

Peace of mind at an affordable cost

home contents insurance



North Ayrshire Council

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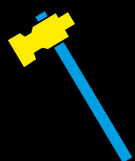
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theft



water

A special service for North Ayrshire Council

North Ayrshire Council would recommend that all tenants take out contents insurance.

You need to take out your own household insurance either with this special scheme through Aviva Insurance Limited or by making your own arrangements.

This scheme is open to all North Ayrshire Council tenants.*

We cannot guarantee that this scheme provides the cheapest insurance cover available, or that it provides the widest cover. You are recommended to seek alternative quotations and choose the cover that best suits your needs.

► Insurance for your home contents (see product information document at the back of this document)

When you take out this insurance your household goods and contents will be insured whilst in your home against events such as fire, theft or flooding. The insurance also covers theft of your keys and the contents in your freezer. There is also cover for personal liability.

Accidental damage and cover away from the home are not covered as standard other than what is detailed in the enclosed insurance product information document. A full accidental damage option and other options to insure your personal belongings, hearing aids and motorised wheelchairs are available at an additional cost. There is no cover for wear and tear or mechanical breakdown.

► **Benefits of your insurance scheme**

- No excess payable
- New for old cover
- Various payment options
- Low minimum sums insured
- No need for a bank account
- Optional extra covers available (for an additional cost)

► **How to apply**

Option 1 - Complete the application form enclosed with this pack, and answer all questions remembering to sign and date the declaration and payment method. Return the form to Home Contents Insurance, 2nd Floor East, Cunninghame House, Irvine, KA12 8EE.

Option 2 - Apply online by visiting: [home contents insurance](http://homecontentsinsurance.com)

Payment of the premium

► Payments can be made by cash, cheque or credit/debit card.

You can also pay your insurance by:

- Payment Card. Your card has a barcode that holds your name and account reference number. It ensures that any money you pay at your Area Housing Office, Post Office or Paypoint/Payzone outlet will reach your account. It is not a credit card and has no monetary value.
- Interactive Voice Response. **(0845) 6030593**
(24-hour) payment will be accepted. Details are entered using a touch-tone telephone and by response you will be given a verbal receipt number.

Cost of Insurance

Standard Cover

OVER 60'S		
SUM INSURED	WEEKLY COST STANDARD	WEEKLY COST WITH ACCIDENTAL DAMAGE
£4,000	£0.21	£0.31
£5,000	£0.26	£0.39
£6,000	£0.31	£0.46
£7,000	£0.36	£0.54
£8,000	£0.42	£0.62
£9,000	£0.47	£0.69
£10,000	£0.52	£0.77
£11,000	£0.57	£0.85
£12,000	£0.62	£0.92
£13,000	£0.68	£1.00
£14,000	£0.73	£1.08
£15,000	£0.78	£1.16
£16,000	£0.83	£1.23
£17,000	£0.88	£1.31
£18,000	£0.94	£1.39
£19,000	£0.99	£1.46
£20,000	£1.04	£1.54
£21,000	£1.09	£1.62
£22,000	£1.14	£1.69
£23,000	£1.20	£1.77
£24,000	£1.25	£1.85
£25,000	£1.30	£1.93
£26,000	£1.35	£2.00
£27,000	£1.40	£2.08
£28,000	£1.46	£2.16
£29,000	£1.51	£2.23
£30,000	£1.56	£2.31
£31,000	£1.61	£2.39
£32,000	£1.66	£2.46
£33,000	£1.72	£2.54
£34,000	£1.77	£2.62
£35,000	£1.82	£2.70
£36,000	£1.87	£2.77
£37,000	£1.92	£2.85
£38,000	£1.98	£2.93
£39,000	£2.03	£3.00
£40,000	£2.08	£3.08

