

# Provision of Nursing Homes and Home Care

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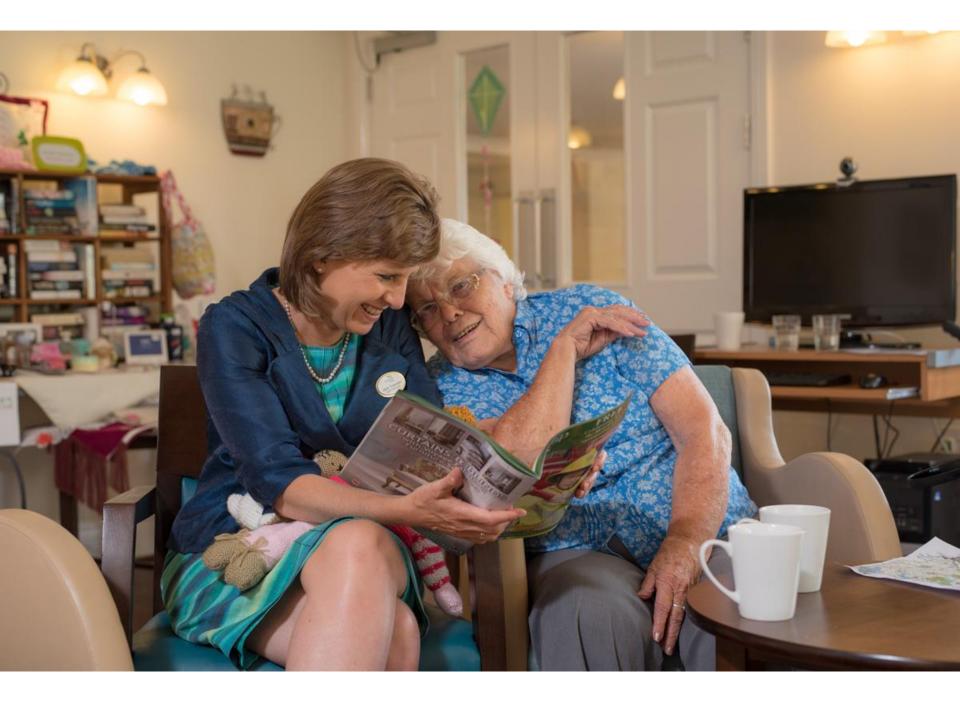
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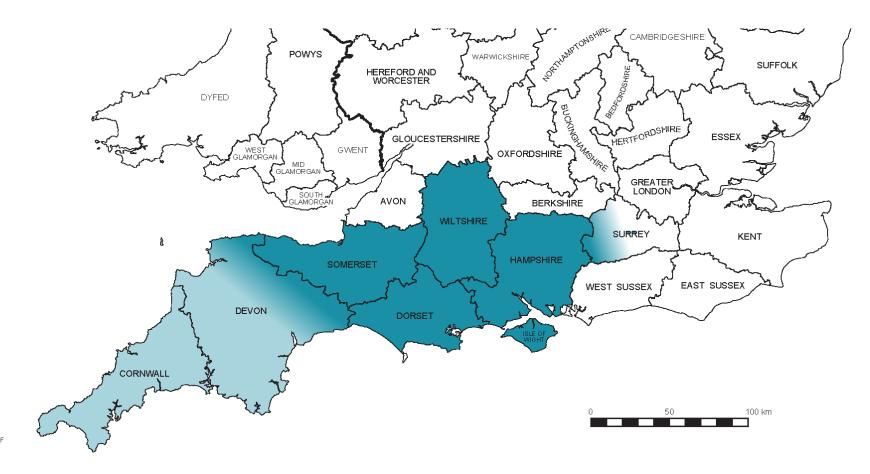




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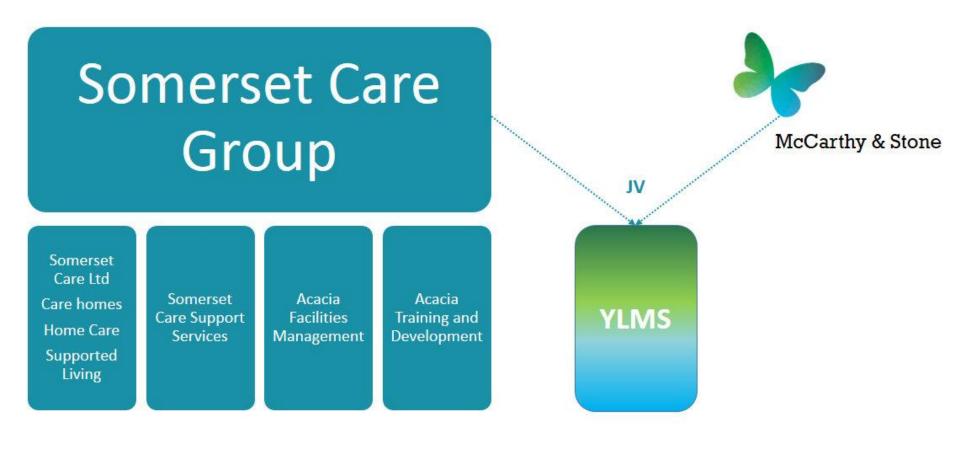
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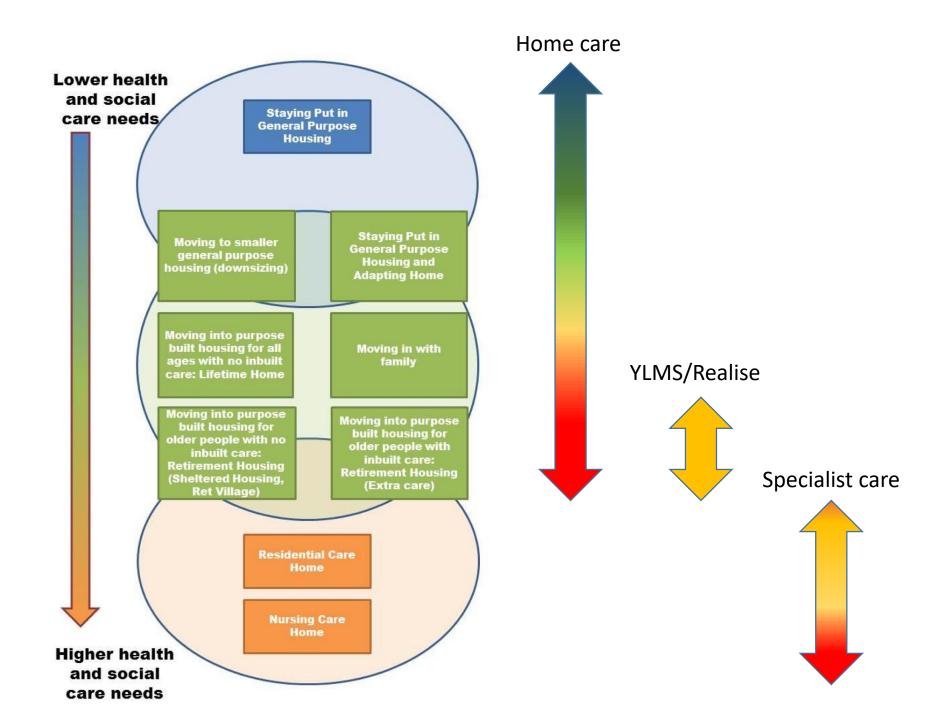




