



Domestic Abuse Policy

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Internal References	• Tenancy Management Policy • Estate Management Community Safety Policy Handbook • Data Protection Policy • Staff Domestic Abuse Policy • Adult Protection/Child Protection Policy
External References	• Housing (Scotland) Act 2025 • Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Act 2021 • Equality Act 2010 • Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018 • Scottish Social Housing Charter • SHR Regulatory Framework
Comments This policy replaces Version 2 of the Domestic Abuse Policy and has been updated to reflect legislative changes, strengthen Thenue's victim-survivor-centred approach and formalise arrangements for supporting tenants affected by domestic abuse.	



DOMESTIC ABUSE POLICY

1. INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 Thenue Housing Association is committed to supporting tenants and other service users affected by domestic abuse and to providing services in a manner that promotes safety, dignity and respect.
- 1.2 The Association signed up to the Chartered Institute of Housing's Make a Stand pledge, developed in partnership with Women's Aid and the Domestic Abuse Housing Alliance, which encourages housing organisations to take action to support people affected by domestic abuse.
- 1.3 This policy sets out how the Association will respond to domestic abuse, support victim-survivors and work with partners to help people remain safe in their homes and communities. Support arrangements for employees are addressed separately through the Association's staff policies and procedures.
- 1.4 We recognise that domestic abuse can affect anyone, regardless of age, sex, disability, race, religion or belief, sexual orientation, gender identity or relationship status. The Association will provide support to any person experiencing domestic abuse.
- 1.5 We also recognise that domestic abuse disproportionately affects women and is most commonly perpetrated by men. Where gender information was recorded, 81% of 64,697 domestic abuse incidents reported to Police Scotland in 2024/25 involved a female victim-survivor and a male suspected perpetrator.
- 1.6 Domestic abuse can have serious consequences for housing security, financial wellbeing, health and safety. Safe and secure housing is often a critical factor in enabling people to escape, recover from, and rebuild their lives after abuse. The Association recognises its important role in supporting victim-survivors and preventing homelessness.

2. POLICY AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

- 2.1 The aim of this policy is to ensure Thenue Housing Association provides a proactive, consistent and supportive response to domestic abuse, recognising its impact on individuals, families and communities.
- 2.2 In delivering this aim, the Association will:
 - Prevent homelessness and sustain tenancies where it is safe and appropriate to do so;
 - Identify and support those experiencing domestic abuse;

- Provide a sensitive, confidential and person-centred response;
- Work in partnership with appropriate agencies to provide advice, assistance and protection;
- Help individuals access appropriate housing options and support services;
- Use relevant tenancy and housing management measures to address the actions of perpetrators where appropriate and lawful to do so.

2.3 The Association is committed to a victim-survivor-centred, rights-based approach that promotes dignity, respect, choice and safety, while ensuring support is available to all individuals affected by domestic abuse.

3. POLICY DEVELOPMENT

3.1 The Association recognises that recounting experiences of domestic abuse can be distressing and potentially re-traumatising. In reviewing this policy, consideration has therefore been given to published research, lived-experience evidence and specialist guidance from organisations working with victim-survivors, rather than undertaking direct consultation with tenants or applicants, specifically for the purposes of this policy review.

4. LEGAL AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

4.1 This policy has been developed with regard to relevant legislation, regulatory requirements and good practice guidance, including:

- Housing (Scotland) Act 1987;
- Housing (Scotland) Act 2001;
- Housing (Scotland) Act 2010;
- Housing (Scotland) Act 2025;
- Domestic Abuse (Scotland) Act 2018;
- Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Act 2021;
- United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (Incorporation) (Scotland) Act 2024;
- Children (Scotland) Act 1995;
- Children and Young People (Scotland) Act 2014;
- Adult Support and Protection (Scotland) Act 2007;
- Equality Act 2010; Human Rights Act 1998;
- UK GDPR and the Data Protection Act 2018.

4.2 The Association will ensure that its response to domestic abuse reflects relevant legal duties, regulatory standards and statutory guidance, including the Scottish Social Housing Charter requirements relating to the support social landlords should provide to tenants whom they have reason to believe have experienced, are experiencing, or are at risk of domestic abuse.

4.3 The Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Act 2021 introduced additional powers for social landlords in relation to domestic abuse and provides mechanisms, in specified circumstances, for action to be taken against perpetrators while supporting victim-survivors and survivors. The Association will have regard to the Scottish Government's statutory guidance when considering the use of these provisions.

