



# Building Safety, Delivering Dignity

Specialist Mental Health Construction Excellence



# Your Partners in Therapeutic Construction

At Harris Bros & Collard (HBC), we understand that mental health construction is not just about bricks and mortar; it's about creating safe, dignified, and healing spaces. With a proven track record across public sector local authority sites – we combine technical precision with clinical sensitivity.

## Why Trust HBC?

### > Sector Experts:

Specialised in HBN/HTM compliant behavioural healthcare.

### > Security First:

Enhanced DBS-cleared workforce as standard.

### > Always On:

24/7, 365-day emergency call-out support

### > Continual Growth:

Rigorous CPD and toolbox talks focused specifically on mental health environment safety.



# Clinical Safety & Compliance

## Protection Without Compromise

We bridge the gap between rigorous safety requirements and the need for a non-institutional feel. Our team is expert in delivering CQC-ready environments that prioritise the safety of both patients and clinicians.

### Specialist Compliance Features:

#### Ligature-Resistant Design Co-ordination & Support

Expertise in anti-ligature fixtures, fittings, and "anti-pick" ironmongery.

#### Robust Finishes

Impact-resistant partitions and high-durability flooring designed for high-traffic, high-stress areas.

#### Secure Environments

From seclusion suite refurbishments to safe room upgrades and anti-barricade door systems.

#### Specialist Partner Integration

We work seamlessly with industry-leading suppliers including:

 britplas

 VISTAMATIC

 anti-ligature  
shop ltd.  
supplying products to create a safer environment

 TOUGH  
FURNITURE

 Kingsway  
Group

# Patient-Centred Live Environments

Modern mental health care requires trauma-informed design and construction understanding. We focus on creating therapeutic spaces that reduce triggers and promote recovery through sensory-sensitive construction.

### Our Capabilities Include:

#### Therapeutic Upgrades:

Natural light optimisation and calming interior palettes.

#### Clinical Enhancements:

Installation of safe ensuite pods and de-escalation rooms.

#### Technical Integration:

Upgrading nurse call systems, CCTV, and access control without compromising the healing aesthetic.

#### We are specialists in zero-disruption planning.

We understand that clinical care never stops, which is why we provide:

- Phased refurbishment and decant strategies.
- Strict Infection Control Risk Assessments (ICRA).
- Secure site segregation to ensure patient and staff safety during works.
- Deep stakeholder engagement to align with ward managers and clinical leads.

Working in "Live" Wards



# Proven Local Experience

Supporting Somerset's Mental Health Infrastructure

HBC has a deep-rooted history of delivering excellence across the Trust's estate. Our localised knowledge ensures we can respond rapidly to the unique needs of each site.

## Active & Reactive Maintenance Sites:

Location	Key Sites Served
Bridgwater	Wessex House, Ash Ward, Willow Ward
Taunton	Rydon Ward, Pyrland Ward, Holford House
Yeovil	Rowan Ward



## Example Previous Recent Capital Projects:

Location	Key Sites Served
Bristol	Blackberry Hill Hospital
Wells	Fletcher House Care Home
Weston	Private Specialist Disabled Adaptations
Exeter	Private Specialist Disabled Adaptation

Let's Secure the Future of Care Together.

From minor anti-ligature upgrades to major ward refurbishments, Harris Bros & Collard provides the expertise this specialism deserves.

**24/7 Support | DBS-Cleared Team | HTM/HBN Compliant**

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