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# Somerset Care 2018

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£68m turnover, c. 3600 employees

#### • Home Care

- 4 branches in Somerset, 1 in Wilts/BANES, 1 in Hants/Surrey
- 14K hours per week, 800 staff, >2000 customers
- Income split LA : self-funding 76:24
- Supported Living
  - 5K hours per week complex care, learning & physical disabilities
  - Somerset, Wilts
- Housing with Care (CQC registered home care)
  - 2 SCL developments in Somerset and IOW
  - JV with McCarthy & Stone –72 developments nationally
- Care Homes
  - 27 in Somerset, 1 on IOW
  - 1531 beds, residential, dementia, nursing
  - Income split LA : self-funding 40:60





# Home Care







- State-funded home care and reablement
- Complex care for people with longterm conditions and disabilities -Realise
- Privately funded home care Willows
- Housing with care our own and via a JV with McCarthy & Stone - YLMS



#### Leading the way in care

an innovative approach to care in Somerset





#### Realise... your independence











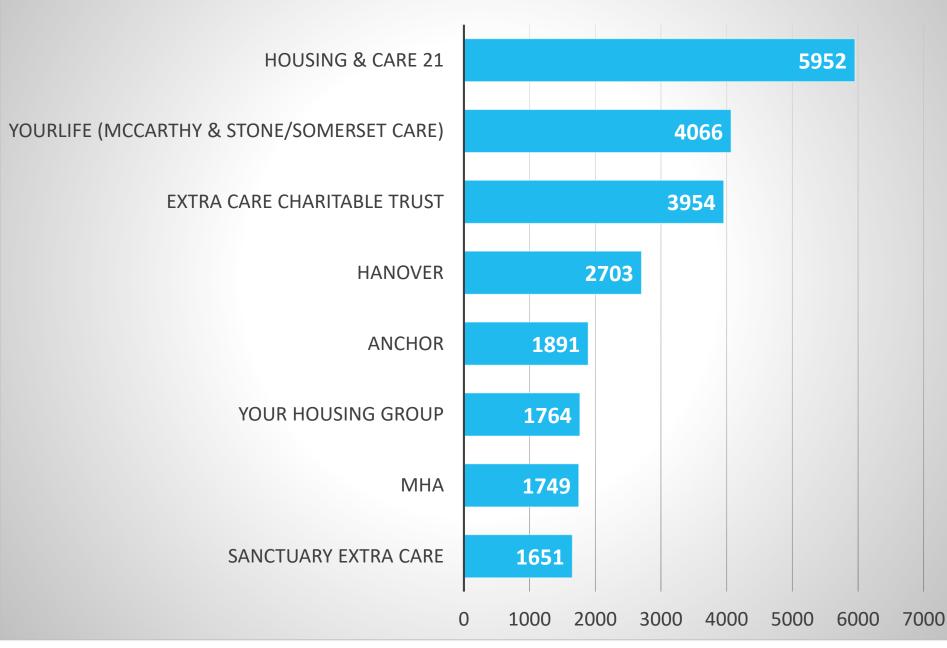
### YourLife Care and Management

- Somerset Care JV with McCarthy & Stone
- Retirement Living Plus
- 72 developments open nationwide by May 2018
  - 3506 home owners
  - 1000 employees
- 126 developments by August 2020
  - 7000 home owners
  - 2000 employees



#### **Top Housing with Care Providers**

Ranked by number of units managed (2017)



