# RHONDDA CYNON TAF Housing-Related Support



# **Referral Form**

Please complete this form if you are interested in receiving support to help you successfully manage your home, or you would like to be considered for supported housing, and sign the form. If you are completing this form on behalf of someone else, please discuss the referral with them and ensure that they agree to receive support and sharing the information.

If you are unable to get the form signed, please ensure verbal consent is given and note this in in the signature box at the end of this form before returning it.

# 1. Communication

Are you able to communicate in English/Welsh?	Yes No	
Which Language would you like us to communicate with you in?	Welsh	Bilingually
Do you have any communication needs you would like us to consider?	<ul> <li>Hearing Impairment</li> <li>Visual Impairment</li> <li>No</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Speech Impairment</li> <li>Physical Impairment</li> <li>Prefer not to say</li> </ul>
Do you require a British Sign Language (BSL) worker?	Yes No	
If your first language is not English/Welsh, do you require a translation service?	Yes No	
If YES, please provide details		

#### How we use your personal data:

The information in this form is required to help us understand your individual needs and how best we can support you by referring you to the most appropriate provider.

If you would like to know more about how the Housing Support Grant Team (formally Supporting People Team) processes your personal data, please visit our service privacy notice on the Council's Data Protection pages at www.rctcbc.gov.uk/dataprotection or ask a member of the team.



# 2. Support needed

What support do you need?	<ul> <li>I would like support in my current tenancy (includes homeowners)</li> <li>I would like support to move into my new tenancy (includes homeowners)</li> <li>I would like support but do not have my own tenancy</li> <li>I would like supported accommodation</li> </ul>
Have you previously received support from any support service in RCT?	Yes No
If YES, please tell us what service and any names	

# 3. About you

First name(s)			
Surname			
Date of Birth		National Insurance Number	
Current Address			
Postcode			
Contact Telephone number			
ls it safe to contact you or leave a message?	Yes No	Are you able to access the internet?	Yes
Email address			
If we are unable to contact you, who would you like us to contact on your behalf?	Name: Contact Number:		
Do you have any specific health problems or needs?	<ul> <li>Physical Health ne</li> <li>Learning Disability</li> <li>Prefer not to say</li> </ul>		s
lf one or more ticked, please give details			

**Equalities** You do not have to answer the following equalities questions if you do not want to

Gender	Female	Male	Transgender identity
	Non-binary	Prefer not to say	
	Other (please specify):		
Marital	Civil Partnership	Divorced	Married
Status	Partnered	Separated	Single
	Widowed	Prefer not to say	
	Other (please specify):		
Ethnic	Asian or Asian British-	Bangladeshi	Mixed- White & Asian
Origin	Asian or Asian British-	Chinese	Mixed- White & Black African
	Asian or Asian British-I	ndian	Mixed- White & Black Caribbean
	Asian or Asian British-	Pakistani	Mixed-Other
	Asian Other		White British
	Black or Black British-	African	White Irish
	Black or Black British-	Caribbean	White Other
	Black or Black British-	Other	Gypsy, Romany, Irish Traveller
	Prefer not to say		
	Other Ethnic Group (pl	ease specify):	
Nationality	British	English	Welsh
	Scottish	Northern Irish	Prefer not to say
	Other (please specify):		
Sexuality	Bisexual	Gay Man	Gay Woman/Lesbian
	Heterosexual/Straight	Prefer not to say	
	Other (please specify):		
Religious	Buddhist	Christian	Jewish Hindu
belief	Muslim	Sikh	No faith or religion
	Prefer not to say		
	Other (please specify):		

# 4. My current housing situation

Please give details e.g. how long lived there

An Owner Occupier	
Renting from a Housing Association Please provide the Housing Association and Housing Officers contact details	
	Housing Association: Contact details:
Renting from a private landlord	
	Landlord Name: Contact details:
Living with family or friends	
Living in temporary accommodation/B&B/Hostel	
Rough Sleeping	
I am moving into my new home	<ul><li>What date are you moving in?</li><li>What is your new address?</li></ul>
Living in a caravan/mobile home	
<b>Currently in prison</b> Please provide release date if known	
Currently in hospital If known, please provide information regarding accommodation on discharge	
Other Please provide details	