- 4.4 This policy will be reviewed periodically to ensure it remains consistent with legislative requirements, regulatory expectations and emerging good practice.

5. DEFINITION OF DOMESTIC ABUSE

- 5.1 In identifying and responding to domestic abuse, the Association will have regard to relevant legislation, statutory guidance and the definitions adopted by the Scottish Government.
- 5.2 The Scottish Government defines domestic abuse as a form of gender-based abuse which may be perpetrated by a partner or ex-partner and can include physical, sexual, psychological, emotional and financial abuse, as well as coercive and controlling behaviour.
- 5.3 The Association recognises that domestic abuse can affect anyone regardless of age, sex, disability, race, religion or belief, sexual orientation, gender identity, immigration status, income or tenure.
- 5.4 The Association also recognises that domestic abuse disproportionately affects women and children and that women are more likely to experience repeated, serious and coercive forms of abuse. This policy has been developed with an awareness of that unequal impact while ensuring support is available to all victims and survivors.
- 5.5 For the purposes of the Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Act 2021, domestic abuse includes abusive behaviour by a partner or former partner that is likely to cause physical or psychological harm. Such behaviour may consist of a single incident or a course of conduct and may include acts, omissions or behaviour directed through a third party.
- 5.6 We recognise that children who live with domestic abuse are victim-survivor of that abuse in their own right and that their safety, wellbeing, rights and best interests must be carefully considered when responding to reports of domestic abuse.
- 5.7 Domestic abuse can take many forms, including physical abuse, coercive control, economic abuse, technology-facilitated abuse, forced marriage, so-called honour-based abuse, stalking (online or in-person), and abuse involving pets or other animals.

6. ROLES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- 6.1 All employees have a responsibility to be aware of this policy, attend relevant training and take appropriate action where domestic abuse is identified, disclosed or suspected.
- 6.2 Managers are responsible for ensuring staff receive appropriate support, guidance and training and for overseeing the management of domestic abuse cases within their area of responsibility.
- 6.3 The Director of Community Housing Services has overall responsibility for the implementation of this policy, ensuring cases are reviewed as required and that appropriate outcomes are achieved.
- 6.4 Employees must comply with this policy, associated procedures and any relevant statutory guidance.

7. OUR APPROACH

7.1 Prevention

- 7.1.1 The Association is committed to adopting a proactive approach to preventing and addressing domestic abuse.
- 7.1.2 Employees will receive training appropriate to their role to support the identification of domestic abuse, safe responses to disclosures, and awareness of available housing options, legal remedies and support services.
- 7.1.3 The Association will seek to identify indicators of domestic abuse through its day-to-day contact with tenants, residents and housing applicants and will take appropriate action where concerns are identified.
- 7.1.4 Managers will support employees managing domestic abuse cases and ensure appropriate supervision, oversight and access to specialist advice where required.
- 7.1.5 We recognise that having a safe and secure home can be vital to recovery from domestic abuse. Wherever possible, appropriate and safe, we will support victim-survivors who wish to remain in their home and avoid homelessness.

7.2 Disclosure and Reporting of Domestic Abuse

- 7.2.1 We understand that it can be difficult and frightening to speak about domestic abuse. We encourage tenants, residents and housing applicants to contact us if they are experiencing domestic abuse themselves or are concerned about the safety or wellbeing of someone else.
- 7.2.2 Reports and disclosures of domestic abuse will be treated sensitively, respectfully and confidentially, subject to the Association's legal, safeguarding and information sharing obligations.
- 7.2.3 Anyone who discloses abuse to us will be treated with dignity, respect and compassion. We will listen, take concerns seriously and seek to provide support in a way that reflects the wishes and circumstances of the individual.
- 7.2.4 We understand that leaving an abusive relationship is often a complex process and that individuals may make several attempts before finding a safe and lasting solution. We will take a non-judgemental approach and continue to offer support regardless of an individual's circumstances.
- 7.2.5 We will offer support regardless of whether an individual chooses to report the matter to Police Scotland, pursue legal action or take tenancy action against a perpetrator.
- 7.2.6 Where domestic abuse is reported by a third party, the Association will consider the most appropriate and safe means of responding, taking account of potential risks to those affected.

