**Single woman near retirement age looking for affordable housing in Salisbury?**

**Consider the College of Matrons almshouses**

***Accommodation***

– unfurnished two bedroom terraced cottage, on three floors, in Salisbury Cathedral Close

– being refurbished, expected to be available by mid February 2022

– Ground Floor

* Entrance hall with WC
* Living room
* Fitted kitchen with combination conventional oven/microwave and ceramic hob, and space for fridge/freezer, washing machine and dishwasher.

– First Floor

* Main bedroom
* Study
* Shower room with WC

– Second Floor

* Guest attic bedroom

– access to communal laundry facilities

– good sized and well maintained communal gardens

– off-street parking

– 24/7 telecare alarm service

– close to local bus and transport links with access to local city centre amenities

***Criteria***

The criteria for being accepted for accommodation in the College of Matrons are:

• You must be a single woman, and

• You must be a resident in our area of benefit, which includes the Dioceses of Bath &

Wells, Exeter, Portsmouth, Salisbury, Truro and Winchester, and

• You must have a housing need or be experiencing some other form of hardship, and

• You must be capable of living independently— able to look after yourself and your home—as no on-site care is provided.

Please note that our properties are only available for single occupancy and that none of our flats or cottages in The Close are suitable for applicants with mobility problems

Preference is given to the widows and daughters of Ministers of the Church of England.

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