UNDER 60'S		
SUM INSURED	WEEKLY COST STANDARD	WEEKLY COST WITH ACCIDENTAL DAMAGE
£4,000	£0.31	£0.46
£5,000	£0.39	£0.58
£6,000	£0.46	£0.69
£7,000	£0.54	£0.81
£8,000	£0.62	£0.92
£9,000	£0.69	£1.04
£10,000	£0.77	£1.15
£11,000	£0.85	£1.27
£12,000	£0.92	£1.38
£13,000	£1.00	£1.50
£14,000	£1.08	£1.61
£15,000	£1.16	£1.73
£16,000	£1.23	£1.84
£17,000	£1.31	£1.96
£18,000	£1.39	£2.07
£19,000	£1.46	£2.19
£20,000	£1.54	£2.30
£21,000	£1.62	£2.42
£22,000	£1.69	£2.53
£23,000	£1.77	£2.65
£24,000	£1.85	£2.76
£25,000	£1.93	£2.88
£26,000	£2.00	£2.99
£27,000	£2.08	£3.11
£28,000	£2.16	£3.22
£29,000	£2.23	£3.34
£30,000	£2.31	£3.45
£31,000	£2.39	£3.57
£32,000	£2.46	£3.68
£33,000	£2.54	£3.80
£34,000	£2.62	£3.91
£35,000	£2.70	£4.03
£36,000	£2.77	£4.14
£37,000	£2.85	£4.26
£38,000	£2.93	£4.37
£39,000	£3.00	£4.49
£40,000	£3.08	£4.60

Optional Covers

PERSONAL BELONGINGS

SUM INSURED	WEEKLY PREMIUM
£1,000	£0.54
£2,000	£1.08
£3,000	£1.62
£4,000	£2.16

WHEELCHAIRS / MOBILITY SCOOTERS

SUM INSURED	WEEKLY PREMIUM
£1,000	£0.70
£2,000	£1.40
£3,000	£2.10
£4,000	£2.80

HEARING AIDS

SUM INSURED	WEEKLY PREMIUM
£1,000	£0.70
£2,000	£1.40
£3,000	£2.10
£4,000	£2.80

You may wish to use the do-it-yourself valuation sheet included within this pack to help you work out how much cover you need. The payments shown are inclusive of Insurance Premium Tax (IPT) at the appropriate rate.

- Internet Payments. Via the 'Online Services' option on the North Ayrshire Council web site.
- Telephoning your Area Housing Office or Housing Headquarters and using your credit/debit card.
- By post to your Area Housing Office.
- By Direct Debit. If you would like further information on this payment method please telephone (01294) 324611.

► **Start date**

Insurance starts when North Ayrshire Council informs you that you have been accepted onto the scheme. North Ayrshire Council will write to you with details of your insurance payments and the date when you should start paying. You will be notified in writing if for any reason you have not been accepted into the scheme.

► **Keeping up the payments**

- To make sure that you are always covered, you must keep up to date with your payments.
- Your policy can be cancelled if your premium payments fall into arrears.
- You may not be able to make a claim unless your payments are up to date.

► **"New-for-Old" insurance**

All your home contents are covered by the policy on a "new for old" basis, with the exception of linen and clothing which will be replaced at their current cost, less an amount for wear and tear. When you are working out the cost of insurance, you will need to work out how much it will cost to replace the full contents. **If you undervalue your contents this will mean that if you claim you may not get the full value of your claim.**

► Do it yourself valuation of your household contents

Most people find that their household contents are worth more than they think. Please use this page to help value the contents of your property but first read the section on 'new for old' insurance.

Add up the two columns and round the total up to the nearest £1,000. Then enter this figure on the application form. (Please keep this sheet for future reference).

ROOM/ITEMS	TOTAL VALUE	ROOM/ITEMS	TOTAL VALUE
Items in living room 1.		Items in bedroom 1.	
e.g. TV, radio, video, hi-fi, satellite, computer,		e.g. Bed, bedroom furniture, carpet, curtains,	
suite, carpet, tables, other furniture, CD's,		light fittings, clock, bedding, jewellery, ornaments,	
videos, light fittings, books,		games, toys, towels, computer etc.	
ornaments, curtains etc.			
		Items in bedroom 2.	
Items in living room 2.		e.g. Bed, bedroom furniture, carpet, curtains,	
e.g. Dining table, chairs, sideboard,		light fittings, clock, bedding, jewellery,	
other furniture, carpet, curtains,		ornaments, games, toys, towels, computer etc.	
light fittings, ornaments etc.			
		Items in bedroom 3.	
Items in kitchen.		e.g. Bed, bedroom furniture, carpet, curtains,	
e.g. Cooker, washer, fridge, freezer,		light fittings, clock, bedding, jewellery,	
pots & pans, crockery, table,		ornaments, games, toys, towels, computer etc.	
chairs, floor covering,			
light fittings, ornaments,		Items in other rooms and outbuildings.	
microwave, toaster, kettle,		e.g. Vacuum cleaner, tools, lawnmower,	
other electrical items etc.		gardening equipment etc.	
	£		£

If you need help completing this form please speak to a member of North Ayrshire Council on 01294 324611.

