

You may have jobs that need to be done. If you find it difficult to tackle them yourself, the Staying Put Service can help you. Any problems that affect your home, your comfort, your security or your independence can be included.



**Please contact us if you need this information in different formats.**

## Further Information

You can contact Staying Put at:

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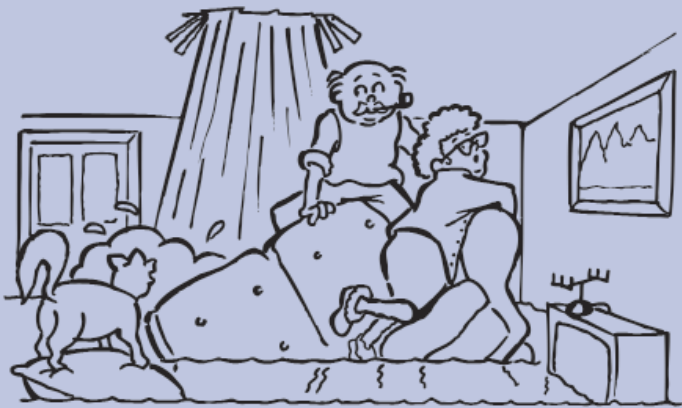
# Staying Put



**'Swale's Home Improvement Agency'**

## What is the Staying Put Service?

The Staying Put Service offers advice and help to the over 60's and the disabled, who are owner occupiers or private tenants and who need practical assistance to repair, adapt or improve their homes.



## Are these the kind of problems that worry you?

Do you need a reliable, trusted builder who is approved and works to quality standards and offers value for money?

Do you want someone else to manage the whole process, removing any anxiety or worries, with work carried out with the minimum of fuss?

Do you need financial help to pay for the work?



**Staying Put can help you**

## We can provide you with the following:

**A visit to your home to discuss any repairs or adaptations you need:**

- Help in applying for grants or loans that might be available to fund the work

- Contact appropriate charities and local organisations

- Liase with the relevant local authority departments or social services where necessary

- Help in finding a suitable builder and supervising the works

- Support and practical help before, during and after the works

- Advice on energy efficiency and home security

- Benefits advice