

Criteria for rehousing on health grounds

An applicant will be placed in Band 2 if:

They or a member of their household has a serious and/or life threatening physical or mental health problem which is directly linked to their current accommodation.

The priority is to reflect a very urgent need to move to a different type of housing or area to enable them to function independently, safely and/or to carry out normal activities of daily living and to reach essential facilities.

Their current property cannot be reasonably adapted to meet their needs.

An applicant will be placed in Band 4 if:

They or a member of their household has a physical or mental health problem that is in part related to their current accommodation and could be helped by moving to a different type of housing or area.

The current property cannot reasonably be adapted and the problem does not meet the criteria for Band 2.

Band 2 awards are closely monitored and regularly reviewed. If you are not rehoused or have failed to make any bids after 6 months, your application may be reassessed.

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