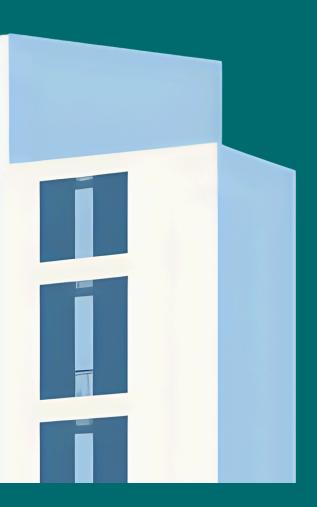


## Keep Your Child Safe Around Windows

**Preventing Falls, Protecting Lives** 



Every year, children are injured due to falls from windows - let's work together to stop this.

Falls from windows are a serious risk to young children - especially during warmer months when windows are often left open.

Children are naturally curious and may climb or lean near windows without understanding the danger. Even low-level windows pose a risk. These accidents can happen in seconds but are entirely preventable with a few simple steps.



## Simple Steps to Keep Children Safe

Read our window safety guidance below to help prevent accidents during hot weather.



- Keep windows closed or use child safety locks, especially in warmer weather.
- Limit window openings to no more than 4 inches (10 cm) when children are present.
  Using window restrictors or safety catches can help with this.
- Move furniture away from windows to prevent climbing.
- Stay aware—supervision is key to preventing accidents.

## **Need Help?**

If you're concerned about a child's safety, contact the MASH (Multi-Agency Safeguarding Hub) by calling 0203 373 4600 or email mash@newham.gov.uk

If you need support making your home safer, call the Newham Contact Centre on 0208 430 2000. They will transfer you to the correct housing support team.