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| This will be an exciting time to join Adult Social Care as we move towards a more localised approach working with partners in ‘Hubs’ around the city.  This will enable us to l better meet the Community Led Support Model and Strength Based Approach that is required to support all groups of people needing support in the future.  Strength Based Support and Community Led Support is key to our approach and ensuring that people can remain as independent as possible as part of their community with support from their local community, Personal Budgets and commissioned care. |
| The teams will continue to support people in the following areas :   * **Hospital Social Work** – supporting people with a planned discharge from Hospital, and were appropriate screening people for Continuing Health Care * **Intermediate Support** – sometimes referred to as re-ablement or Intensive support – to support people following their move between hospital and getting back home * **Community / Long Term Support** – supporting people who need longer term support in Residential / Nursing Home settings and supporting people to stay at home with appropriate support. Also undertaking the duty function for people making initial referrals into Adult Social Care * **Learning Disability** – supporting people to be able to lead positive lives in their adult hood- working with the team ‘Preparing for Adulthood’. Also supporting people with complex needs to be supported to enable them to lead active and fulfilling lives * **Mental Health** – a key specialism of AMHP Social workers as well as ongoing casework work with health and community agencies to support people with their Mental Health. * **Adult Safeguarding Team** – whilst safeguarding is clearly everyone’s responsibility there is a team that work specifically on keeping people safe and were required undertaking investigations when there are allegations of abuse. * **Occupational Therapy** – This team supports people with Community OT assessments and supply of equipment and adaptions to ensure that people can continue to live independent lives at home and in their community |