

#### Support to live your best life & confidence to care



Identify as a carer



Carers assessment, needs & eligibility



Information and advice



Support plan (person centred)



Preventative community based support



Digital information and support



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Email: Shropshire.Carers@shropshire.gov.uk

Shropshire Carers support line on: 01743 341995 (Monday to Friday) 10am - 4pm (Tues 5pm - 7.30pm)

www.shropshire.gov.uk/shropshire-choices/caring-for-someone-else/



<sup>\*</sup> If you are helping someone unpaid, with daily living tasks, who cannot manage without your support, you are a carer. The above are options to support you to live your best life.

### **Service offered to Carers in Shropshire**

- 1:1 support we work with you to explore the options available to you as a care r.
- Information and advice personal ised for you.
- Support Line 01743 341995 - operating Mon-Fri - 9-00am till 5-00pm

(Tues till 7.30pm, Sat 9.30 am - 12pm)

- Signposting or referral to specialist advice and support - e.g. benefits advice, advocacy.
- Local carer peer support groups virtual and in your community
- Events and activities.

Carer Register – a means of sharing important information quickly with you by a method that suits you best. With enrolment to the Carer Register, you will also receive a carer ID card, emergency plan and a free 5-part email course delivered by Mobilise

Online – digital support for carers.

- Hospital Carer Support Practitioner available to
- Regular contact to check on your wellbeing, support you while the person you care for has been and unpaid carers. admitted to hospital.
  - Assistance with planning ahead - the right information at the right time.
  - Information and training workshops - a calendar of activities that you can join

# Carers Support

**Shropshire Carers Support Team is a dedicated** team, within Shropshire Council, providing information, advice and support to adult family

> Our vision is to enable carers to live their best lives by providing timely and quality information and support.

We are not a time limited service and may be working with individual carers for a short time or for longer periods of time. Carers may dip in and out or our service, depending on their individual needs.

We continually work to ensure we embrace diversity, responding to and meeting the needs of all adult carers.

#### How to refer

Carers can self-refer, or referrals are made via statutory, voluntary and community sector organisations.

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