



SECTOR
**Healthcare
& Education**

Invested 2017

Timeline

- 1999 - Bright Futures founded
- 1999 - Opens first children's home at Victoria Road
- 2005 - Registers School with the Department for Education
- 2010 - Opens First adult home, Bridgewell House
- 2012 - Incorporates and renamed as Bright Futures
- 2014 - Awarded 'Outstanding' Ofsted rating for Willow Tree Park School
- 2017 - Livingbridge Invests
- 2018 - Appoints CEO as part of agreed succession plan with founder
- 2019 - Opens two new homes
- 2020 - Opens three new homes
- 2021 - Opens one new home
- 2022 - Opens four new homes & one new school

Provider of specialist education and care to people with autism and learning disabilities

Bright Futures is a specialist residential care organisation supporting people with autism and learning difficulties.

Based in Warrington, Bright Futures delivers care and education in community based settings..

Our investment is supporting the business as it grows in all three areas with new adult homes, children's homes and schools all being developed while maintaining its excellent track record of Ofsted and CQC ratings.

"It is a pleasure to work with Livingbridge whose track record of growing health and social care businesses while maintaining the highest standards of care is second to none. We take great confidence from the support they are able to provide to our new service development plans and overall"

Bright Futures

From the start of
our journey together

7
Homes

To the company today

17
Homes

The right tools for growth



Talent

We helped to appoint a chairman to support business growth and a CEO to succeed the founder who was looking to stand down as part of the transaction when we invested.



Roll out

We worked with Bright Future to develop an expansion plan for the opening of new homes and schools.

“Livingbridge really does stand out in the private equity market as really understanding what providing high-quality acute care is about. They understand that quality is crucial, and they understand the need to invest to achieve scale. They really do empower the organisation and the team.”

Daniel Jones
CEO, Bright Futures

About Livingbridge

Livingbridge is a mid-market private equity firm with offices in the UK, the US and Australia, investing in fast growing companies valued up to £300m.

Our team have been backing growing businesses together for twenty years. We've done it over a hundred times, turning many into household names both at home and abroad. We get growth.

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