



Small Repairs Service

South Ayrshire Care & Repair offers a Small Repair Service to help maintain people in their own homes, to increase home safety & security and to help prevent accidents.

South Ayrshire Care & Repair can arrange for a tradesperson to complete small repairs or to fit safety and security items such as new locks or smoke alarms.

This service is available throughout South Ayrshire primarily for homeowners over the age of sixty.

Please note that we are unable to provide gardening, decorating or general cleaning services.

Also, please note that in order that we are able to offer a service to as many people as possible there is a limit on the number of times the Service can be used in any one year. This will be explained in more detail on a home visit.



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South Ayrshire Care and Repair is a partnership between South Ayrshire Council and Ayrshire & Arran Health Board. We are an independent not for profit company funded by the Scottish Executive and South Ayrshire Council and can be contacted at the following:

Continue living comfortably and safely in your own home

Unit 2 Beresford Court,

6 Beresford Lane,

Ayr, Ayrshire KA7 2DW

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South Ayrshire Care & Repair

Free advice and assistance on home improvements, repairs, and adaptations, for older or disabled home owners and private tenants.

Availability

This service is available to people aged over 60 or people with disabilities living within South Ayrshire, to help them live comfortably and safely in their own home for as long as possible.

Free Independent Service

Care & Repair within South Ayrshire is a free and independent service designed to improve the quality of housing for older people or people with disabilities and is available to home owners and private tenants.



The Care & Repair service within South Ayrshire can assist by:

- arranging for an assessment of works required
- obtaining quotes from selected contractors
- discussing costs and helping to organise finance
- organising for drawings to be prepared, if required
- monitoring the works in progress
- providing advice and support throughout this process

Home Visits

An initial home visit can be arranged to discuss the Care & Repair service in more detail.

If you require assistance with a home improvement or repair, please contact us. Our details are on the back of this leaflet.

Prioritisation

South Ayrshire Care & Repair operates a waiting list. People will be visited in order of their enquiry date. We will help all owner occupiers and private rented sector tenants over the age of 60. However, as our aim is to help the most vulnerable within our community we will prioritise the most vulnerable, irrespective of age, if they are:

- referred by a social worker
- referred by a health professional, such as a GP, district nurse, etc.
- referred by occupational therapy
- over 60 who are a victim of crime referred to us by the police

If any of the above applies to you, please let us know and we will request a referral if appropriate.