### Housing with Care JV - YLMS





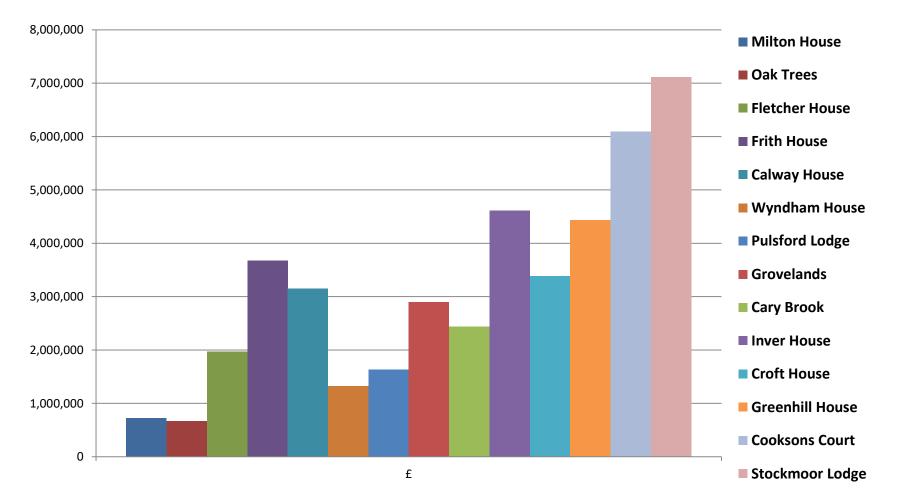


# Care Homes



#### £44m Investment Care Home Development since 2002 (£75m all homes in 27 years)







Care homes



- 28 care homes
- 1531 beds
- Registered for nursing, dementia, residential care
  - Intermediate care in collaboration with NHS
  - Low to advanced dementia care
  - Frailty
  - End-of-life care



**Care homes** 



- Technology enabled
  - Digital care records for 22 years
  - Electronic medicines management system for 8 years
  - Acoustic monitoring
  - Assistive technology
  - Currently trialling social robots
  - Technology solutions for residents too

#### Stockmoor Lodge opened 15 March 2017 Occupancy 90%











# To enhance quality of life and promote independence of older and disabled people









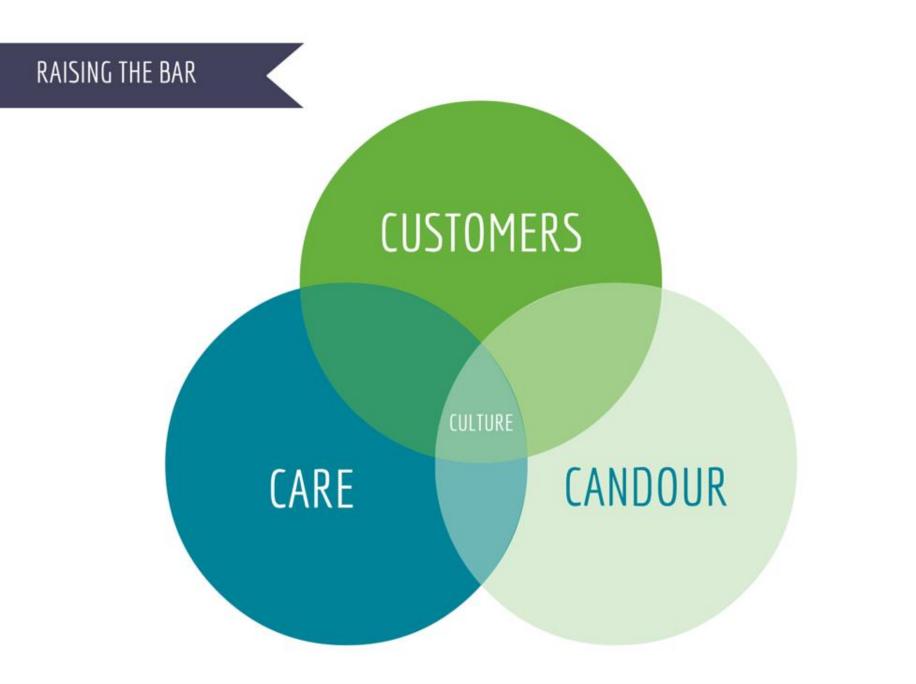
## To lead the market in high quality, evidence-based lifestyle support and care, through research, innovation and outstanding customer focus











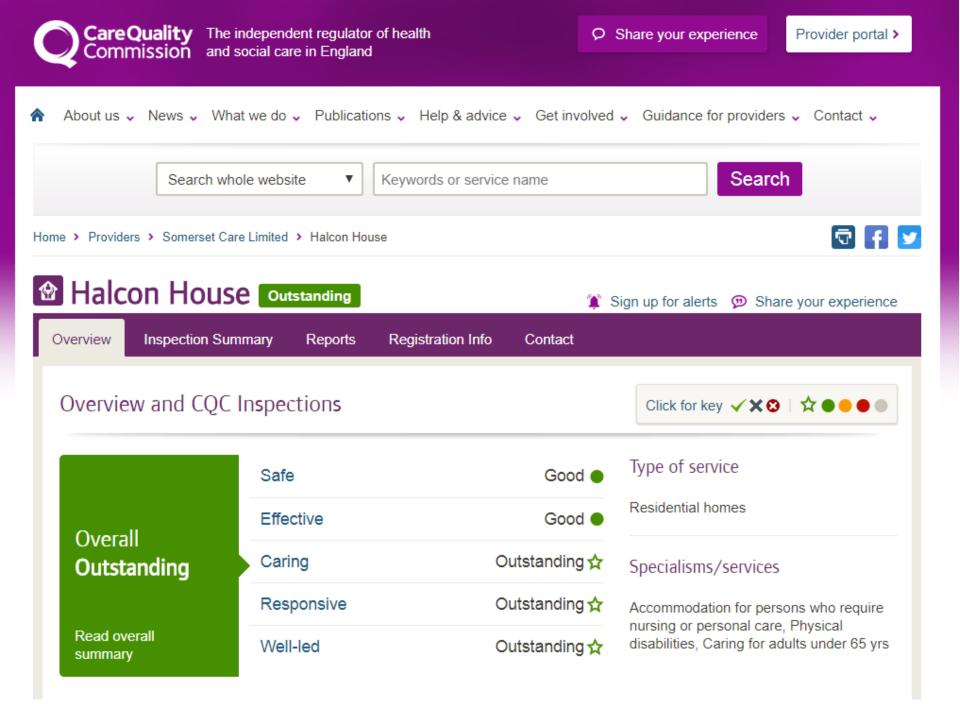
#### CQC ratings of largest 20 homecare providers by revenue