DATA PROTECTION – PRIVACY NOTICE

Personal Information

We collect and use personal information about you so that we can provide you with a policy that suits your insurance needs. This notice explains the most important aspects of how we use your information but you can get more information about the terms we use and view our full privacy policy at www.aviva.co.uk/privacypolicy or request a copy by writing to us at Aviva, Freepost, Mailing Exclusion Team, Unit 5, Wanlip Road Ind Est, Syston, Leicester LE7 1PD.

The data controller responsible for this personal information is Aviva Insurance Limited as the insurer of the product. Additional controllers include the Administrator and Aon UK Limited, who are responsible for the sale and distribution of the product, and any applicable insurers, reinsurers or brokers we use.

Personal information we collect and how we use it

We will use personal information collected from you and obtained from other sources:

- to provide you with insurance: we need this to decide if we can offer insurance to you and if so on what terms and also to administer your policy, handle any claims and manage any renewal,
- to support legitimate interests that we have as a business. We need this to:
- manage arrangements we have with our insurers, reinsurers and brokers we use, and for the detection and prevention of fraud
- help us better understand our customers and improve our customer engagement. This includes profiling and customer analytics which allows us to make certain predictions and assumptions about your interests, make correlations about our customers to improve our products and to suggest other products which may be relevant or of interest to customers,
- to meet any applicable legal or regulatory obligations: we need this to meet compliance requirements with our regulators (e.g. Financial Conduct Authority), to comply with law enforcement and to manage legal claims, and
- to carry out other activities that are in the public interest: for example we may need to use personal information to carry out anti-money laundering checks.

We may also use personal information about other people, for example family members you wish to insure on a policy. **If you are providing information about another person we expect you to ensure that they know you are doing so. You might find it helpful to show them this privacy notice.**

The personal information we collect and use will include name, address and date of birth, financial information and details of your home. If a claim is made we will also collect personal information about the claim from you and any relevant third parties. We may also need to ask for details relating to the health or any unspent offences or criminal convictions of you or somebody else covered under your policy. We recognise that information about health and offences or criminal convictions is particularly sensitive information. We'll ensure that we only use that information where we need to for our insurance purposes (including assessing the terms of your insurance contract, dealing with changes to your policy and/or dealing with claims).

There may be times when we need consent to use personal information for a specific reason. If this happens, we will make this clear to you at the time. If you give us consent to using personal information, you are free to withdraw this at any time by contacting us – refer to the “Contacting us” details below. Please note that if consent to use information is withdrawn we will not be able to continue to process the information you gave us for this/these purposes. This would not affect our use of the information where consent is not required.

Of course, you don’t have to provide us with any personal information, but if you don’t provide the information we need we may not be able to proceed with your application or any claim you make.

Some of the information we use as part of this application may be provided to us by a third party. This may include information already held about you and your home within the Aviva group, including details from previous quotes and claims, information we obtain from publicly available records, our trusted third parties and from industry databases, including fraud prevention agencies and databases.

Automated decision making

We may carry out automated decision making to decide whether we can provide insurance to you and on what terms, deal with claims or carry out fraud checks. In particular we may use an automated underwriting engine to provide on-line quotes, using the information we have collected.

How we share your personal information with others

We may share your personal information:

- with the Aviva group, our agents and third parties who provide services to us, the Administrator and Aon UK Limited, and other insurers (either directly or via those acting for the insurer such as loss adjusters or investigators) to help us administer our products and services,
- with regulatory bodies and law enforcement bodies, including the police, e.g. if we are required to do so to comply with a relevant legal or regulatory obligation,
- with other organisations including insurers, public bodies and the police (either directly or using shared databases) for fraud prevention and detection purposes,
- with reinsurers who provide reinsurance services to Aviva and for each other in respect of risks underwritten by Aviva, with insurers who cover Aviva under its group insurance policies and with our brokers who arrange and manage such reinsurance and insurance arrangements. They will use your data to decide whether to provide reinsurance and insurance cover, arrange and manage such cover, assess and deal with insurance and reinsurance claims under such cover and to meet legal obligations. They will keep your data for the period necessary for these purposes and may need to disclose it to other companies within their group, their agents and third party service providers, law enforcement and regulatory bodies.

