

Housing Needs Checklist

Read the following statements on this page and the next page and tick ALL which you feel apply to yourself **AND/OR** to anyone who will be living with you when you are rehoused.

1. Intimidation

I have (or someone who will be living with me has) been a victim of intimidation

2. Insecurity of Tenure

I am (or someone who will be living with me is) currently homeless

I am (or someone who will be living with me is) about to become homeless

3. Housing Conditions

I am (or someone who will be living with me is) presently living in overcrowded conditions

I am (or someone who will be living with me is) currently sharing accommodation with someone who will not be moving with me

I am (or someone who will be living with me is) currently living in accommodation that is in disrepair or lacks basic facilities (for washing, cooking etc)

I have (or someone who will be living with me has) already been on the waiting list for housing for more than two years

4. Health and Social Wellbeing

My health (or the health of someone who will be living with me) is affected by our current housing circumstances

My remaining in this property is affecting the health of another member of the household who will not be moving with me

I have (or someone who will be living with me has) difficulty either in getting around in or getting to the present accommodation due to health problems

I suffer (or someone who will be living with me suffers) from another medical condition. For example, mental illness / depression

I have (or someone who will be living with me has) social reasons. For example, trauma or bereavement why I (they) need to be rehoused

I have (or someone who will be living with me has) other compelling reasons why I (they) need to be rehoused

When the Housing Officer visits you s/he should ask questions around these general areas. Try to give as much detail as possible in your answers - keep this checklist handy as you may find it helpful to refer to during the visit.