Advice on parental eviction – leaving the home of your family or friends

This leaflet provides advice and tools for people who are thinking of leaving their family home or the home of their extended family or friends.



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Guidance and tools

We have a dedicated web page for advice on leaving home as a young person which includes ways to contact us, or other free and confidential agencies for help.

Our web page has a young person's guide to leaving home and a parental exclusion self help pack.

This can help you and the parent/s or family you live with by providing practical ideas to help you all to try and work out a solution so you don't have to leave home.

Generally, for people leaving home, it is a major decision and requires careful thought and planning.

This is one of the biggest causes of homelessness in Southwark and in England, so it is vital that you explore your options first and check your entitlements..

Feel unsafe at home?

If you feel unsafe, then there is also further contact details on our leaving home as a young person web page which may be relevant, depending on your situation, including calling our Housing Solutions advice line on 020 7525 4140.

Contact us

If you need advice, assistance and support with your housing needs, please contact Southwark Council's Housing Solutions service.

Housing Solutions service

25 Bournemouth Road, Peckham Rye, London, SE15 4UJ

020 7525 4140

Out of hours phone:

020 7505 5000

housing.options@southwark.gov.uk

Call Southwark Advocacy and Support Services (SASS) for further information on 020 7593 1290 or for more information on the council's work in this area please access information on the Southwark Council web site at www.southwark.gov.uk

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