

Care Act 2014

Eligibility Grab Sheet

The eligibility decision-making process for adults with care and support needs involves the sequential consideration of the following three criteria:

Do the needs arise from a physical or mental impairment or illness?



Do these needs mean that the adult is unable to achieve two or more of the listed outcomes?



As a consequence is there, or is there likely to be, a significant impact on the adult's wellbeing?

Eligibility Outcomes

Managing and maintaining nutrition

Maintaining personal hygiene

Managing toilet needs

Being appropriately clothed

Being able to make use of the adult's home safely

Maintaining a habitable home environment

Developing and maintaining family or other personal relationship

Accessing and engaging in work, training, education or volunteering

Making use of necessary facilities or services in the local community, including public transport, and recreational facilities or services

Carrying out any caring responsibilities the adult has for a child

Wellbeing Principles

Personal dignity (including treatment of the individual with respect)

Physical and mental health and emotional wellbeing

Protection from abuse and neglect

Control by the individual over day-to-day life (including over care and support provided and the way it is provided)

Participation in work, education, training or recreation

Social and economic wellbeing

Domestic, family and personal

Suitability of living accommodation

The individual's contribution to society





