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Introduction: A Residential care home is responsible for providing accommodation, personal care and support to people who may be unable to live independently. The care provided is based on each person's individual needs and care plan. Resident may need assistant in doing their daily routine. The effect of possible short down, The possibility of care act 2014 and recommendation for Birmingham city council.

The care act 2014 helps to ensure that adults living in residential care receive safe, person-centred care, that promotes their dignity, well-being, independence, choice and protection from abuse and neglect.

Local authority is required to Work collaboratively with other organisations including health care providers, housing services, and law enforcement.

WHY IS RESIDENT CARE NEEDED: Residential care is needed because some people are unable to live on their own due to some ill health and they need support with their personal care ,social activities and support with daily living.

The impact people will wait longer or might live further away from their families.while some people might remain in their home without suitable support and the pressure will now be on the family who are not trained and they might face financial challenges.

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As a local adviser to the councillor for Kingstanding , Birmingham, i would like to raise concerns about the shortage of residential care homes services in the local community. Residential care homes provide accommodation, personal care and support for people who are unable to live independently. A shortage of these services may make it difficult for older people and adults with care needs to find suitable accommodation. A The council should investigate local demand and check if existing services can meet resident's needs.

The care act 2014 is central to improveing residential care services. Section 1 requires local authorities promote individual wellbeing, including dignity ,physical and mental health, protection from abuse and control over dirty lives.

(Birmingham city council ,2025). As a result, the council ought to look into local demand and determine whether the service currently in place can satisfy the need of the populace. Improving residential care services is largely dependent on the care act of 2014., local authorities are required by section 5 to promote the wellbeing of vulnerable adults

Birmingham city council is require by the cre act 2014 to evaluate individuals who are qualify for care and support and to advance their wellbeing in order to increase access to appropriate care and support, the refrain suggest that the council look into the availability of residential care services in King standing. The care Quality commission (CQC,2026) states that people receiving care should be treated with dignity and respect, protected from abuse and supported by suitable staff.

The care Act 2014 is an important law for adult social care in England. Section 1 places wellbeing at the centre of local authority care and support duties. Wellbeing includes personal dignity, physical and mental health, protection from abuse, control over daily life and participation in the community (Great Britain,2014).

I Recommend that Birmingham city council should access local demand, find out how many people need residential care in Kingstanding and whether suitable places are available,provide fund

Work with care providers: Encourage the development of safe, suitable and affordable care homes where a genuine shortage exists.

In conclusion, residential care homes play a big impact in supporting people who cannot manage their activities on their own. Kingstanding, needs more appropriate residential care services. A shortage of suitable place could affect their wellbeing, Delays, pressure on families. Some people are finding it difficult getting the right help can result from lack of care facilities. Improving residential care, provision would assist Birmingham city council in fulfilling its obligations under the care Act 2014 (care Act 2014, 5-1). I recommend that Birmingham city council investigate local and demand that they should collaborate with care providers, enforcement - police. This will support the care act 2014 and it will help meet the need of local.

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