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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT

I am responding to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. The answers to your specific questions are as follows:

Could you please provide me with details of the function and structure of the Care Home Support Rehabilitation Pathways.

The Joint Community Rehabilitation Service is able to provide a rehabilitation service for residents who reside within East Sussex care homes.

The Service is able to provide:

- Falls prevention advice and, if required, interventions.
- Rehabilitation and the equipment needed to support this, should it be recognised that a resident has the potential to return to their normal baseline e.g. following an infection.
- In some instances, if the referral meets the Service description, by working in partnership with other services, the Service can sometimes facilitate a resident in returning to their own home environment if that is what is wished for, and if it is possible.

The Joint Community Rehabilitation Service is able to be accessed via a referral from a Health or Social Care professional.

If I can be of any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Should you be dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your request, you have the right to request an internal review. Please write to the Freedom of Information Department (<u>eshtr.foi@nhs.net</u>), quoting the above reference, within 40 working days. The Trust is not obliged to accept an internal review after this date.

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The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113

Yours sincerely

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