



# Gorway Gardens

Walsall, West Midlands

Life-changing supported living  
at the heart of the community

**lifeways**



**“Gorway Gardens is a beautiful service, spacious and full of smiles. The support team are long standing staff who will go above and beyond to provide high-quality, personalised support.”**

Manager, Gorway Gardens

# Welcome to Gorway Gardens

**At Gorway Gardens people are welcomed and supported to live independent lives.**

Gorway Gardens is a semi-detached shared house situated in a quiet cul-de-sac.

There are four bedrooms, an open-plan lounge-diner, a kitchen with laundry room, a games room, a shared bathroom and a separate shared toilet.

There is also a fifth bedroom that could be used as a staff sleep-in room, should people require overnight support.

Outside there is a large garden to the rear, with a ramp leading to a lawned area. The garden includes a small shed and a greenhouse, which the people we support enjoy using to grow plants and vegetables.

When you choose supported living, you're choosing to live independently, safe and secure behind your own front door.

There's peace of mind in knowing the Lifeways team is on-hand, providing tailored support that helps people to lead more fulfilling lives, surrounded by like-minded people.

Gorway Gardens is suitable for people with learning disabilities, physical disabilities or autism.

There are currently three gentlemen living here, aged 40 and upwards.

They enjoy spending time together, taking part in a range of activities such as playing games – including on the

Wii – watching television, cooking, gardening, attending discos, bingo, barbeques, taking walks to the nearby shops, and going out for lunch.

The available room is on the first floor, has an en-suite with shower and overlooks the garden. It would ideally suit a female with no physical behaviours of concern, who has a calm personality but enjoys being part of a sociable household.

Any new residents will receive person-centred, tailored support and will be encouraged to work towards their personal goals and ambitions. We can support people to learn new life skills such as cooking and money management, take up new hobbies or make new friends, as well as exploring the local community.



# Valued in your community

**There are few things more rewarding than feeling like an active and valued part of the community.**

Walsall is a market town with a historic reputation for leather craftsmanship. The town centre has a wide range of high street shops including those at the Saddlers Shopping Centre, Old Square and Crown Wharf.

In addition to the amenities in the town centre, Walsall offers several attractions including The New Art Gallery Walsall, Walsall Leather Museum, diverse community areas, bustling markets, and numerous parks including the Walsall Arboretum with its lakes and play areas.

There are bus stops just a ten-minute walk away, offering transport into Walsall, Cannock and Birmingham. Walsall train station has regular services to Birmingham International, Wolverhampton, Cannock and Rugeley Trent Valley.

## It's good to know...



There are convenience stores nearby.



Morrisons, Aldi, Lidl and Asda supermarkets are all located in Walsall Town Centre.



Doctor and dentist services are both within a ten-minute drive.



There are bus stops a short walk away, with services to Walsall, Cannock and Birmingham.



Walsall train station is in the town centre with routes to Birmingham, Wolverhampton, Rugeley and more.



There is a driveway and on-street parking available.



**“Since living at a Lifeways service I have become more confident and independent. I am able to make everyday decisions with the help from my team, who support me in a consistent way; this is very important to me. My self-esteem has grown with the support I receive and I couldn't be happier.”**

Person supported by Lifeways

# Five reasons to choose Lifeways

## **yes to stability.**

Our stability speaks for itself. Since 1995 we've grown to become the UK's largest provider of supported living for adults. So when you're comparing providers, it's good to know that our steadfast support is founded on over 25 years of proven outcomes.

## **yes to reassurance.**

Our size brings reassurance. It allows us to invest in our people and services. And it's the reason we've been able to open 900 new apartments in 65 communities since 2015. Everyone deserves unique support in a home they'll feel proud of – and that's exactly what we provide.

## **yes to local.**

Our hearts are in our local communities. We're proud to support people in more than 1,000 locations across the UK. But we're even more proud that every service is run by trusted local teams, each providing neighbourly support that feels close to home.

## **yes to relationships.**

Our people make all the difference. So we make sure everyone is valued and all of our support workers achieve the Care Certificate qualification. Over a quarter of our team have been with us for over five years and some have even been with us from the very beginning, helping to create rewarding relationships, improved outcomes and excellent continuity of care.

## **yes to quality.**

Our purpose is to improve lives. It's as simple as that. We help almost 5,000 people to live with hope and independence, with every member of our team sharing the same commitment to quality in everything we do. We hire the best in the sector into our highly skilled and dedicated Quality team, who work to ensure our CQC ratings are something we can be proud of.



## **So what happens next?**

It all starts with an informal chat with one of our specialist assessors. Together with each individual, they will build a clear understanding of their needs and preferences, making sure that they make the choice that is right for them.

They'll then be on hand to guide individuals, families and professionals through the referral and assessment processes, and won't stop until the kettle's on, and the move is complete.

# Supporting people to live the life they choose.

At Lifeways, our focus is *you*. We want to become a trusted partner on your personal journey. Learning from the challenges you've already overcome, before tailoring our support to help you achieve more.

## Why Lifeways?

We believe that anyone can achieve the extraordinary. And that's why Lifeways exists. To understand every individual and support each different dream. Creating homes to feel proud of and places where lives feel fulfilled.

### Make a referral or arrange a visit

Learn more about independent living at Gorway Gardens, make a referral or arrange a visit by contacting Lifeways:

Call **0333 321 4881**

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