

Walton Parish Nursing (WPN) works with residents in the Walton area of Felixstowe; we take referrals to see people in this area from general practitioners, NHS, Social care Services and referrals from individuals or family members. WPN is managed by St Marys Church, Seaton Road Methodist Church and Maidstone Road Baptist Church, we are funded by grants, donations and legacies from people in the area. Our purpose at WPN is to care for the person when they need support either physically, mentally or spiritually as we are a Christian based organisation. We operate Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays and can be contacted via the web [www.waltonpn.org.uk](http://www.waltonpn.org.uk) or by phone. WPN also attends The Top Up shop at St Phillips on Tuesday mornings, Collymer Court on the first Wednesday of each month for residents and The Hub on Thursday mornings; WPN also run the No Labels Group at Seaton Road Methodist Church on a second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Both Lorna and I are kept busy attending the aforementioned groups as well as seeing clients either in their own home or at Maidstone Road Baptist Church where our office is based. Lorna is a registered General Nurse and I am a Registered Mental Health Nurse.

It is with thanks to Felixstowe Town Council that Walton Parish Nursing can refurbish their 'kitchen' area. We were able to purchase a small kitchenette area with sink, fridge, cupboards and worktop from Ikea which was delivered approximately three weeks ago. Shelving has been purchased from another supplier in order to lessen the weight on our already heavily laden bookshelves. We have purchased curtains (in a sale) to fit the windows of the office (what is even better is that they are thermal lined to help alleviate the cold office). The heater has been purchased, again from a national chain.

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Walton Parish Nursing approached Paul Cotterell, carpenter and kitchen fitter, to install the kitchen area - he is a local tradesperson and was recommended to us - and he will be installing the kitchenette on the 21 April 2026. We are decorating the room ourselves and the paint is ready and waiting!

As previously stated in our grant application the provision of this small area will help Walton Parish Nursing be able to keep a warm and safe area to see clients who are not able to be seen in their own home and that we are able to show a more conducive area of relaxation for them to feel safe by offering that warm environment and a hot cup of tea from a nice, new kitchen area! I have attached a recent photo of our kitchen area at present and an image of what we hope it will look like (partially) in three weeks' time.

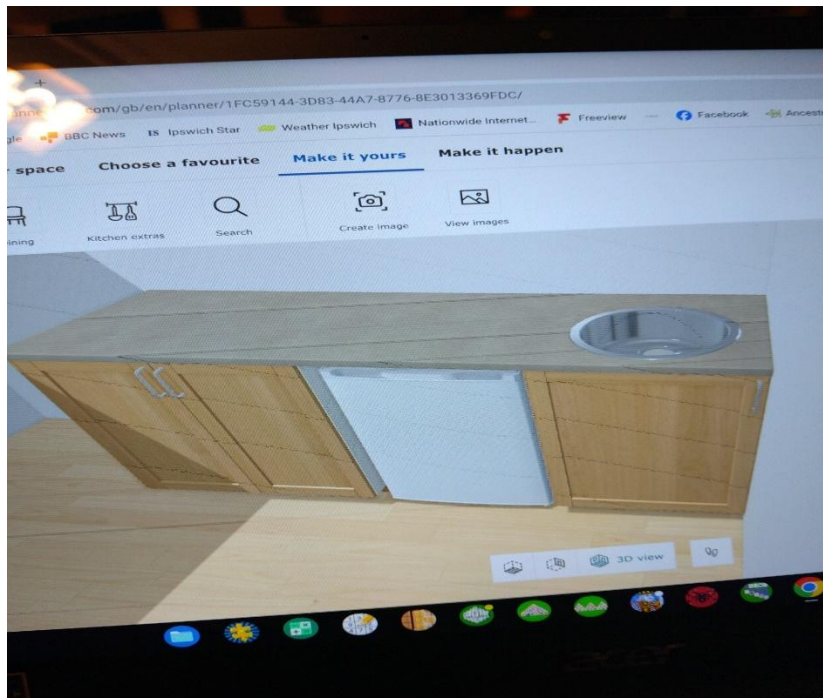
Once it is fully completed a photo will be winging its way to Felixstowe Town Council and members are warmly invited to come and have a cup of tea with a chat to see what Walton Parish Nursing do, if they don't already know, we may even throw in a biscuit or two!



**Before!!!**



**After!!!**



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