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**SOUTH EAST WALES ADULT PLACEMENT** / **SHARED LIVES SCHEME** offers a service for vulnerable adults with Adult Placement Carers in their local community. Individuals using adult placement services are given the opportunity to be supported in carers' homes and local communities.

Placements are tailored to the needs and requirements of each individual. The service is flexible and enables a wide range of people to live more independent lives, to develop their involvement in the local community, to learn new skills and have new experiences.

Individuals have the choice to be involved in the carer's family and social networks. Carers are recruited from all walks of life following an intensive assessment and training period, and provide a personalised high quality service.

The scheme offers placements in the six local authority areas of Blaenau Gwent, Caerphilly, Merthyr Tydfil, Monmouthshire, Newport and Torfaen.

## **TYPES OF SERVICE PROVIDED**

# LONG TERM

Accommodation and support in the carer's home on a long term basis, with the opportunity to be involved in family and household life.

#### **SHORT TERM**

Accommodation and support in the carer's home for a time limited period. Short term placements may be offered to help a person develop their skills and confidence, as a stepping-stone to greater independence.

## RESPITE

Respite with an adult placement family, after an allocation has been agreed by a social worker. People will return to the same family for regular respite.

# EMERGENCY

Accommodation and support provided at short notice, possibly because of a family crisis or illness.

# SESSIONAL SUPPORT

Support from an adult placement carer during the day, evenings or weekends. The support may be offered in the carer's home or in the local community.

#### To find out more about the South East Wales Adult Placement / Shared Lives Scheme you can:

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