7.3 Support and Signposting

7.3.1 We will work with victim-survivors to understand their individual circumstances and identify the support that is right for them. Our aim is to help people make informed choices and access the assistance they need to remain safe and secure. We will work at a pace that reflects the wishes and circumstances of the individual.

7.3.2 Support may include:

- Safety planning and risk management;
- Assistance with housing options and rehousing opportunities;
- Advice regarding homelessness services;
- Referrals to money advice, welfare rights and tenancy support services;
- Assistance to access specialist domestic abuse services;
- Signposting to legal, health, social work, mental health, advocacy and other relevant support agencies.

7.3.3 The Association will maintain up-to-date information on local and national support organisations and will ensure information is provided in a safe and appropriate manner.

7.4 Safeguarding Children and Adults at Risk

7.4.1 We recognise that domestic abuse can have a profound impact on children and adults at risk. Children who live in households affected by domestic abuse can experience harm even where they are not the direct target of abusive behaviour. We will take concerns seriously and act where necessary to help protect those who may be at risk.

7.4.2 Where we believe a child or adult may be at risk of harm, we will follow relevant child protection and adult support and protection procedures and share information with appropriate agencies where required by law or justified by risk.

7.4.3 We will seek to ensure that information sharing is proportionate, lawful and necessary, whilst taking account of the safety and wellbeing of those affected.

7.4.4 When making housing management decisions, the Association will consider the impact of domestic abuse on any children involved and seek to promote their safety, wellbeing and best interests.

7.5 Children's Rights

7.5.1 We recognise that domestic abuse can have a lasting impact on children and young people. We are committed to respecting, protecting and helping to fulfil their rights and ensuring their wellbeing and best interests are considered in decisions that affect them.

7.5.2 Where our decisions, actions or services may affect children directly or indirectly, we will have regard to the requirements of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child and seek to ensure relevant decisions take account of children's rights, wellbeing and best interests.

7.5.3 The Association will seek to ensure that its approach supports fair, transparent and child-conscious decision-making.

7.6 Housing Options

7.6.1 We recognise that there is no single solution that is right for everyone. We will work with victim-survivors to explore the housing options available to them and support them to make choices based on their own needs, wishes and safety. We understand that housing decisions following domestic abuse can be difficult and that individuals are often faced with complex and emotional choices. We will aim to provide clear information, practical assistance and support to help people make informed decisions about their housing circumstances.

7.6.2 These may include:

- Supporting victim-survivors to remain safely in their home where appropriate;
- Assisting perpetrators to access alternative housing options where appropriate;
- Supporting planned moves to prevent homelessness;
- Facilitating tenancy changes where appropriate and lawful;
- Assisting access to legal advice and specialist support services;
- Supporting access to homelessness services where required.

7.6.3 The Association will seek to ensure that housing options are tailored to individual circumstances and informed by the wishes and safety of those affected.

7.7 Action Against Perpetrators

7.7.1 We are committed to helping victim-survivors feel safe in their homes and communities. Domestic abuse will not be tolerated and, where appropriate, we will consider the range of options available to address the behaviour of perpetrators.

7.7.2 Domestic abuse may constitute a breach of the conditions of a Scottish Secure Tenancy or Short Scottish Secure Tenancy and may result in appropriate tenancy enforcement action.

7.7.3 When considering action against perpetrators, the Association will take account of the wishes of the victim-survivor, the safety of all affected parties, the needs of children and any relevant legal, equality and human rights considerations.

7.7.4 Where the statutory conditions are met, the Association may consider using the powers available under the Domestic Abuse (Protection) (Scotland) Act 2021, including the abusive behaviour ground for recovery of possession or termination of a joint tenant's interest, where it is appropriate and proportionate to do so.

7.7.5 Before deciding whether to use the abusive behaviour ground, we will consider the wishes of the victim-survivor, any risks to their safety, the impact on children, available evidence, any relevant legal proceedings, equality and human rights considerations, and whether there are safer or more appropriate alternatives. The use of these powers will be considered on a case-by-case basis and will not be treated as an automatic response to every disclosure or report of domestic abuse.

7.7.6 Our aim will be to support outcomes which improve safety and, where appropriate, enable victim-survivors to remain safely in their home. However, we recognise that there is no single solution that is right for everyone and will always take account of the wishes of the victim-survivor when considering available housing options. This may include considering whether

legal action could allow a victim-survivor to remain in, or return to, their home safely, where this reflects their wishes and the statutory conditions are met.

