Directory of Local Health Organisations for Patients

Local Self Care Support Groups

Alcoholics Anonymous
Meetings in Sevenoaks. 01622 751842

Al-Anon
Meetings in Tonbridge. 020 7407 02115 and confidential help line 020 743 0888.

Alzheimer's Society
Otford Peer Support Group at Otford library. 01892 559410
Otford Methodist Church hall. 01732 743056
Dementia Cafe at Hollybush Court Day Centre. 01622 747181
Dementia Cafe, peer and home support groups in Tunbridge Wells. TNB1 2 YG. 01892 559410

Bipolar Self Help Group
Meetings at The Hub in Tunbridge Wells. TN1 2BD. 01892 539422

Coeliac UK
Sevenoaks Area Support Group. Coffee and other meetings in Otford and Tonbridge. 07599 833092. National helpline 0845 305 2060

Depression
See Up and Running Group below.

Diabetes UK
Tunbridge Wells, including Sevenoaks area. TN12 6XL. 01892 837185

Health walks by Sevenoaks DC
Edenbridge, Hartley, Lullingstone, Otford, New Ash Green, Sevenoaks, Swanley, West Kingsdown. 01732 227000

Healthy Club - social network
Improve your health lifestyle with the help of local health improvement teams. www.healthyclub.nhs.uk

Older Lifestyle Group by Sevenoaks DC
Information, activities and advice for the over 65s at Eden Centre, Edenbridge. 01732 227000

Mencap
Sevenoaks Leisure Centre. 01732 470700

Mind
Read Well group at Sevenoaks library. 08458 247200
Narcotics Anonymous                      Sevenoaks Community Centre. National helpline 0300 999 1212
Parkinson's UK, Sevenoaks               Meetings in Riverhead. 01732 360512
Personality Disorder Self Help Group    Meetings at The Hub in Tunbridge Wells. TN1 2BD. 01892 539422
Reachout Mental Health Support Groups including at Sevenoaks 01892 676285
Royal London Society for the Blind      Support group Dorton House, Seal. 01732 592500
Sevenoaks Area Mind                     Support groups for Autistic Spectrum Disorder and struggling mums. TN13 3LW. 01732 744950
Sevenoaks Blind Club                    Red Cross Centre, Sevenoaks. 01732 461623
Up and Running Group by Sevenoaks DC    For women with mild depression. Walking and running in Knole Park. 07710 279497, 07855 893863 or 01732 227000

Other Health Organisations Active in Sevenoaks Area

AgeCare Support Group                   Residential home at Gloucester House, Sevenoaks, TN13 3XU. 01732 741488
Age UK, Sevenoaks                       Support in home, day care centre, transport for older people, advice and much more. TN13 3LR. 01732 454108
Alcohol and Drug Misuse                 CRI (West Kent Recovery Service), Tonbridge, TN9 1DH. 01732 367380
Arthritis Research Campaign             Sevenoaks TN13 1TJ. 01732 454862
British Red Cross                       Care in the home, transport, shopping, medical equipment etc 01892 616 281 and 07711 469688
Carers First                            Support for carers. 01732 357555
Crossroads                              Sitting service and support for people with disabilities. 01622 817 114
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**Note**

This Directory was compiled by the Patient Participation Group of Otford Medical Practice in December 2013. If you are aware that some of the information in this Directory has become out of date or you consider that additional information can be included in it then please email us on otfordppg@gmail.com.