

## Social Work Offices

Social Work Headquarters  
Dalrymple House  
195 Dalrymple Street  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 714000

Central Office  
195 Dalrymple Street  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 714100

Social Work Office  
2nd Floor, 99 Dalrymple Street  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 714500

Bow Farm Office  
Nicol Street  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 714400

Strone Office  
1 Aberfoyle Road  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 714600

Port Glasgow Office  
Scarlow Street  
Port Glasgow  
Tel: (01475) 714900

Social Work Office  
Inverclyde Royal Hospital  
Inverkip Road  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 633777

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Social Work Office  
Ravenscraig Hospital  
Inverkip Road  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 633777

Social Work Office  
Greenock Health Centre  
Duncan Street  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 501296

Social Work Office  
Gourock Health Centre  
16 Shore Street  
Gourock  
Tel: (01475) 502469

Social Work Office  
Port Glasgow Health Centre  
2 Bay Street  
Port Glasgow  
Tel: (01475) 506034

Inverclyde Centre for Independent Living  
10 - 16 Gibshill Road  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 714350  
Minicom: 01475 794334

**For emergencies outwith office hours:  
Tel. 0800 811505**

Inverclyde Carers Centre  
68 - 70 Cathcart Street  
Greenock  
Tel: (01475) 735180

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council

## Carer Assessment

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**Carer Assessment**  
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### **Who is a Carer?**

A Carer is anyone whose life is restricted in some way by their need to care for someone else, whether that person be a relative, friend or neighbour and receives no payment.

### **What is a Carer Assessment?**

A Carer Assessment is the opportunity for you, as a Carer, under the Community Care and NHS Act 2002, to have your needs identified independent from the person you care for.

This is to enable you to consider what assistance and support you may need in your caring role. This may result in an increase in services or finding out about other opportunities for you as a Carer.

### **What is involved?**

A member of social work services will meet with you to discuss the different aspects of caring you may require assistance or support with. You will be given a copy of the assessment for your own reference.

### **How do I get an assessment?**

By contacting any of the social work offices listed overleaf you can request an assessment, or alternatively by contacting the Carers Centre at 68 Cathcart Street, Greenock. Tel. 01475 735180

### **Preparing for an assessment**

If you would like assistance in preparing for your assessment then staff at the Carers Centre at 68 Cathcart Street, Greenock. Tel. 01475 735180 will be pleased to help you.