7.7.7 Where we are unable, or consider it inappropriate, to pursue action using the abusive behaviour ground, we will consider alternative options available through our policies, procedures and housing management powers and will support victim-survivors to access appropriate advice and assistance.

7.7.8 Where repossession proceedings are raised using the abusive behaviour ground, the Association will provide any advice and assistance required by legislation and guidance to those affected by the proceedings, whilst ensuring this does not compromise the safety, confidentiality or support needs of the victim-survivor or any children involved.

7.7.9 The Association will work with Police Scotland and other relevant agencies, where appropriate, in relation to the investigation and management of domestic abuse cases.

7.8 Rent Arrears, Property Damage and Other Housing Management Issues

7.8.1 We understand that domestic abuse can affect many aspects of a person's life, including their finances, ability to manage their tenancy and engagement with services. Abuse may contribute to rent arrears, property damage, missed appointments or other tenancy-related issues.

7.8.2 Where domestic abuse is known or suspected, the Association will consider whether the abuse has contributed to the issue before deciding what action is appropriate. Where the Association considers that domestic abuse explains or partly explains rent arrears, it will take reasonable steps to support the tenant's needs arising in connection with those arrears, having regard to this policy, and provide information about appropriate domestic abuse support services before commencing possession proceedings.

7.8.3 We recognise that domestic abuse may affect a person's ability to engage with services, manage finances or maintain their tenancy. We will seek to understand the circumstances of each case and, where appropriate, adapt our approach to ensure victim-survivors receive support while the Association continues to meet its housing management responsibilities.

7.8.4 The Association will not hold a victim-survivor responsible for the actions of a perpetrator without fully considering the circumstances, available evidence, safety risks and relevant legal duties.

7.8.5 The Association will balance its responsibility to support victim-survivors with its duties to manage tenancies, protect communities, recover rent lawfully and maintain its housing stock.

7.8.6 The Association will not use mediation, conduct joint interviews, or expect victim-survivors to engage directly with perpetrators where domestic abuse has been disclosed or identified.

7.8.7 We recognise that concerns regarding the safety and welfare of pets can affect housing decisions and a person's ability to seek support. Where appropriate, we will consider how pet-related concerns can be addressed as part of safety planning and support arrangements.

- 7.8.8 Domestic abuse may come to light through a range of housing services, including repairs, housing management and income maximisation activities. Staff will be supported to recognise potential indicators of domestic abuse and respond appropriately.
- 7.8.9 We recognise that behaviours initially reported or recorded as anti-social behaviour may in some cases be linked to domestic abuse. Where this is identified, we will respond in accordance with this policy and seek to ensure that victim-survivors are supported rather than disadvantaged.

8. EVIDENCE AND RECORD KEEPING

- 8.1 We will gather and record information relating to domestic abuse sensitively, lawfully and only where necessary. Information may come from a range of sources, including the victim-survivor, Police Scotland, local authority services, health professionals, specialist support organisations, court orders, tenancy records, repairs records and other relevant sources.
- 8.2 We will not place unnecessary evidential burdens on victim-survivors when providing support. We will seek to minimise the need for individuals to repeat their experiences and will provide opportunities for discussions to take place in a safe and private environment. Where possible and appropriate, victim-survivors may request to speak with a member of staff of their preferred gender and we will seek to accommodate this. The type and level of information required will depend on the action being considered. Support will not be withheld solely because formal evidence is not available, although tenancy enforcement or court action may require evidence sufficient to meet the relevant legal test.
- 8.3 Where tenancy enforcement action is being considered, we will assess whether there is sufficient evidence to meet the relevant legal requirements and will seek legal advice where appropriate. Each case will be considered on its individual circumstances.

9 CONFIDENTIALITY, DATA PROTECTION AND SAFE CONTACT

- 9.1 We will handle personal information relating to domestic abuse in accordance with data protection legislation and our data protection policies and procedures.
- 9.2 Information will be shared only where there is a lawful basis to do so and where it is necessary, proportionate and safe. This may include sharing information with agencies such as Police Scotland, local authority services, health professionals or specialist domestic abuse organisations to help protect individuals, assess risk, provide support or gather evidence.
- 9.3 We will agree safe methods of communication with victim-survivors, including preferred contact details, times of contact and whether messages, emails or letters can be sent safely. We will take all reasonable steps to protect personal information and will not disclose a victim-survivor's location or personal details where doing so may place them at risk.

