

# Non-violent relationship breakdown housing advice

Housing rights in a relationship breakdown can be complicated and you may need to seek legal advice.

## Guidance and tools

If you have a joint tenancy or own a property with your ex partner you may still have rights to occupy the place you are living in together.

[Find a legal advisor in your area](#)

## Where else can I go for housing help and advice?

There are several places you could visit:

Shelter has produced a guide for people who have experienced a [relationship breakdown](#) and what their housing rights are after splitting up.

Shelter can also be contacted by telephone: 0344 515 1944.

Citizens Advice Bureau - for general and legal advice and help. Telephone: 08444 111 444.

## 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](mailto: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](http://www.southwark.gov.uk)