



Briar Hill House care home

A photograph of an elderly Black man with a grey beard and glasses, wearing a purple button-down shirt. He is sitting in a brown armchair, smiling warmly at the camera. His hands are clasped in his lap. To his left is a green potted plant, and to his right is a window showing green foliage outside. A person's hand is visible on the right side of the frame, resting on the arm of the chair.

*Live later
life well*

Nursing and palliative care in Rugeley

The care home where *life flourishes*

Briar Hill House has been a central part of the Rugeley community for over 30 years. Originally a cottage hospital, it was transformed into a care home and has since built a reputation for outstanding care.

With 36 ensuite bedrooms, the home offers nursing care in a homely and supportive environment designed for comfort and connection.

Located just off Brereton Road, the home is a short distance from Ravenhill Park, Cannock Chase Forest, and local amenities such as shops and cafés. The secure courtyard and landscaped gardens wrap around the building, providing residents with stunning views and peaceful outdoor spaces for relaxation.



Briar Hill House care home is proud to be rated Outstanding by the CQC.



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At Briar Hill House, we are more than just a care home, we are a family. Every day, I have the privilege of supporting our residents with compassion, dignity, and love. Providing care here isn't just my job, it's my way of giving back and making sure everybody feels truly valued and at home.

Lorraine Beirne, Home Manager



Gardens that spark *connection and calm*

The gardens at Briar Hill House offer a serene retreat, thoughtfully designed with a pagoda, tranquil water feature, and raised planting beds. Residents often take pleasure tending to the gardens, discovering a sense of purpose and joy in nurturing flowers and greenery.

Enclosed within the grounds, the courtyard becomes a sun-drenched haven during the warmer months - an inviting space for outdoor gatherings, from lively summer BBQs to traditional garden parties. A charming summer house provides a shaded sanctuary, perfect for enjoying a leisurely tea or lunch while admiring the beautifully kept surroundings.

Whether seeking a quiet moment of reflection or embracing the camaraderie of a community event, the gardens are a cherished extension of home - offering beauty, relaxation, and a deep connection to nature.

Sweet comfort *in every bite*

From the comforting familiarity of a Sunday roast to the simple pleasure of a freshly baked scone, dining at our home is a celebration of good food and great company.

Our menus are thoughtfully crafted with input from residents, ensuring that every meal reflects their tastes, traditions, and dietary needs.

Head Chef Tracey has been at the heart of our kitchen for five years, earning a well-deserved reputation for her delicious cakes - always a highlight of birthdays and special occasions.

But sweet treats aren't her only specialty. Our residents enjoy the traditional Sunday lunches, crispy battered fish and chip Fridays and dishes inspired by world cuisine, there's always something tempting emerging from the kitchen.

With fresh ingredients delivered daily, our menus are always brimming with inspiration for hearty, homecooked meals that offer warmth and comfort. After all, for us, food is more than just nourishment - it's about tradition, togetherness, and the unmistakable taste of home.



What you can expect at Briar Hill House:

- Meals are freshly prepared by our in-house chef.
- Menus are designed around seasonal produce.
- Ingredients are sourced locally wherever possible.
- Drinks and snacks are on-hand 24 hours a day.

Take a look at our sample menu:

Lunch

Traditional roast pork
with apple sauce.

or

Goats' cheese, spinach
and tomato quiche.

*All served with seasonal potatoes
and roasted root vegetables.*

Watermelon sorbet.

Evening meal

Soup of the day, with a
selection of sandwiches.

or

Cheese and potato pie.

Lemon drizzle cake.







Unlike *any other care home*

Rated 'Outstanding' by the Care Quality Commission (CQC), Briar Hill House is a home where exceptional care and heartfelt dedication go hand in hand. Offering residential, nursing, and palliative care, our team is committed to ensuring every resident feels supported, valued, and truly at home.

Many of our team have been part of the Briar Hill family for over 15 years - a testament to their passion, loyalty, and the deep connections they build with residents. For those with complex care needs, we also provide specialised therapy, delivering expert support with warmth and compassion.

