

What happens if I don't pay my rent?

Paying your rent is not a choice, you must pay your rent monthly or weekly in order to avoid the possibility of being evicted and losing your home. However, we recognise that at times people can find themselves in difficult financial situations which can lead them to falling into rent arrears. If you find yourself in this position, it is extremely important that you don't 'bury your head in the sand' and think that it will go away, but you contact us immediately for advice and support.

We will work with you at every opportunity, by providing 1 2 1 support and assistance, we have a dedicated Welfare Benefits Advisor and Housing Officers here to support you.

So, whether you are in receipt of Housing Benefit, Universal Credit or pay your rent yourself, Waverley Housing will offer you support and guidance to ensure you remain in your home. If you prefer you can contact the Citizens Advice Bureau or Step Change on 0800 138 1111 for free independent financial advice.