Some of the organisations we share information with may be located outside of the European Economic Area (“EEA”). We’ll always take steps to ensure that any transfer of information outside of the EEA is carefully managed to protect your privacy rights. For more information on this please see our Privacy Policy or contact us.

How long we keep your personal information for

We maintain a retention policy to ensure we only keep personal information for as long as we reasonably need it for the purposes explained in this notice. We need to keep information for the period necessary

to administer your insurance and deal with claims and queries on your policy. We may also need to keep information after our relationship with you has ended, for example to ensure we have an accurate record in the event of any complaints or challenges, carry out relevant fraud checks, or where we are required to do so for legal, regulatory or tax purposes.

Your rights

You have various rights in relation to your personal information, including the right to request access to your personal information, correct any mistakes on our records, erase or restrict records where they are no longer required, object to use of personal information based on legitimate business interests, including profiling and marketing, ask not to be subject to automated decision making if the decision produces legal or other significant effects on you, and data portability. For more details in relation to your rights, including how to exercise them, please see our full privacy policy or contact us – refer to the “Contacting us” details below.

Contacting us

If you have any questions about how we use personal information, or if you want to exercise your rights stated above, please contact our Data Protection team by either emailing them at dataprt@aviva.com or writing to the Data Protection Officer, Level 5, Pitheavlis, Perth PH2 0NH.

If you have a complaint or concern about how we use your personal information, please contact us in the first instance and we will attempt to resolve the issue as soon as possible. You also have the right to lodge a complaint with the Information Commissioners Office at any time.

Fraud Prevention and Detection

In order to prevent and detect fraud we may at any time:

- Share information about you with other organisations and public bodies including the Police;
- Undertake credit searches and additional fraud searches;
- Check and/or file your details with fraud prevention agencies and databases, and if you give us false or inaccurate information and we suspect fraud, we will record this to prevent fraud and money laundering.

We can supply on request further details of the agencies and databases we access or contribute to and how this information may be used. If you require further details please contact us at:

Policy Investigation Unit, Aviva Insurance Limited, Building 8, Maxim Business Park, Eurocentral, ML1 4WR. Telephone: 0345 300 0597. Email: PIUUKDI@AVIVA.COM

We and other organisations may also search these agencies and databases to:

- Help make decisions about the provision and administration of insurance, credit and related services for you and members of your household;
- Trace debtors or beneficiaries, recover debt, prevent fraud and to manage your accounts or insurance policies;
- Check your identity to prevent money laundering, unless you provide us with other satisfactory proof of identity;
- Check details of job applicants and employees.

CLAIMS HISTORY

- Under the conditions of your policy you must tell us about any insurance related incidents (such as fire, water damage, theft or an accident) whether or not they give rise to a claim. When you tell us about an incident we will pass information relating to it to a database.
- We may search these databases when you apply for insurance, in the event of any incident or claim, or at time of renewal to validate your claims history or that of any other person or property likely to be involved in the policy or claim.

You should show these notices to anyone who has an interest in the insurance under the policy.

COMPLAINTS IF YOU HAVE A COMPLAINT

If for any reason you are unhappy with the product or service, please get in touch as soon as possible. For contact details and more information about the complaints procedure please refer to your policy booklet.

In the first instance seek resolution by contacting Tenants Contents on 0345 030 8733.

When a complaint cannot be resolved to your satisfaction you may be able to ask the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS) to carry out an independent review. Whilst firms are bound by their decision you are not. Contacting them will not affect your legal right.

You can contact the FOS on 0800 023 4567. You can also visit their website at www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk where you will find further information.

CHOICE OF LAW

The law of England and Wales will apply to this contract unless:

- at the date of the contract you live in Scotland, Northern Ireland, the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man, in which case the law of that country will apply; or
- You and the Insurer agree otherwise.

TELEPHONE CALL CHARGES AND RECORDING

Calls to 0800 numbers from UK landlines and mobiles are free. The cost of calls to 03 prefixed numbers are charged at national call rates (charges may vary dependent on your network provider) and are usually included in inclusive minute plans from landlines and mobiles. For our joint protection telephone calls may be recorded and/or monitored.

Home Insurance

Insurance Product Information Document

Company: Aviva Insurance Limited

Product: Tenants Home Contents



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This is a summary of our insurance policy. You will find all the terms and conditions, along with other important information, in the policy documents.

