

Care homes – we need your help!

What's going on?

Delayed discharges of people who are medically fit to leave hospital – formally known as delayed transfers of care (DTOC) and unfairly, known as ‘bed-blocking’ – are a major reason for high bed occupancy.

The project

The University of Kent, are conducting a feasibility study in care homes about the impact of short-term residential care home beds on DTOC among the older population.

The study is taking place June 2021 – May 2022.

We would like to invite 25 care home managers to the study.

Participation will involve an interview by telephone or online.

You will receive a certificate of participation and a £20 gift voucher for the care home as a thank you.

Recruitment

If you are interested in participating in the study, send us an email and we will be in touch!

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