

Press release

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Knocking on doors across Hackney for annual gas safety checks

Hackney Homes award winning Gas Safety Team have started their annual checks on all council properties in the borough.

Gas appliances including boilers and radiators will be serviced to ensure that they are in good working order and are safe to use.

Aiming to achieve 100% servicing in all properties, the team carry full photo identification and will send a letter with an appointment prior to knocking on doors.

Appointments are available in the evenings and weekends as well as morning and afternoon slots on weekdays.

Harvey Virdee, Gas Safety Manager has asked residents to cooperate with the team “We are asking residents to let us in their homes so we can help to ensure that they are safe for another year”.

“We have a safety and legal obligation to check all gas appliances in Hackney Homes properties” Harvey said.

The team can be contacted on free phone number **0800 199 124**.

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