4382

PALS Email: sath.pals@nhs.net

Complaints Tel: 01743 261000 (ext. 2600)

Complaints Email: sath.complaints@nhs.net

Robert Jones and Agnes Hunt Orthopaedic Hospital

Provides specialist orthopaedic care.

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PALS

Provides specialist orthopaedic care.

PALS/Complaints Tel: 01691 404606

Email: rjah.pals.office@nhs.net

Email: complaints: rjah.complaints@nhs.net



Mental Health Services

Midlands Partnership NHS Foundation Trust is responsible for providing Mental Health Services within the Shropshire and Telford and Wrekin area. Including: - The Redwoods Centre, Community Mental Health Teams, Learning Disabilities Services and Children and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS).

Midlands Partnership NHS

Foundation Trust

PALs and Formal Complaints

Tel: 0800 783 2865

Email: palsandexperience@mpft.nhs.uk

Email: mpftinvestigationsteam@mpft.nhs.uk

Community Services

Shropshire Community Trust services include:-

District Nursing, Community

Physiotherapy, Specialist Nursing, Community Hospitals (Bridgnorth, Bishop's Castle, Ludlow and Whitchurch), Telford Musculoskeletal Service

Shropshire Community Trust

PALS and Complaints

Tel: 01743 277689 or 0800 032 1107

Email: shropcom.customerservices@nhs.net

Complaints

Tel: 01743 277616



Transport Services

Emergency Transport

West Midlands Ambulance Service

PALS

Tel: 0300 303 0996

Email: pals@wmas.nhs.uk

Complaints

Tel: 0300 303 0996

Email: complaints@wmas.nhs.uk

Non-Emergency Transport

E-Zec

Tel: 0300 777 8844

Email: patientexperience@e-zec.co.uk