

Developing a new approach to help people with memory problems after a fall

[*Name of service*] is currently taking part in a research study.

Researchers at Newcastle University are interested in how services for older people who have fallen and hurt themselves could be improved. A researcher would like to find out more about our service. We are asking some of the people receiving our service whether they would be willing for the researcher to observe the care we provide.

We would be grateful if you would tell the person who gave you this sheet whether or not you are willing for the researcher to observe. **If you decide not to take part, it will have no effect on the care that you receive.** If you would like any further information about the study to help you make a decision, please ask the researcher.

You and a family member or friend may be invited to take part in a follow-up interview. If so, you will be given more information by the researchers. It is entirely up to you to decide whether to help us further by taking part in an interview.

All data collected will be strictly confidential. If you have any questions about the research later please contact: Alison Wheatley on 0191 208 5147 (email: alison.wheatley@ncl.ac.uk) or Miriam Boyles on 0191 208 7963 (email: miriam.boyles@ncl.ac.uk).

Thank you for reading this information sheet.