# 5. What is the main reason(s) you need support?

You must tick at least	Domestic Abuse	Long Term Illness i.e. diabetes, epilepsy, arthritis
one need	Sexual Violence	Criminal Offending History
	Learning Disability	Young Person who is a Care Leaver
	Mental Health	<b>Young Person aged 16-24</b> who has not been in care
	Alcohol	Gypsy Traveller
	<b>Families</b>	Substance Misuse
	Refugee Status	Single Parent Family
	Memory loss/Dementia	Physical/Sensory Disabilities
	Over 55 years of age	Single Person aged 25 to 55 with need not listed above
	Developmental Disorder i.e. Autism	Current or former Armed Service Personnel
From the list above please	Lead need	
list the main support needs	Second need	
	Third need	

PLEASE NOTE: The form will be returned if leads are not ordered

## 6. Are you currently receiving, or have previously received, any support or help from any professionals, friends or family members?

Examples include: Social Worker, Nurse, Probation Officer, Carer, Housing Officer, Community Psychiatric Nurse (CPN). If you are a Housing Association tenant, please provide details of your allocated Housing Officer.

	Name	Relationship to you	Contact Details
1			2
2			2
3			2
4			2
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5			2
5			
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# 7 What support do you feel that you need help with?

If yes, please give details

Are you homeless or threatened with homelessness?	
Do you have rent or mortgage arrears? If yes, how much and do you have an arrangement in place to reduce the arrears?	
Are you subject to any legal action? e.g. Notice To Quit (NTQ), eviction or possession order	
Are you experiencing harassment or are you at risk of violence from others?	
Do you need help to manage your money? e.g. Paying bills/rent, applying for benefits, benefits have been stopped/sanctioned or managing debt/s	
Do you need help to fill in forms or reading forms? e.g. Letters and bills	
Do you need help looking for work, training, volunteering or finding activities in your local area?	
Do you need help with looking after yourself including making appointments? e.g. Visiting a GP/Dentist/other medical professional, eating healthy or help with your mental wellbeing	
Do you need help to move and look for alternative accommodation? e.g. Help to apply for housing or to bid for properties?	
Do you need help to feel safe in your home? e.g. Help with getting adaptations to your home to make it easier to live, such as, having a shower and grab rails fitted	
Do you need help to manage and maintain your home? e.g. Arranging repairs, looking after your garden, helping to keep the property clean and tidy	
Do you need any help to prevent the loss of your home? e.g. Issues with antisocial behaviour, substance misuse, medical or social needs	
Do you have accommodation but are unable to live in it/return to it? e.g. Due to domestic violence, risk from others	

a Do you have any other information you think would be useful for us to know so that we can support you effectively?

## 9. Consent

If you are completing the form on behalf of someone else, please discuss the referral with them and ensure that they give consent to be referred for support.

Has the applicant consented	
to this referral?	<b>No</b> If this application is being submitted without someone's consent (e.g. for safeguarding purposes) please contact the Housing Support Grant Team directly to discuss the application.

#### Sharing my information

I understand that in order to receive support, the information recorded on this referral form will be shared with the most appropriate agency or organisation that may be able to meet my needs through the provision of advice and support.

Ν	Name	
Sign	ature Date	
Jyn	ature Date	

### **Referring Agency**

Referrer's Name	
Organisation	
Contact Number	
Email Address	
Relationship to applicant	
If known to Housing Solutions Team, please provide Homeless Application Number	

If you are a referring agency completing this form on behalf of someone you are currently providing a service to, please attach additional information e.g. risk assessment.

Please indicate if the type of visit required for the initial contact assessment	<ul> <li>Lone Visit</li> <li>Joint Visit</li> <li>Safe/Public Space</li> </ul>
lf you have answered yes to <b>joint visit</b> or <b>safe/public space</b> , please give more detail	

#### **IF PAPER FORM...**

Please return the form to:

Housing Support Grant Team Sardis House, Sardis Road Pontypridd CF37 1DU

# IF INTERACTIVE FORM...

Please return the form to: HSGTEAM@rctcbc.gov.uk

Mae croeso i chi gyfathrebu â ni yn y Gymraeg You are welcome to communicate with us in Welsh





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