Rank	Provider	% good or outstanding		
1	Alternative Futures	100%		
=	Marie Curie	100%		
=	Helping Hands	100%		
=	Somerset Care	100%		
=	Hft	100%		
6	Mencap	98%		
7	Bluebird Care	94%		
8	Turning Point	93%		
9	Voyage Care	93%		
10	Leonard Cheshire Disability	89%		
11	Lifeways	89%		
12	Housing & Care 21	86%		
13	City & County Healthcare	77%		
14	Allied Healthcare	75%		
15	Mears	71%		
16	Carewatch	70%		
17	Sevacare UK	69%		
18	MiHomecare (MITIE Group)	62%		
19	Community Integrated Care	50%		
20	Direct Health	50%		

#### NOTES \* APRIL 2016

1 INCLUDES ADULTS UNDER 65, BRAIN INJURY REHABILITATION, EATING DISORDERS, LEARNING DISABILITIES, MENTAL HEALTH, PHYSICALLY DISABILITIES, SENSORY IMPAIRMENT AND SUBSTANCE MISUSE SOURCE LAINGBUISSON'S CARE MONITOR







## **Residential Care Quality**

CQC ratings of residential care home providers for older people including dementia (by beds)								
Rank 1	Δ April 2016		Provider	# homes	% good or outstanding	% not inspected		
		10	Avery Healthcare	24	100%	21%		
2	-	-1	Sunrise Senior Living	10	100%	90%		
3		1	Somerset Care	21	95%	0%		
4		6	Quantum Care	26	92%	4%		
5		12	B & M Care	25	91%	8%		
6	-	-3	Sanctuary Care	44	89%	0%		
7	-	0	Methodist Homes	49	83%	2%		
8	-	-4	Runwood Homes	52	83%	0%		
9	-	0	Barchester Healthcare	23	83%	0%		
10		2	Anchor	121	81%	8%		
11	-	-3	Abbeyfield Society	62	81%	8%		
12		8	Care UK	19	79%	0%		
13		3	Orders of St John Care Trust	40	77%	3%		
14	-	0	Four Seasons Health Care	49	73%	0%		
15	-	0	Minster Care	42	71%	67%		
16	-	-10	HC-One	72	68%	6%		
17		New entry	Bupa Care Homes	19	64%	26%		
18	-	-1	Orchard Care Homes	31	63%	3%		
19		1	Larchwood Care	29	52%	0%		
20		New entry	Ideal CareHomes	16	31%	0%		





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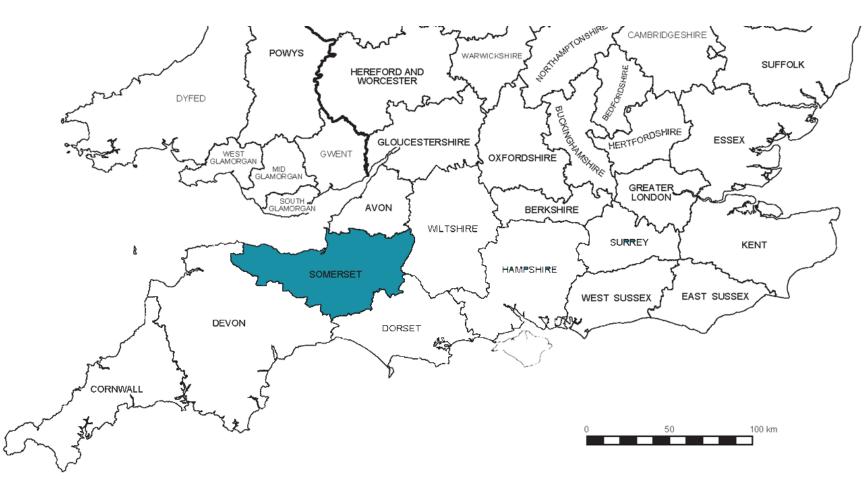
- Company formed in 1991 when Somerset County Council decided to outsource provision of adult social care
- Not-for-profit social enterprise all surpluses re-invested in the business
- All care homes and home care services formerly operated by SCC transferred to Somerset Care Ltd



#### Somerset Care 1991 Not-for-Profit



Home care and Care homes









## Home care as a "Cottage industry"



## Somerset Care 1991



- In 1991, we delivered c. 4000 hours per week of state-funded home care in Somerset
- 26 care homes in Somerset
- Home care teams were located in c. 20 of our care homes – small, local, personal
- Home care staff sometimes worked shifts in our care homes and vice versa

