#### **Customer Service Standards**



### Our commitment to you

We value every conversation, email and visit. Our goal is to provide consistent, high-quality housing and support services that reflect your rights and meet your needs – fairly, respectfully, and in ways that work for you.

#### We will:

- Make it easy to speak with a member of our team.
- Listen carefully and respond with professionalism and empathy.
- Treat you fairly, with dignity and respect at all times.
- Go the extra mile where additional support is needed.
- Provide clear, accurate and up to date information.
- Respect your privacy and handle your information securely.
- Ask how you prefer to be contacted and note any specific communication needs.
- Ensure our staff and contractors show identification when visiting your home.

### What you can expect from us

When you contact us, we aim to:

- Answer phone calls and emails promptly.
- Be friendly, respectful, and professional.
- Acknowledge your enquiry and keep you informed if we need to investigate further.
- Pass your enquiry to the right team member if needed.

If you'd like a relative, carer, or advocate to speak to us on your behalf, just let us know. We may ask for this in writing, so we can handle things securely.

#### Accessible and inclusive communication

We want all residents to feel respected, heard, and supported. We know that communication needs vary – and we're committed to being flexible and inclusive.

We can provide information in:

- Large print.
- Easy read.
- Translated formats.

If you need extra help understanding something, or managing your tenancy or lease, please let us know. You're welcome to involve a family member, friend, or advocate at any time.

We'll always do our best to meet your needs – and make sure our communication is accessible, appropriate and kind.

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# Getting involved and giving feedback

We actively encourage residents to help shape our services. You can get involved by:

- Attending resident engagement events or consultation sessions.
- Taking part in surveys or service reviews.

We welcome all feedback – including complaints, compliments and suggestions – and use it to improve.

# People, Places, Partnerships in practice

Great customer service is about relationships built on trust.

- For **people**, it means feeling heard, respected and understood.
- In the **places** we manage, it shapes safe, inclusive communities.
- Through **partnerships** we work with you and others to keep listening, learning, and improving.