

Nothing Else Like it

Spratt House at a Glance

Established in Wellington well over a century ago, Spratt House is one of the leading providers in the Wellington region of residential care for men and women.

Services

Spratt House provides:

- Independent and assisted living with modern villas
- Hospital providing 24-hour experienced support
- State of the art dementia unit with a secure environment and specially-trained staff.

Facilities

Spratt House has many excellent social and rehabilitation programmes for residents, including the Spark of Life Programme and physiotherapy and occupational therapy.

Activities such as exercise classes, chapel services, lectures and bowling competitions are also available.

Staffing is seen to be key to providing a secure environment so Spratt House make sure they have a high level of registered nurses per residential numbers and fast access to further assistance as needed.

Certification

Spratt House has certification under the Health & Disability Services (Safety) Act 2001. We are members of healthcare providers New Zealand and Retirement Villages Association.

After several years of major redevelopment and construction, Spratt House is able to continue their successful history of providing residential care in quality, modern accommodation.

His Excellency The Hon Sir Anand Satayanand, GNZM, QSO, Governor General of New Zealand opens the fully renovated Spratt House today, in a year which also celebrates the 112th year anniversary of Spratt House.

With the completion of the state of the art purpose built 24 bed dementia wing, the 35 superior hospital rooms with ensuites offering individual living spaces (five of which are married couples rooms, already occupied), the 29 single rooms and our villas, there is no other residential care for the elderly offering such quality services as Spratt House.

The new reception is now open along with a new laundry and of course our training/seminar/function centre has been in operation for over a year. And we also still offer our independent living accommodation as well. This offers the option of as much or as little care as you need.

“We are just delighted with the standard of care we are now able to provide”, says Carole Hazelman, General Manager of Spratt House.

“It has taken us just under four years to totally reconfigure and modernise the entire retirement village and rest home complex.

Vision

Sprott House's vision is to:

- provide residents with warm, comfortable, and secure environment with modern facilities; and
- to assist residents to remain as independent as possible for as long as possible

Charitable Trust status

Sprott House is a not for profit, Charitable Trust Residential Care Home and Hospital.

This Charitable Trust status means all surpluses are returned to Sprott House for continued developments, staff education and the latest in equipment.

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“We are so pleased with the standard of the development and that we are able to offer updated facilities, such as Duncan Lodge, which are absolutely unique in New Zealand.

“We have designed the whole of Sprott House to be a home away from home, to replicate normal daily living in the home, as far as possible, and to create a safe, comforting environment while maintaining a high quality of care and interest in life.

“In the dementia wing, for example, each resident has a care plan designed to meet their individual needs and each is involved in group or one on one activities to keep as active as possible” she said.

Sprott House’s long history of providing residential care for the elderly, means the organisation has a wealth of experience to draw on.

“We understand the demands of our residents and we pride ourselves on our high level of staff numbers in ratio to our residents. At any one time during the day we have eight registered nurses on site and nurses are always on site at night, with a full complement of care givers. Our staff are specially trained to provide residents with excellent care and individual attention.”

“We believe we are able to offer a residential facility for elderly people second to none in New Zealand, one where it’s about what you can do, not what you can’t, one where you are offered the opportunity to live as full a life as possible,” said Carole.

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