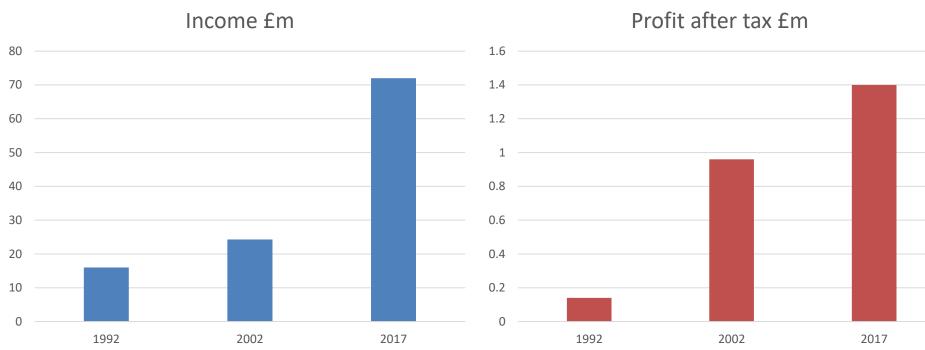




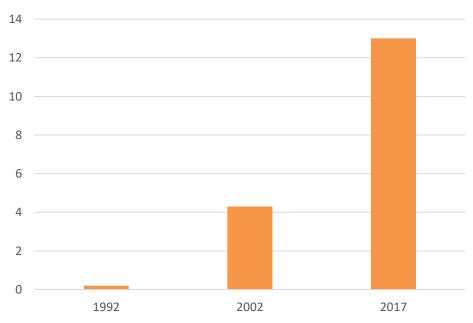
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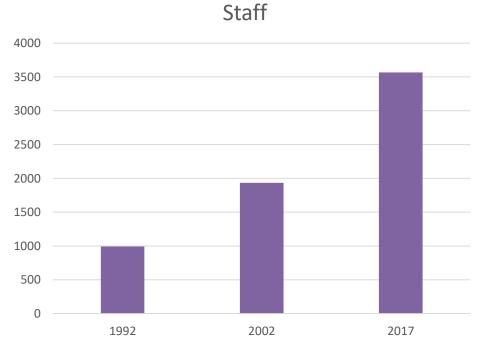


## Over time, the business grew and spread geographically



Assets £m







Somerset Care 2010/11



- By 2010/11, we were delivering 40,000 hours per week of state-funded home care in Somerset, Devon, Dorset, Wiltshire, BANES, Gloucestershire, Hampshire, Surrey and Isle of Wight
- We had care homes in Somerset, Gloucestershire and Isle of Wight but not in other counties
- We thus could not co-locate home care with care homes everywhere
- Scale of operation and nature of contracts led the company to organising home care differently

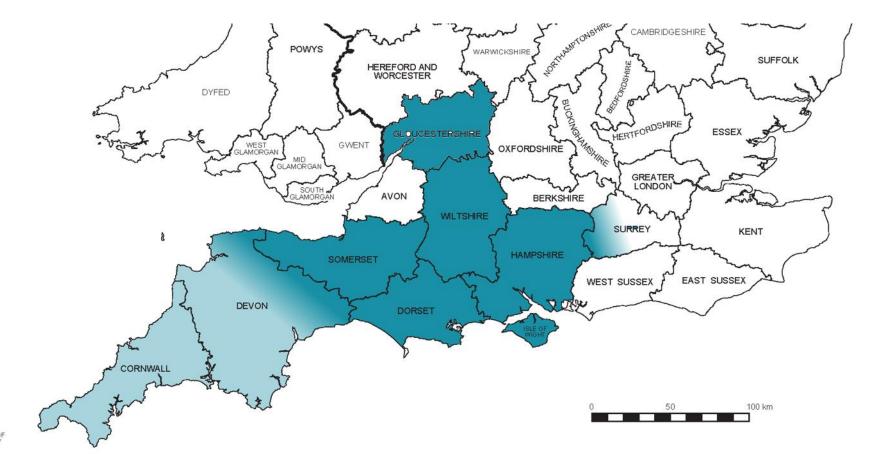






# The "industrialisation" of home care





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"Industrialisation" of home care delivery

- Home care moved from being co-located with our care homes to being managed from a number of branch offices in our areas of operation
- Centralisation of scheduling
- Greater management structure
- Implementation of systems
- Large scale local authority contracts
- Each branch delivering 4000-5000 hours per week each over wide geographical areas





"Industrialisation" of home care delivery

- Most local authority contracts are high volume and commissioned by time and task, so hard to deliver personalised services
- Social workers dictate call timings, so hard for providers to manage supply and demand effectively
- Quality suffers
- Staff turnover increases
- Customer satisfaction declines





Somerset Care 2010-2018



## Government austerity policies hit UK home care badly Fee rates squeezed

## Council budgets cut

#### **49.1%**

real-terms reduction in government funding for local authorities, 2010-11 to 2017-18

#### 28.6%

real-terms reduction in local authorities' spending power (government funding plus council tax), 2010-11 to 2017-18

#### 1

number of authorities since 2010-11 where a section 114 notice has been issued that indicates they are at risk of spending more than the resources they have available

3.0% real-terms reduction in local authority spending on social care services, 2010-11 to 2016-17



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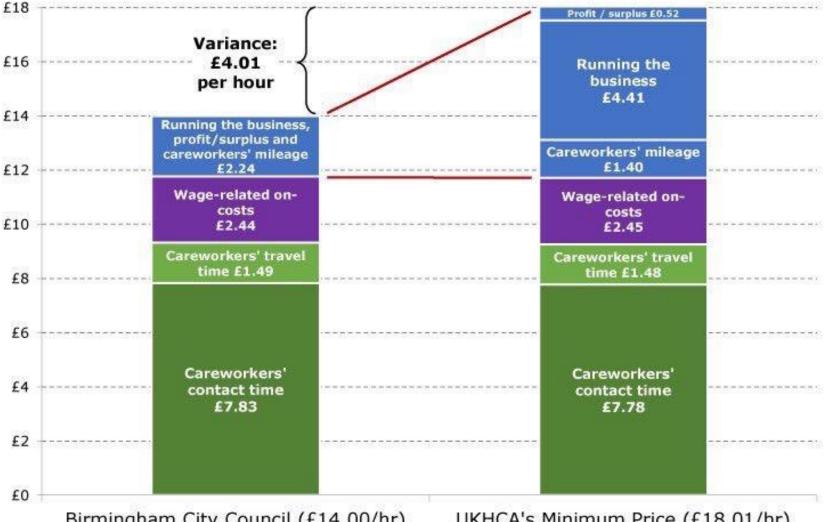
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## COUNTY COUNCILS IN CRISIS: THREE MORE NAMED AS SHOWING SIGNS OF FINANCIAL DISTRESS

"This has to be a wake-up call", says local government expert



Birmingham City Council (£14.00/hr)

UKHCA's Minimum Price (£18.01/hr)

Comparison between UKHCA's Minimum Price for Homecare (Version 5.1) and the likely distribution of costs in Birmingham City Council's proposed rate for homecare services. Diagram produced by UKHCA for illustration purposes only. February 2018.



