



## Medway Cares

### Rules of operation

Medway Cares, a registered charity, was established by Medway Community Healthcare to:

Promote and protect the physical and mental health of the public through the provision of financial assistance, support, education and practical advice, and to relieve poverty and need by reason of youth, age, ill health, disability, financial hardship or other disadvantage.

In meeting its aims and objectives Medway Cares and its trustees will:

- support activity that enhances or benefits the core services or contracts of Medway Community Healthcare (MCH)
- support projects that enhance the health, care, comfort or support offered to users of MCH services or their families
- support projects that improve the wider health outcomes or address health inequalities in the Medway community
- support activities that develop partnerships with other sectors as a means of improving social impact and value

The charity will not support bids for funding that primarily benefits MCH by generating income for profit; is fundamental to MCH service delivery or tests MCH service redesign or pilots.