

A photograph of a woman with short brown hair, wearing a pink zip-up jacket, looking down with a thoughtful expression. The background is a blurred outdoor setting with green foliage.

Improving lives together

Cygnet Advice and Liaison Service (CALs)

Cygnet Advice and Liaison Service (CALs) is a point of contact for Cygnet relatives, carers and friends who require non-clinical advice or assistance regarding Cygnet services.

CALs will liaise with the appropriate staff or service to ensure your suggestions, feedback or queries are addressed.

What does CALs offer?

- > Advice for relatives, carers, family and friends of Cygnet service users.
- > CALs will listen to your concerns, feedback and queries.
- > CALs can help sort out queries quickly on your behalf, by arranging for the appropriate staff to contact you.
- > Advice on how to make a complaint if necessary.
- > Referral to free, confidential and independent advocacy services.
- > CALs can signpost relevant local support and / or voluntary groups that can give advice.
- > CALs also helps to improve Cygnet services by listening to your feedback and suggestions.

What are CALs unable to help with?

- > CALs cannot give medical advice or information.
- > CALs is unable to discuss a medical diagnosis.
- > We are not able to share any confidential information.
- > CALs is unable to alter decisions made regarding care, treatment or discharge plans.
- > CALs cannot offer a counselling service.
- > CALs is unable to provide copies of an individual's medical records (however can signpost to the right department who can help with this).
- > CALs is unable to help with queries relating to primary care providers, such as your GP, pharmacist, or optician etc.

For more information or to submit an enquiry please email:

CALS@cygnethealth.co.uk

CALS is operational Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday between 10am – 2pm, when a dedicated team will respond to queries.