### Strategy for Home Care 2016-now



- Attempted to negotiate increased fee rates for local authority home care contracts
- Handed back loss-making contracts
- Developed new models of home care delivery for self-funder market
  - Local authorities are funding fewer people
  - More people having to pay for their own home care
  - Population of over 85's increasing exponentially
  - Return to "small, local, personal" approach, linked to care homes - Willows
  - Continue to grow our JV in home care for retirement living – YLMS
  - Focus on outcomes







"Customer and relationship" driven home care focused on outcomes enabled by technology





### YourLife Management Services



- In 2010, we created a Joint Venture with McCarthy and Stone, the largest provider of retirement living properties with 70 per cent market share - YourLife Management Services
- Provision of regulated home care into McCarthy and Stone Retirement Living Plus developments nationally
- 100 per cent private home care market
- First YLMS development opened in Bournemouth in 2010
- Rapid growth 126 developments open by August 2020

#### Housing with Care JV - YLMS

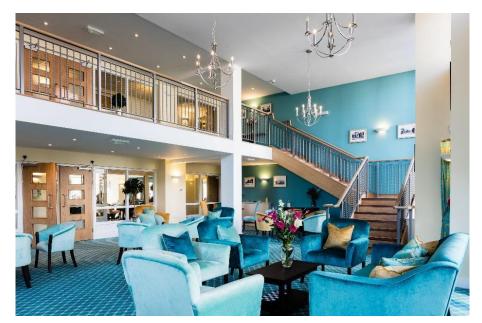














#### Great NHBC Survey Results from our Homeowners...

95.6% 93.5% in 2016/17

Homeowners would recommend us 91.5%

87.6% in 2016/17

Homeowner quality of life has improved Satisfaction With Estate Managers and services received

98%



Somerset Care Home Care



- In 2018, we are delivering:
  - c. 13,000 hours pw of state-funded home care and
  - c. 1000 hours pw privately-funded home care in Somerset, BANES, Wiltshire via SCL - Willows
  - c. 26,660 hours pw of privatefunded home care via our JV with McCarthy & Stone - YLMS



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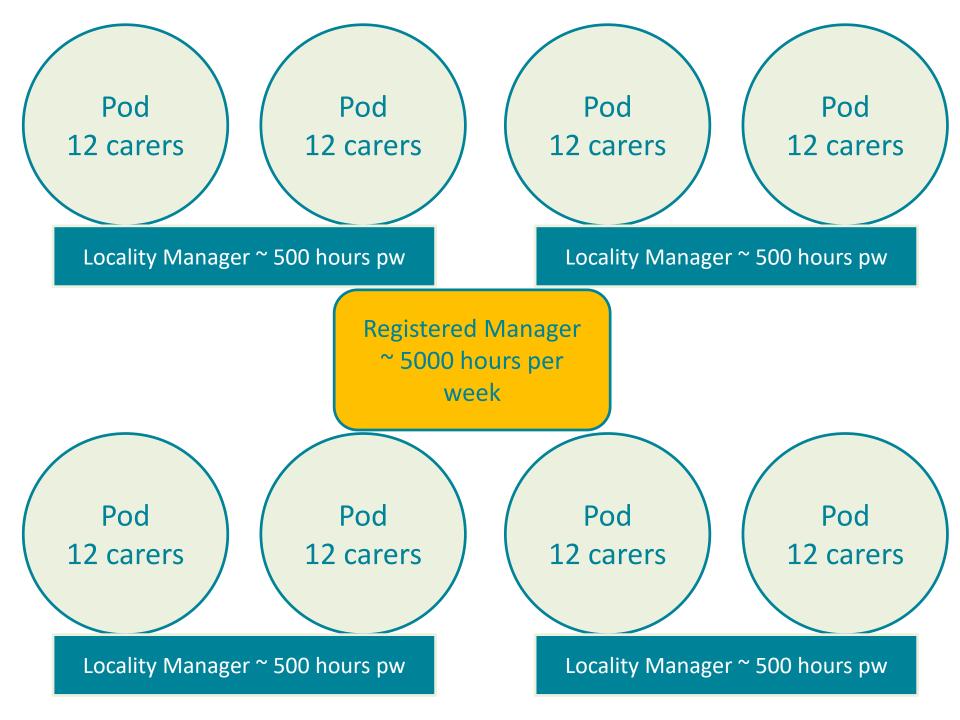
- New service aimed at self-funder market
- Pilot started in Nov 2016, started in earnest in 2017, further changes implemented in Feb 2018
- Designed after listening to staff and customers about what works and what doesn't in home care
- Full circle back to small, local, personal
- Home care teams are once again linked to our care homes and rooted in their communities
- Teams are self-managing, enabled by technology solutions