10. MULTI-AGENCY WORKING

- 10.1 We recognise that addressing domestic abuse often requires a coordinated response. We will work with relevant agencies and organisations, where appropriate and with due regard to confidentiality and data protection requirements, to support the safety and wellbeing of victim-survivors and any children affected by domestic abuse.

- 10.2 This may include working with Police Scotland, local authorities, social work services, health services, specialist domestic abuse support organisations, legal advisers, advocacy services, money advice providers and other housing providers.
- 10.3 Where appropriate, we will participate in Multi-Agency Risk Assessment Conference (MARAC) arrangements and other multi-agency processes designed to improve the safety of those affected by domestic abuse and to manage identified risks. This includes multi-agency tasking and coordination of high harm perpetrators of domestic violence (MATAC).
- 10.4 We recognise that domestic abuse may include economic abuse and that concerns may come to light through our housing management, rent collection and income maximisation activities. Relevant staff will receive training to help identify and respond appropriately to economic abuse and will have access to specialist support, advice and resources through Financially Included Scotland's Economic Abuse Response Network.
- 10.5 Where appropriate, we will provide support directly and/or make referrals to specialist agencies that can offer financial advice, advocacy and practical assistance to victim-survivors.
- 10.6 Where there are concerns regarding significant or immediate risk, we will consider referrals to appropriate agencies and risk management processes in accordance with local procedures and the needs of those affected.

11. STAFF TRAINING AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- 11.1 The Association is committed to ensuring that employees receive appropriate training on domestic abuse, relevant to their role and responsibilities.
- 11.2 Training will support staff to recognise domestic abuse, respond appropriately to disclosures and provide support in a safe, confidential and trauma-informed manner. This includes understanding coercive control, economic abuse and the barriers victim-survivors may face in seeking support.
- 11.3 The Association has undertaken training through Addressing Economic Abuse and is committed to continuing the development of staff knowledge and skills through ongoing training and engagement with specialist organisations, including Financially Included Scotland's Economic Abuse Response Network.
- 11.4 Staff responsible for implementing this policy will be expected to apply its principles in their day-to-day work and to seek advice or support where required.

12. EQUALITY, DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

- 12.1 The Association is committed to ensuring that no individual is treated less favourably on the grounds of age, disability, race, colour, ethnic or national origin, religion or belief, sex, sexual orientation, gender reassignment, marriage or civil partnership, pregnancy or maternity, or any other protected characteristic.

- 12.2 We recognise that the experience and impact of domestic abuse can be influenced by an individual's personal circumstances and that some people may face additional barriers in accessing support and services.
- 12.3 We will take reasonable steps to ensure our services are accessible and responsive to individual needs. This may include providing interpretation or translation services, making reasonable adjustments for disabled people, and taking account of barriers relating to language, culture, age, disability, digital exclusion, geographical isolation, immigration status or other vulnerabilities.
- 12.4 In implementing this policy, we will seek to promote equality, dignity and respect, and to achieve fair and equitable outcomes for all those affected by domestic abuse.

13. COMMUNICATION AND PUBLICITY

- 13.1 The Association will promote awareness of domestic abuse and the support available to those affected through appropriate communication channels, including our website, tenant publications, offices and partnership networks.
- 13.2 We want tenants, residents and applicants to know that they can approach us safely and confidentially if they are experiencing domestic abuse. We will make information available about the support, advice and housing options that may be available to them, as well as specialist organisations that can provide additional assistance.
- 13.3 We will continue to work with partners to raise awareness of domestic abuse and encourage those affected to seek support at an early stage.

