



Independence for you, peace of mind for your family



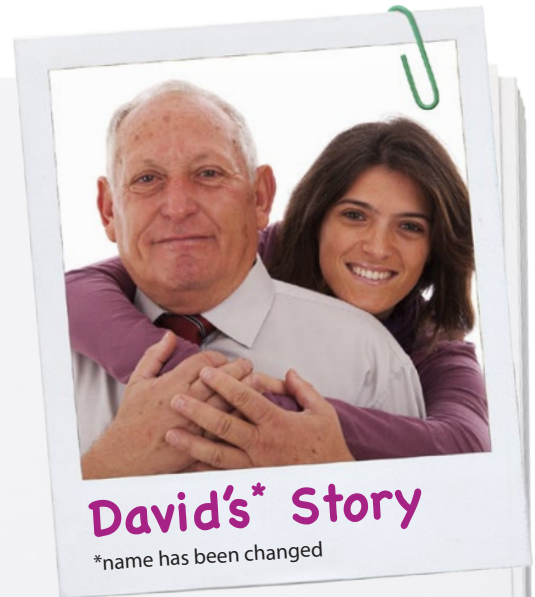
Simple telecare equipment can help residents stay safe and independent

"My dad David, has to take medication three times a day. Like most people, it's easy to forget, so I call him a few times daily to check up on him. Usually the calls are short, hurried and focused on him taking his pills.

When I had to go away for a weekend recently, I was worried how he would manage. I arranged for him to get support through Surrey Telecare, who provided a pill dispenser to help remind him to take medicines on time.

What difference has Telecare made to you and your family?

Having the pill dispenser has given my Dad his confidence back, as he can look after himself. It has given me the peace of mind to know he will be OK. Now when I call him, we can talk about family or the weather; not his pills!"



David's* Story

*name has been changed



Pill dispenser This lockable device reminds people to take pre-measured medication doses by sounding an alarm. If they miss taking their pills, it can trigger an alarm to a monitoring centre which can either prompt them to do so, or call a family member or carer to do it.

How telecare works

The pill dispenser is one of the many telecare sensors that links to a community alarm to enable it to communicate with the 24 hour monitoring centre. The free 12 week trial offer includes a community alarm provided by Surrey's borough and district councils.

After 12 weeks, if you decide to keep the community alarm

and telecare sensor, you pay only for the community alarm which costs between £4 and £5 a week, depending where you live. The additional sensors are absolutely FREE.

Telecare sensors are designed to help people of all ages to live more independently by monitoring their safety around the home. Other sensors

available to meet specific needs include linked smoke alarm, falls detectors, gas and carbon monoxide detectors.

To find out more about this offer, contact Surrey Telecare.

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