

Partner with us

TO ASSIST TENANTS & FAMILIES IN YOUR COMMUNITY LIVING IN UNHEALTHY CONDITIONS





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tenants advice

"To give every social housing tenant a voice that will be heard"

WELCOME

The problems with social housing and private renting in the UK appears to be ever increasing and the public bodies that own these properties are becoming ever more difficult to contact.

The latest English Housing Survey shows there were 76,814 'non-decent' councilowned properties, or homes in substandard conditions, in March last year. The Housing Ombudsman for England has called for a culture change in social housing, accusing landlords of blaming tenants and not taking responsibility for disrepair.

Everyday we come across many tenants whose lives are being deeply affected by the conditions they are living in, affecting both physically or mentally health. Tenants feeling embarrassed about inviting friends or family over because of the living conditions. Enough is enough, we are here to help tenants and families across England & Wales with their legal rights .

We want to partner with you to help spread our message to assist even more tenants across our communities

Jacob Lawton-Jones Housing Conditions Advisor

HOW TO REFER TENANTS TO OUR SERVICE:

Do any of your friends, family or community suffer with similar social housing repair problems?

Contact our partnership team to speak to Jacob on 020 8049 4909

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ABOUT US





Who We Are

Tenants Advice helps thousands of families across England & Wales with housing disrepair issues. Founded in 2016, our aim is to support Council and Housing Association tenants who are struggling to get repairs carried out by their housing provider. It Is your legal right to live free of constant leaks, damp, mould, rotten windows, rodent or cockroach infestations.

At Tenants Advice we have an expert team of Housing Conditions Officers, Solicitors and Building Surveyors who guarantee fast, reliable help and advice. We are confident in getting the best results for the tenants we help.

What We Do

We are assisting many tenants in your local area who are living in such conditions.

- \cdot Damp/Mould
- \cdot Pests
- Windows/Doors
- Leaks
- Cracks/Subsidence
- \cdot Roof/Gutter issues



HOW WE CAN HELP?

Helping Tenants Understand Their Rights

We can help the tenant to escalate the issues within the complaint's procedure with the landlord. If appropriate we can provide details of relevant bodies who can assist i.e. Environmental health, housing ombudsman, property ombudsman etc.

Free Housing Consultations

Our advice and support services offer one-to-one personalised help with the housing by arranging a free consultation for one of our housing surveyors to attend the tenant's home. One of our experienced team will be able to assess the outstanding repairs with specialist equipment.

Over The Phone

Our free helpline is open five days a week to answer calls from anyone struggling with a housing issue.

Legal

Our solicitors provide legal advice to help people who are struggling to get repairs completed by their housing association or council.





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Frequently Asked Questions

Does my tenancy agreement affect my right to claim?

No it does not - Generally speaking, if you do not have exclusive use of any part of a property, you have a license to occupy. If you have exclusive use of part or the whole of the property, you are likely to have an assured or short-hold tenancy agreement. Our experienced team of advisors can help you establish your rights with regards to your individual circumstances.

How much will I have to pay?

We offer free housing appointments for one of our specialist housing team to visit you at your home to assess the disrepair. At this point we can either provide you with free specialist housing advice or refer you onto one of our panel Solicitors. Should they succeed with your claim then they will deduct a percentage from the compensation. If the Solicitor does not succeed then they will not present you with a bill of costs. You can be rest assured that you will not be out of pocket as a result of the work done for you.

Will I be entitled to compensation?

If you have a valid claim for housing disrepair, aside from compelling the landlord to repair your property, you can also claim compensation for: inconvenience caused; damage to personal property; personal injury and ill health resulting from the disrepair - including respiratory illness caused by damp conditions and any financial losses suffered as a result of the failure to rectify the disrepair.

Trust Our Clients

Tenants Advice Rated Excellence



Deborah P

Very friendly quick, efficient & thorough! I can recommend tenants advice to anyone suffering with disrepair at their home, & not getting any help from their landlords!

Nana Don K

Oh my God I don't even know what to say all I can say is thank you very much, much appreciated.

Humayra B

Tenants advice have been very helpful to me as I have had a lot of problems with my house. The people who came to fix the problems were very friendly and got the job done quickly.