

Categories of Care

Nursing and Residential Care Homes

Category	Definition
I	Old age not falling within any other category
E	Service users who are over 65 years of age but do not fall within the category of old age
DE	Dementia
MP	Mental disorder excluding learning disability or dementia
MP(E)	Mental disorder excluding learning disability or dementia – over 65 years
LD	Learning Disability
LD(E)	Learning disability – over 65 years
PH	Physical disability other than sensory impairment
PH(E)	Physical disability other than sensory impairment – over 65 years
D	Past or present drug dependence
A	Past or present alcohol dependence
TI	Terminally ill
SI	Sensory impairment

Independent Clinics / Hospitals

Category	Definition
AH	Acute hospitals (with overnight beds)
AH(DS)	Acute hospitals (day surgery only)
MH	Mental health treatment establishments, not including those where people are liable to be detained
MH(D)	Mental health establishments taking people liable to be detained
H(A)	Hospices for adults
H(C)	Hospices for children
MAT	Maternity hospitals / clinics
PT(L)	Prescribed techniques or prescribed technology: establishments using Class 3B or Class 4 lasers
PT(IL)	Prescribed techniques or prescribed technology: establishments using intense light sources
PT(DL)	Prescribed techniques or prescribed technology: establishments providing dialysis
PT(E)	Prescribed techniques or prescribed technology: establishments using endoscopy
PT(IVF)	Prescribed techniques or prescribed technology: establishments providing in vitro fertilisation
PT(HBO)	Prescribed techniques or prescribed technology: establishments providing hyperbaric oxygen treatment
PD(M)	Private doctors: walk-in medical centres
PD	Private doctors (other)
PD(IMA)	Private doctors: independent medical agencies