14. MONITORING AND REVIEW

- 14.1 The Association will monitor the implementation and effectiveness of this policy to help ensure that it continues to meet the needs of tenants, residents and applicants affected by domestic abuse.
- 14.2 We will use information gathered through service delivery, customer feedback, complaints, partnership working and organisational learning to identify any improvements required to our approach.
- 14.3 All employees are responsible for complying with this policy and any associated procedures. Managers will be responsible for supporting employees in the implementation of the policy and ensuring that appropriate advice is sought where necessary.
- 14.4 Detailed operational guidance, including referral pathways, safe contact arrangements, case recording, evidence gathering, legal advice and escalation routes, will be set out in the associated Domestic Abuse Procedure.
- 14.5 This policy will be reviewed at least every three years, or sooner where required to reflect changes in legislation, statutory guidance, regulatory requirements, good practice or organisational learning

APPENDIX 1 – Support Agencies

Agency	Information	Contact
Scotland's Domestic Abuse and Forced Marriage Helpline (SDAFMH)	Scotland's Domestic Abuse and Forced Marriage Helpline supports anyone experiencing domestic abuse or forced marriage, as well as those who support them. Contact us 24/7, 365 days a year for a confidential and sensitive service by trained specialists.	Call: 0800 027 1234 Text/WhatsApp: 07401288595 Email: helpline@sdafmh.org.uk Website: https://sdafmh.org.uk/
Rape Crisis Scotland	Rape Crisis Scotland provides specialist support, advocacy and information for anyone affected by sexual violence, including rape, sexual assault and childhood sexual abuse. Support is available to survivors of all genders, as well as their families and supporters.	Call: 08088 01 03 02 Text: 07537 410 027 Email: support@rapecrisisscotland.org.uk Website / Webchat: www.rapecrisisscotland.org.uk
Scottish Women's Aid	Scottish Women's Aid does not offer frontline support for domestic abuse but instead advocates for improved response to domestic abuse and supports member organisations to deliver frontline services. If you are affected by domestic abuse and need support please contact the Domestic Abuse and Forced Marriage Helpline.	Call: 0141 776 0864 (East Dunbartonshire Office) Email: info@womensaid.scot Website: https://womensaid.scot/
Glasgow Woman's Aid	Glasgow Women's Aid does not offer frontline support for domestic abuse but instead advocates for improved response to domestic abuse and supports member organisations to deliver frontline services. If you are affected by domestic abuse and need support please contact the Domestic Abuse and Forced Marriage Helpline.	Call: 0141 553 2022 Email: getsupport@glasgowwomensaid.org.uk Website: https://glasgowwomensaid.org.uk
Scottish Women's Rights Centre (SWRC)	The Scottish Women's Rights Centre (SWRC) is a collaboration project providing free legal information, advice, representation and advocacy support to women in Scotland affected by violence and abuse.	Call: 08088 010 789 (Mondays 10AM-12:30PM, Wednesdays 10AM-1PM) Website: https://www.scottishwomensrightscentre.org.uk/
Say Women	A specialist Glasgow charity providing accommodation, emotional support and practical assistance for young women aged 16 to 25 who have experienced sexual violence and are homeless or at risk of homelessness.	Call: 0141 552 5803 Website: https://www.say-women.co.uk/

ManKind Initiative	UK charity providing confidential support, advice and signposting for male victims of domestic abuse through a dedicated helpline and network of specialist support services.	Call: 01823 334 244 Website: ManKind Initiative - Supporting Male Victims of Domestic Abuse
Advocacy Support Safety Information Services Together (ASSIST)	Supporting people who have experienced domestic abuse with a case going through criminal court.	Call: 0141 276 7710 Email: assist@glasgow.gov.uk Website: https://www.assistscotland.org.uk/
Financially Included	We are a specialist project that supports women recover from economic abuse. Our team provides expert, trauma-informed money advice to help women navigate complex financial systems, access their rights, and rebuild independent, secure lives.	Call: GEMAP office - 0141 773 5850 or economic abuse helpline 0343 841 0132 (Mon 4pm-7pm, Wed 10am-1pm, Thu 1pm-4.00pm, Fri 10am-1pm) Email: financiallyincluded@gemap.co.uk Website: https://www.financiallyincluded.co.uk/
Shelter Scotland	We exist to defend the right to a safe home and fight the devastating impact the housing emergency has on people and society.	Call: 0808 800 4444 (Homelessness & Homelessness Prevention, Mon-Fri 9am-5pm). Website: https://scotland.shelter.org.uk/housing_advice/families_and_relationships
Dog's Trust Freedom Project	If dog owners plan to find safety from domestic abuse but are unable to take their dog with them, Freedom provides a temporary home for their dog with a loving foster carer until their owners are safe, settled and ready to have them back.	Call: 0808 169 4315 Email: freedom@dogstrust.org.uk Website: https://www.dogstrust.org.uk/get-help/freedom