At Briar Hill House, care is more than just a service - it's about trust, relationships, and creating a place where residents can feel safe, comfortable, and cared for every single day.



Briar Hill House is one big family. All staff are so lovely, and the welcome you get as you come into the care home is fabulous. All residents are treated as individuals, with staff going the 'extra mile' to make them happy and well looked after.

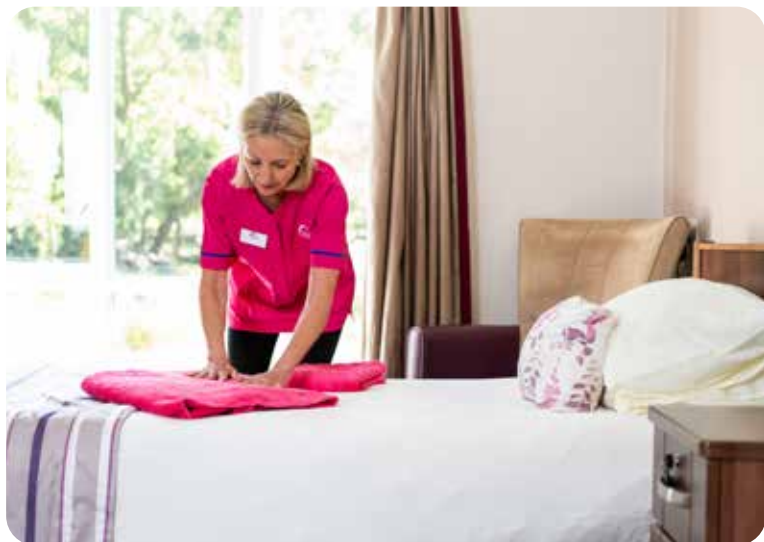
[Carehome.co.uk](https://carehome.co.uk) review

Our commitments to you:

- You'll remain in control of your care and support. Always.
- You'll be supported by a caring, compassionate team.
- You'll benefit from proven and pioneering therapies.
- You'll be valued and respected in a like-minded community.
- You'll be free to make this home your own – inside and out.

Facilities

- Single furnished ensuite rooms.
- Wheelchair accessible with lifts to upper floors.
- Comfortable lounges and communal areas including a beautiful mezzanine.
- Hairdressing salon for care and pampering.
- 24/7 nurse call system in every room.
- Landscaped gardens with patio areas.
- Dedicated chaplain for spiritual support or private reflections.





Living later life well

Life here is always buzzing with fun, laughter, and plenty of ways to get involved. Whether it's getting crafty with card-making, whipping up treats for a bake sale, or simply enjoying a good chat over a cup of tea, there's something for everyone to enjoy.

Music is at the heart of daily life - expect lively singalongs, uplifting music sessions, and fantastic performances from visiting entertainers. And when Christmas rolls around, our very own chaplain, Karen, takes the spotlight as writer and director of the annual staff pantomime - always a highlight of the year!

There's never a dull moment, with seasonal celebrations like the beach party and summer fayre bringing residents, relatives and people from our local area together for food, music, and fun in the sun.

We also love making personal milestones extra special, like when Ian and Jane celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary, everyone likes a feel-good party, and the community spirit ensures that events like this are marked in a way that creates new memories for all.





Here *for you...*

Whether you're searching for yourself or a loved one, for nursing and palliative care, our team at MHA's Briar Hill care home will be here to help.

We understand that searching for a care home can be a confusing time for any family. So we hope it's reassuring to know that our doors are always open.

Our advice is always generous. Our residents are always eager to welcome a new character into the fold. And our charitable ethos will always guide everything we do.

We'll be ready to support whenever you need us:



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Proud to be part of MHA

For more than 80 years, families have been choosing MHA to support the needs and aspirations of their loved ones in later life.

People have been forging friendships through our community programmes. Fundraising to drive our charitable goals. And spreading the warmth, comfort and spirituality that you'll find across every MHA care home, community and development.

It's always for one reason, which will *a/ways* stay the same: helping older people to live later life well.



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