

Enderleigh Remand Home

Nottingham C.B.

Visited with notice by Dr. Lepine on 21st July 1967: this is the first medical visit since the Home opened in February 1967.

1. Numbers            Accommodation    18  
                              In residence        17

89 girls have been through the Home since it opened in February

2. Staffing (medical aspects)

Superintendent	Miss Ayres	
Deputy Superintendent	Mrs. Ames	
Supervisors	Miss Freeston	} P.T.
	Miss Benson	
	Mrs. Davis (was a nurse)	
	Mrs. Holmes	} P.T.
	" Stephenson	
	" Bradley	
Cook	7 a.m. - 4 p.m.	
Seamstress		
Domestic	1 Part time	
Handyman		

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Irrelevant      Miss Ayres and Mrs. Ames previously worked together in a Remand Home in Bristol.

Mrs. Davis had been in post only one week: she appeared to be enjoying the work. I was told that Miss Freeston and Miss Benson do not speak to one another and this has been carried to the extent, on at least one occasion, that girls have been missing without the fact being noticed by them. This aspect has already been reported by Region.

The handyman is said to be leaving soon: as the boiler is solid fuel fired this will raise problems unless a substitute can be found quickly. It appears to me that this could be a last straw in the present staffing situation.

3. Medical arrangements are basically satisfactory but there may be a difficult period towards the end of the month as Dr. Harris is leaving. Two doctors, Dr. Mary Cox and Dr. Stebbings will cover temporarily and later a Dr. Lavell is expected to take over as Medical Officer to the Home. Visits are regular and records adequate.

Reception routine is satisfactory.

4. Psychiatric arrangements are satisfactory with St. Anne's Hospital and the child guidance clinic.