

Information

Vale Royal Disability Services
Registered Charity No. 1016249



WHEELCHAIR LOAN SERVICE

Working in Partnership with Mid-Cheshire Hospitals NHS Trust, VRDS offers a wheelchair loan service. This service enables a user to have a wheelchair on loan for any period from a weekend to six weeks maximum.

We offer a choice of manual & self-propelling wheelchairs. There are also wheelchairs with both small and large wheels, in a wide range of sizes. There is no need for a medical assessment.

To take advantage of this service, it is first necessary to register at the VRDS Information Point at Victoria Infirmary, Northwich, or at from the Northwich or Winsford Shopmobility Centres. Evidence of identity (e.g. driving licence, passport or a recent utility bill) is required, together with two passport-sized photographs, to complete the application form. The joining fee is £10.00 and registration covers a period from 1st April to 31st March.

Once registered, a loan wheelchair may be booked in advance by telephone or in person from the VRDS Information Point at Victoria Infirmary, Northwich, on 01606 564096. It is important to inform us beforehand of the approximate size of the wheelchair required, so we can check the availability of suitable equipment for the period concerned.

Wheelchairs can be collected from and returned to the VRDS Information Point at Victoria Infirmary, Northwich. We can also arrange collection & return from our Northwich or Winsford Shopmobility Centres.

PLEASE NOTE:

Wheelchairs loaned by VRDS are not permitted to be taken outside the United Kingdom.

Contact: VRDS Information Service, Victoria Infirmary, Northwich CW8 1AW.

Telephone: 01606 564 096

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10.00am to 3.00pm.

For information on other VRDS Services, such as Shopmobility, Supporting People Service, Community Learning Services or our Information Service, please contact:

Vale Royal Disability Services,

4 Hartford Business Centre, Chester Road, Hartford, Northwich CW8 2AB.

Telephone: 01606 888 400.

Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 9.00am to 5.00pm.