What is this type of insurance?

Tenants home contents insurance protects you against loss or damage to your Contents. It covers such things as fire, flood, storm, theft, escape of water and subsidence – as described in our policy booklet.



What is insured?

The amount we'll pay to replace your contents is specified by you.

Contents

- ✓ Loss or damage to contents in the home and it's garages, outbuildings or gardens
- ✓ Replacement of external door locks if keys are lost or stolen
- ✓ Accidental damage to audio, video or computer equipment in your home
- ✓ Personal liability – if you are found to be legally responsible for injury to a third party or damage to their property
- ✓ Tenant's liability – if you're held legally liable for damage to your landlord's property (maximum up to 20% of the amount insured)
- ✓ Damage to freezer food caused by change in temperature (maximum – up to the amount insured)
- ✓ No excess will apply (the amount you have to pay on any claim).

Optional cover

- Contents accidental damage extension – covers most contents
- Personal belongings – Worldwide cover against theft, accidental loss or damage for clothing, mobile phones, tablets, handbags, jewellery, watches and pedal cycles.
- Wheelchairs / Mobility Scooters – Worldwide cover for theft, loss or damage to your wheelchair or mobility scooter
- Hearing Aids - Worldwide cover for theft, loss or damage to your hearing aids



What is not insured?

- ✗ Damage from wear and tear, electrical and mechanical breakdown, or gradual deterioration
- ✗ Wet or dry rot
- ✗ Storm damage to fences, gates and hedges
- ✗ Certain losses and damage (e.g. from burst pipes) to buildings or contents when your home is unoccupied for more than the number of days shown on our Policy booklet
- ✗ Certain losses or damage (e.g. theft or malicious damage) caused by you, paying guests or tenants
- ✗ The cost of replacing undamaged items that form part of a pair, set or suite
- ✗ Motorised vehicles, aircraft, boats, boards, caravans or trailers.

Optional cover – what's not insured

- Accidental Damage - Damage caused by chewing, scratching or fouling by domestic animals
- Personal Belongings - Damage to certain sports equipment while in use.



Are there any restrictions on cover?

- ! Certain limitations may apply to your policy. For example:
 - monetary limits for certain covers, and/or
 - clauses that exclude certain types of loss or damage
- ! We don't cover property that's used for a business or profession (except certain home office equipment under contents cover) unless we have specifically agreed to do so.

Optional cover – restrictions

- We don't cover skis, boards, sub-aqua equipment, camping equipment, riding tack and hearing aids under the Personal Belongings option unless we have specifically agreed to do so
- We'll only cover against the theft of pedal cycles if they're properly secured when unattended
- Limitations apply to personal belongings stolen from an unattended vehicle
- Some of our accidental damage options don't cover damage when your homes is lent, let (or sub-let) or used by paying guests.



Where am I covered?

- ✓ At the home you're insuring – as long as it's within the United Kingdom, Channel Islands or Isle of Man
- ✓ Away from home (within the British Isles) – if you take out Contents cover limited cover applies for items temporarily away from the home
- ✓ Optional Accidental Damage Cover only applies inside your home, Optional Personal Belongings Cover, applies anywhere in the world.



What are my obligations?

- You must take reasonable care to give us complete and accurate answers to any questions we ask – whether you're taking out, renewing or making changes to your policy
- Please tell your scheme administrator immediately if the information set out in the application form or your schedule changes
- You must observe and fulfil the terms, provisions, conditions and clauses of this policy – failure to do so could affect your cover
- You must tell us about any event which might lead to a claim as soon as possible
- We will tell you what information you need to provide us to achieve a settlement of any claim. For full details please see the "General Conditions" section in the policy booklet.



When and how do I pay?

You can pay your premium to the scheme administrator, details of which can be found in our policy booklet.



When does the cover start and end?

From the start date (shown on your Policy Schedule) Your policy will remain in force from the start date as long as you continue to pay your premium – note some schemes will have an annual renewal.



How do I cancel the contract?

You can cancel your policy within 14 days of purchase (or renewal where applicable) or from the day you receive your policy documents (or renewal documents where applicable), whichever is later.

If you cancel before the cover starts, we'll refund the premium you've paid.

If you cancel after your cover has started, we'll reduce your refund to pay for the time you were covered. You can also cancel your policy at any time during your period of cover. To cancel your policy, contact your scheme administrator.



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