# HOW TO APPLY IF YOU ARE A CURRENT CENTREPOINT RESIDENT





# 1. Is Independent Living for me?

- Between 18 and 25 years old;
- Full time employment or on an apprenticeship;
- Are unable to afford to rent or buy in the private sector in the London or Manchester area;
- Capable of living independently without support or assistance.



## 2. Chat to your keyworker.

Have a conversation with your keyworker to discuss your options.



### 3. Apply for Independent Living.

Send an application to the Independent Living team mailbox: independentliving@centrepoint.org



#### 4. Discuss your application.

The team may get in touch to talk through your application and ask you some questions. For some homes this might include an interview.



## 5. Feedback.

If you're successful you will either be given a place or put onto a waiting list.



#### Make the move.

You will have the opportunity to be linked with an Independent Living Adviser who can act as an adviser and coach.



#### 7. Move in.

You'll receive a starter pack ahead of moving in with important information about support available in the local community including where to find your local GP surgery and local transport. You will also be eligible for a bursary for the initial costs associated with moving.