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**Step up**  
They support patients who need more care than can be provided at home

**Step down**  
Patients rehabilitating from serious illness or following major surgery to support their recovery before going home

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## Care at home

For those with long term conditions we want the majority of their care and support to be delivered at home.



## Community Hospitals

We have seven community hospitals in Worcestershire:

- Malvern Community Hospital
- Pershore Community Hospital
- Princess of Wales Community Hospital
- Evesham Community Hospital
- Tenbury Community Hospital
- Worcester City Inpatient Unit
- Wyre Forest Ward

- ✓ These support patients who need more care than can be provided at home, but who aren't too ill they need emergency care or surgery.
- ✓ They can support patients rehabilitating from serious illness or following major surgery
- ✓ Four have Minor Injury Units
- ✓ Some of them provide outpatient clinics, for example physiotherapy



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## Acute Hospitals

There are three acute hospitals in Worcestershire:

- Alexandra Hospital, Redditch
- Kidderminster Hospital and Treatment Centre
- Worcestershire Royal Hospital

- ✓ These should be for emergency care or surgery only.

