



# Eglantine Villa

Your local outstanding  
Bupa care home in Dartford.



# Set in three beautiful acres

**Eglantine Villa is a former country residence that has been converted into a lovely care home with every modern convenience. We offer outstanding nursing and residential care, including residential dementia and Parkinson's care.**

We're in a rural area with lots to do nearby. There's Brands Hatch, Farningham Wood Nature Reserve, and a large bird of prey centre. Bluewater Shopping Centre is six miles away at Dartford.



## **Our care team**

At Eglantine Villa, we're all highly trained in providing 24-hour tailored care. We get to know each resident personally, so we can make sure we get the balance between support and independence just right. This provides peace of mind for families and a safe and comfortable home for residents.

**Eglantine Villa has been rated 'Outstanding' by the Care Quality Commission (CQC) three times in a row.**

**"The staff were very friendly and they helped mum settle in quickly. They were very attentive to our queries and mum's needs and were professional and pleasant at all times."**

Son of resident, January 2025  
Source: carehome.co.uk



# What we offer

Our residents enjoy excellent care, good food and lots to do. We have two buildings: Jasmine Lodge for residential and nursing care, and Lavender Cottage for residential dementia care. Both have access to our lovely landscaped gardens, complete with conservatory, pergola and patios.



## Types of care

- Nursing
- Residential
- Residential dementia
- Short stay
- Convalescence
- Palliative
- Parkinson's

## Dementia care

Our specialists can help residents with dementia to lead a better quality of life. With family help we'll build a picture of their life story and their preferences, so we can personalise their care. We also offer dementia training to relatives and the community, and host support groups.

## Nursing care

Nurses are on duty at all times for residents in need of nursing care, which is particularly helpful if their condition requires regular medical attention.



## Variety of comfortable bedrooms

We have 49 attractive rooms, some with their own patio. There are shared bathrooms around the home, and you can also expect:

- en suite W/C or W/C with shower
- garden views from many rooms
- flat screen TV
- telephone point (bills payable)

Residents are welcome to bring personal items from home, such as pictures and knick-knacks.



## Services available to all

- GP visits within the home or at the practice
- Advice from a nutritionist
- Visits from district nurses and specialist nurses
- Pet therapy
- Religious services
- Wifi throughout the home
- Laundry and cleaning

**Plus, for an additional cost, residents can benefit from:**

- chiropody
- visits to a dentist
- eye care from an optician
- on-site hairdresser and beautician



## Shared areas around the home

There are lots of places to relax. Residents can enjoy a little pampering in our salon, chat in the conservatory, or have tea and a pastry in our café. They can get crafty in our superb activities room or watch a film on our big screen.

Outside, we have over three acres of beautifully landscaped grounds – perfect for a gentle stroll or a spot of gardening. We also have a sensory dementia garden.



## Speak to us about costs

Our fees vary depending on the care needed and the bedroom chosen. We'd be happy to run through costs and answer any questions.

## Call us for more information

# 01322 517 525

Lines are open 8am to 6.30pm, Monday to Friday, 9am to 12.30pm Saturday. We may record or monitor our calls.

# Life at Eglantine Villa

There's a great sense of belonging here. Residents are well connected with the community - and family are always welcome, whether they're popping in for a coffee, sharing a meal or coming on outings.



## Activities

Our coordinators arrange enjoyable activities for all our residents, according to their needs and mobility. These include:

- outings to places like the beach and shopping centre
- flower-arranging, knitting and cake decorating
- visits from exotic animals
- summer fête
- arts and craft sessions
- quiz nights
- gardening club
- visits from local children, a playgroup and a choir



Residents can still do most of their existing hobbies here. They can also suggest something they'd like to try, as a group or in their room.



## Fresh, healthy food

Good food is so important, for so many reasons. Our delicious meals and snacks can be enjoyed in the social dining area or in the comfort of the resident's own room.

There are plenty of favourites on the menu, but we're also happy to make what residents would like. We talk to them when they move in about their likes and dislikes, and any special dietary needs.

## Meal times

Set meal times ensure that residents can enjoy their food without interruption. If they'd prefer to eat at a different time, that's okay, too.

## Celebrating special occasions

We're happy to make our conservatory available to families for private events such as birthday parties. We'll just need to know in advance. Plus, we can arrange catering for an additional fee.



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## Visits from family and friends

Loved ones can pop by at any time. If you'll be having a meal with us, just give us a quick call and also tell us about any dietary requirements. Then we can cook up something you'll really enjoy.



**“My mum is the happiest I have seen her in a very long time. The staff treat her with respect and compassion. She has a very fulfilled life with lots of activities to support all of her needs. We are happy that we chose this home, it is a credit to every member of your staff.”**

**Daughter of resident, July 2024**  
Source: carehome.co.uk



## Visiting Eglantine Villa

**If you've never been here, why not come for a visit?**

You can meet the team and get a feel for the atmosphere. Eglantine Lane is a quiet country road, just off the A20. That's five minutes from Junction 1 of the M20 and Junction 3 of the M25. Farningham Road station is also close by.

**To arrange a visit or to find out more, call us on**

**01322 517 525**

**[bupa.co.uk/eglantine-villa](http://bupa.co.uk/eglantine-villa)**

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