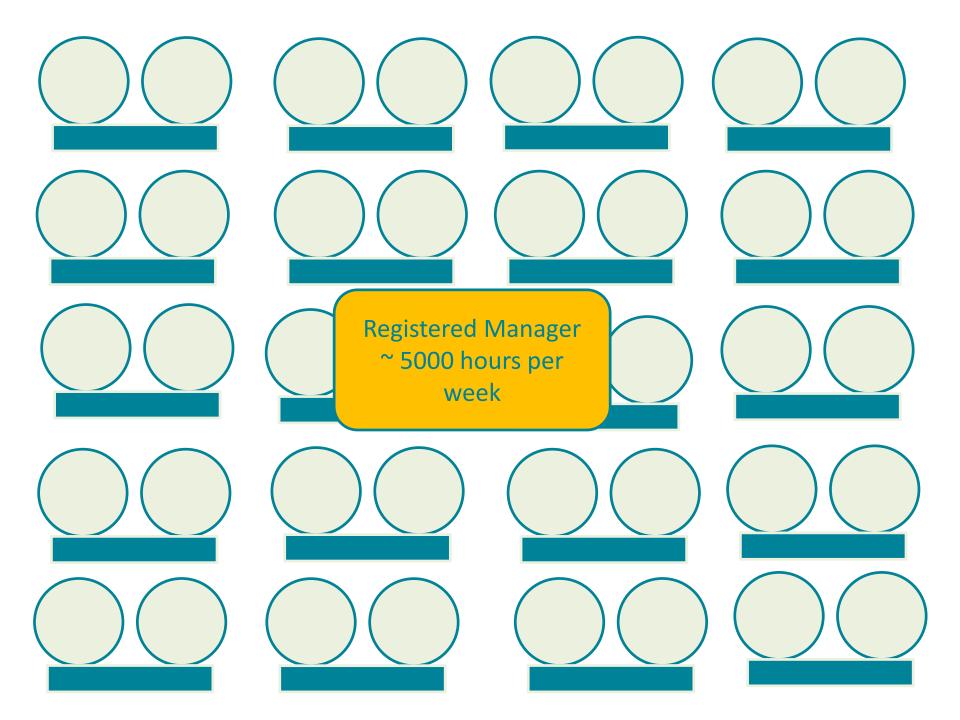


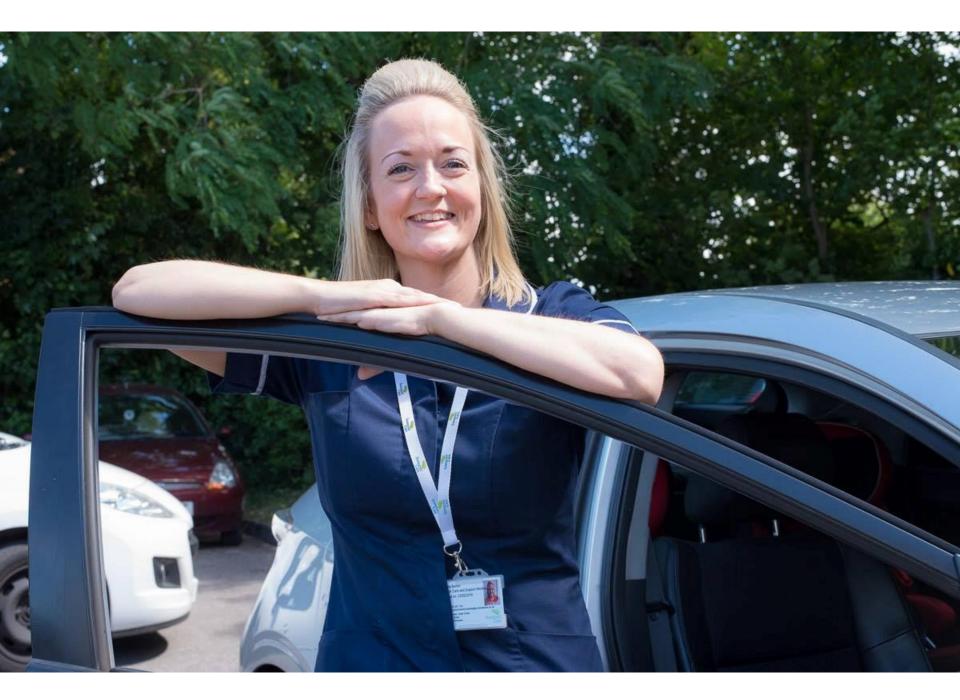
- Teams or "pods" composed of up to 12 carers
- 1 pod delivers c. 250 hours home care per week
- Locality Manager oversees up to 2 pods and helps with business growth
- To grow, we replicate pods in new areas
- CQC Registered Manager will be responsible for c. 20 pods (5000 hours per week)













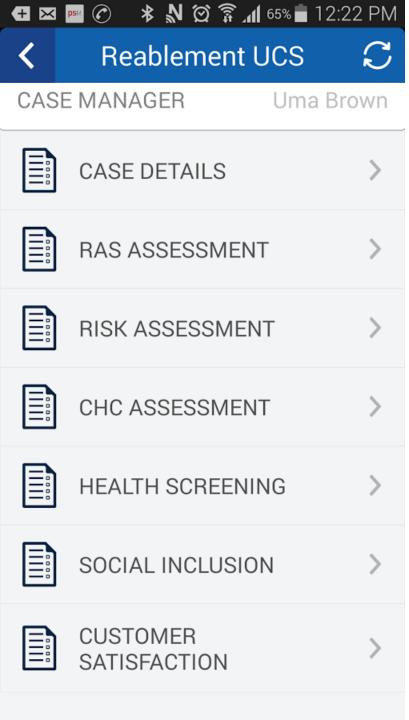


- Technology enables the Willows way of working
- Cloud-based mobile app called Mobizio
- Every carer is given a smartphone
- Mobizio is integrated with our staff roster, so rotas are synchronised in real-time
- Care planning done electronically, so complete transparency in realtime
- GPS enables location detection safety for lone-working carers
- Easy for carers to communicate with each other
- Numerous safety features
- Easy reporting



