POST-ACUTE STROKE SERVICES
ENGLAND, WALES & NORTHERN IRELAND

Who does stroke affect?

100,000
PEOPLE SUFFER A STROKE EACH YEAR

1.3 MILLION
STROKE SURVIVORS IN THE UK

6 IN 10 STROKE SURVIVORS RELY ON
THE HELP AND SUPPORT OF A CARER

Quality of after hospital stroke care 2021

Doing well

97% of services have access to an occupational therapist, physiotherapist, speech and language therapist and rehab assistant

87% of eligible services submitting data on how they treat their stroke patients

74% of services will re-refer patients if they need to be

Making progress

71% of inpatient teams met the recommended nurse staffing levels per bed

44% of ESD and Combined ESD/CRT teams treat patients within recommended number of days following discharge

71% of teams are providing vocational rehabilitation, but are not formally commissioned to

Needing improvement

42% of services are needs led (not time limited)

10 weeks from referral to psychological treatment

26% of Early Supported Discharge teams and Combined ESD/CRT teams working 7 days a week

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