What is Social Prescribing?

Improved health and wellbeing involves much more than medication.

At its most basic, a social prescription offers the kind of help that doesn't come in a tube or bottle.

The idea behind social prescribing is to help you to have more control over your own health and find ways to improve how you feel in a way that suits you.

Social Prescribing is a free NHS service.

To find out how Social Prescribing can work for you, talk to a Doctor or Health Navigator today!

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Social Prescribing Service

A service that can help you with things that can't be fixed by Doctors or medicine alone







Types of Support You Will Receive

CONVERSATION

1:1 conversation about your social, environmental and emotional needs

SUPPORT

Support to feeling empowered about making lifestyle changes and taking responsibility for your health

EDUCATION

Receive information on how to access educational tools that will help you to adopt a healthier lifestyle and improve your health outcomes

SIGNPOSTING

Support in finding the available services for specific health conditions/needs

OPPORTUNITY

Creating opportunity for you to engage in appropriate and beneficial community services

Studies Show That Social Prescribing Works

Studies show that patients with social prescriptions get better and feel better faster than those treated with medicine alone.



Your Social Prescribing Team

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Team work across The
Coastal Network which
includes:

- Barton Surgery
- Channel View Medical
 Group
- Teign Estuary Medical
 Group

The team will allocate time to discuss what matters most to you and support you to learn about the non-medical services and social opportunities that could help to improve your health and well-being.