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- Small is beautiful in home care
- If you scale, do it by replicating small, local self-managing teams, not by creating large "factories" with wide geographic spread
- Quality and efficiency improves
- Care staff are happier



Lessons learnt



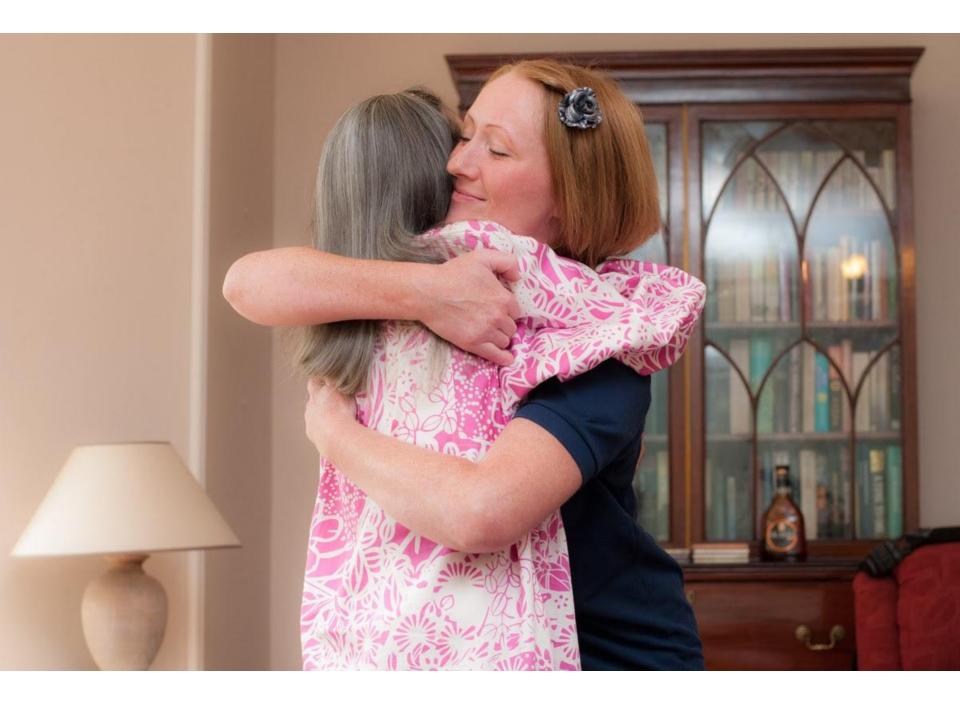
- Listen to customers and staff to understand what they want and need
- Focus on quality and outcomes
- At present, it's easier to deliver personal-led care to self-funders than to those who are statefunded, due to the way the latter is commissioned – this needs to change



Lessons learnt



- Build relationships
  - with customers
  - with families
  - with local communities
  - •with staff
  - word of mouth is the most effective way to grow









- Technology solutions help to improve transparency, quality and efficiency
- Relationships are more important than technology in home care



Lessons learnt



- •Do not subsidise the state by operating at a loss
  - •Try to re-negotiate fee rates
  - If you fail, hand back contracts
- In the end, bidding for lossmaking contracts helps nobody



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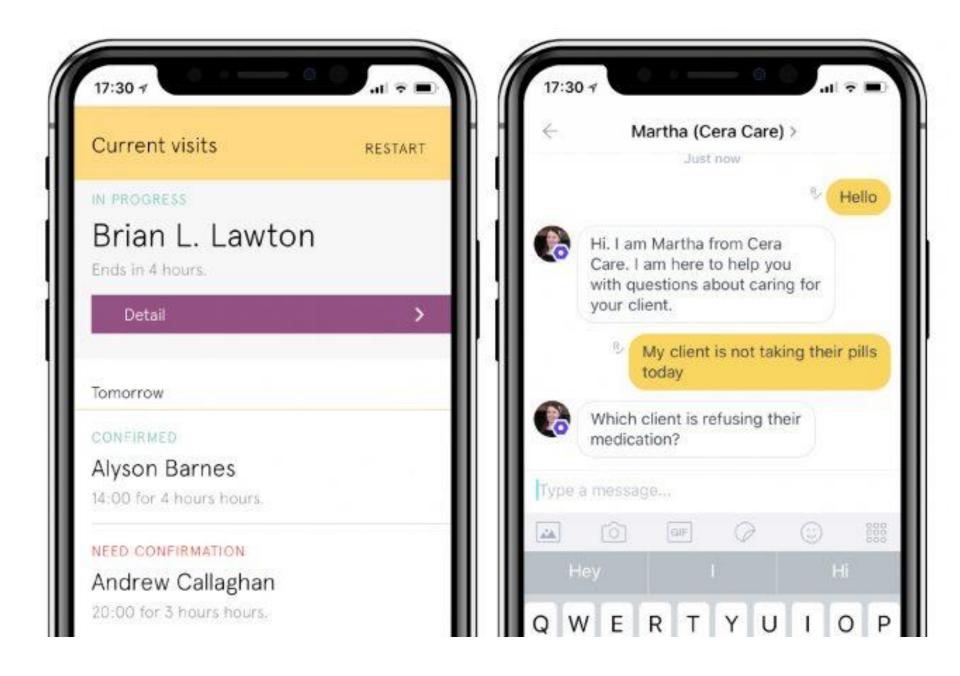




- Grow Willows nationally by partnering with retirement living developments in McCarthy & Stone and First Port
- Continue to grow YLMS
- Work with LA commissioners to develop outcome-based approaches to home care and to ensure sustainable funding
- Evaluate new technology developments in home care, e.g., virtual reality, robots, Al











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