DISTRICT NURSING

The District Nursing Team provides nursing care to the housebound. Our referral criterion includes the following: -

- In-depth assessment of health needs Wound and leg ulcer assessment and treatment
- Palliative care / Continuing care
- Clinical procedures such as Hickman/Picc lines, breast drains, pleurex drains
- Blood tests
- Catheterisations and follow up care
- Carers' support and advice
- Acute disease management e.g. post-operation care, urinary infection
- Continence Assessment, including bladder and bowel care
- Skin flap injuries or minor injuries
- Vaccinations
- · Liaison and multi-agency referrals
- Health Promotion

The District Nursing Team is based at Tiverton and consists of:

Team leads -

- Victoria Bennett
- Francessca Venner
- Sharon Smith
- Rachael Dunsford
- Claire Ruby

Matron - Susan Nyandoro

Community Nurses -

- Alexandra Back
- Karen Barritt
- Bethany Dinsdale
- Amanda English
- Sophie Greenslade
- Julie Hawkins
- Kimberley Langstaff
- Janet Moore
- Deborah Norwell
- Samantha Varndell
- Zoe WIlliams
- Natasha Yendell

Clinicians -

- Megan Williams
- Corinna Challis
- Nicole Brown
- Jennifer Saunders
- Karen (Kaz) Stocker

Phlebotomist - Lynn Weeks

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