Devon in Sight Understanding Your Eye Condition Fact Sheet 33

Eye Clinic Liaison Officer (ECLO)

Introduction

The Eye Clinic Liaison Officers (ECLOs) are based in the Eye Unit in hospitals and they assist people with sight loss to access the support they need.

They provide advice on a range of services, including:

- Eye conditions and treatment information
- Remaining in employment, housing and leisure
- The advantages of certification and registration
- Benefits and concessions you may be entitled to
- Children's services
- Voluntary organisations and local support groups

What to do next?

Contact the Eye Clinic Liaison Officer and Sight Support Service - Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Trust

Name: Tessa Williams, Inah Bayla, Chrissy Hill
Tel: 01392 406126
Email: rduh.sightsupportservice@nhs.net
Available: Mon & Fri 8:00 - 17:15

Contact the Eye Clinic Liaison Officer - Torbay

Name: Shenagh Marley
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Available: Mon to Fri 9:00 - 16.30

If you need any further advice call our Helpline: 01392 876 666

Devon in Sight is a member of the **Helpline Partnership Community.**

Further Support Available from Devon in Sight

Devon in Sight offers a range of holistic services for anyone affected by sight loss, who either live in or work across Devon. We can provide support to people who are blind or partially sighted, their families, friends and carers.

Our Sight Loss Services focus on four key areas, **Information, Advice and Guidance (IAG)**, **Independent Living**, **Health and Wellbeing**, and **Influencing Change** (Making the world a better place for people with sight loss).

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Devon in Sight is committed to producing Information, Advice & Guidance Resources that are clear, accurate, evidence-based, up-to-date and easy to use. We have a robust information production process based on best practice to ensure that information we produce meets the needs of people who are blind or partially sighted and their family and friends.

Devon in Sight is not a medical organisation; therefore we can only provide general information that is not intended to be a substitute for a proper medical assessment. Our information is not intended to be used for individual cases. If you have a specific question about your eye condition, we recommend that you consult an eye care professional.

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