# Weekly paid home contents insurance

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# **AVIVA**



### Cost of Insurance

£40,000

		Standard with
Sum Insured	Standard	Accidental
		Damage Cover
£4,000	£0.35	£0.55
£5,000	£0.44	£0.69
£6,000	£0.52	£0.83
£7,000	£0.61	£0.97
£8,000	£0.70	£1.10
£9,000	£0.78	£1.24
£10,000	£0.87	£1.38
£11,000	£0.96	£1.52
£12,000	£1.04	£1.66
£13,000	£1.13	£1.79
£14,000	£1.22	£1.93
£15,000	£1.31	£2.07
£16,000	£1.39	£2.21
£17,000	£1.48	£2.35
£18,000	£1.57	£2.48
£19,000	£1.65	£2.62
£20,000	£1.74	£2.76
£21,000	£1.83	£2.90
£22,000	£1.91	£3.04
£23,000	£2.00	£3.17
£24,000	£2.09	£3.31
£25,000	£2.18	£3.45
£26,000	£2.26	£3.59
£27,000	£2.35	£3.73
£28,000	£2.44	£3.86
£29,000	£2.52	£4.00
£30,000	£2.61	£4.14
£31,000	£2.70	£4.28
£32,000	£2.78	£4.42
£33,000	£2.87	£4.55
£34,000	£2.96	£4.69
£35,000	£3.05	£4.83
£36,000	£3.13	£4.97
£37,000	£3.22	£5.11
£38,000	£3.31	£5.24
£39,000	£3.39	£5.38
6.40.000	62.40	45.50

£3.48

# Optional Extra Covers -

Personal Belongings			
Sum Insured	Weekly Premium		
£1,000	£0.67		
£2,000	£1.34		
£3,000	£2.01		
£4,000	£2.68		

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£0.67			
£1.34			
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£2.68			

Wheelchairs & Mobility Scooters			
Weekly Premium			
£0.83			
£1.66			
£2.49			
£3.32			

Hearing aids						
Sum Insured	Weekly Premium					
£1,000	£0.83					
£2,000	£1.66					
£3,000	£2.49					
(4,000	(2.22					

Premiums are inclusive of Insurance Premium Tax 12%

You may wish to use the do-it-yourself valuation sheet opposite, to help you work out how much cover you need.

The payments shown are Inclusive of Insurance Premium Tax (IPT) at the appropriate rate.

£5.52

# additional cost

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Sum Insured	Weekly Premium
£1,000	£0.83
£2,000	£1.66
£3,000	£2.49
64.000	62.20

Hearin	ng aids
Sum Insured	Weekly Premium
£1,000	£0.83
£2,000	£1.66
£3,000	£2.49

£4,000 £3.32





Caerphilly County Borough Council does not insure your furniture, belongings or decorations against theft, fire, vandalism and burst pipes.

You need to take out your own insurance. Under a special scheme, arranged by Caerphilly County Borough Council through Aviva, it's easy for you to protect your belongings.

# This scheme is open to all Caerphilly County Borough 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.

### Weekly payment with your rent

The cost of insurance is payable weekly and premiums can be paid when you pay your rent.

To work out your weekly payment, refer to the table on the next page.

# Insurance for your furniture, TV, clothing, carpets and electrical goods

When you take out this insurance most of your household goods and contents will be insured in your home and its domestic outbuildings (such as sheds and garages) against events such as fire, theft or flooding. 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. A specimen policy booklet is available on request. There is no cover for wear and tear or mechanical breakdown.

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<sup>\*</sup>subject to satisfactory application form

## Insurance against fire, theft, vandalism and water damage

These are examples of the type of risks your contents will be insured for. Full details are available on request.

### "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 your insurance, you will need to work out how much it will cost to replace the full contents.

### Special low, minimum sums insured

The lowest amount that can be insured is £4,000.

# Do-it-yourself valuation of your household contents

but first read the section on 'New for Old' insurance. 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

CHECK LIST	Lounge	Dining Room	Kitchen	Kitchen Hall, stairs and landing	Main Bedroom	Main2nd3rdBedroomBedroomBedroom	Bathroom/ Toilet	Garage/ Outbuildings	Total Value
Carpets, rugs and floor coverings.									
Furniture: Tables, chairs, stools, suites, cabinets, sideboards, bookcases, bedroom, bathroom and kitchen furniture.									
Soft furnishings, curtains and their fittings, cushions.									
Televisions, radios and similar equipment.									
Household appliances: Cooker, refrigerator/freezer, washing machine, vacuum cleaner, electrical goods, heaters.									
Cooking utensils and provisions, cutlery, china, glass, food, drink, fuel.									
Valuables: Gold and silver articles, jewellery, pictures, clocks, watches, cameras, ornaments, collections.									
Leisure, sports equipment, cycles, books, records, tapes, musical instruments, toys.									
Garden and garage equipment: furniture, lawn mower, ladders, tools, paints.									
Household linen: Bedding, towels, table linen.									
Clothing.									
Other items.									

You may of course, have other rooms and possessions not listed here. Use this checklist to help work out the value of your home contents.

Total sum to be insured	Total value of contents
I.P.	7

### How to apply

Complete the form enclosed with this booklet. Make sure that you answer all the questions and sign the declaration. If you want any help filling in the form, please contact Caerphilly County Borough Council Insurance Section on: Tel: 01443 863430. Once you have completed the form either post it to Caerphilly County Borough Council, Insurance & Risk Management Dept., Penallta House/Ty Penallta, Tredomen Park, Ystrad Mynach, Hengoed CF82 7PG or hand it in at your Local Housing Office or Cash Office.

### Keeping up the payments

- To make sure that you are always covered you must keep up to date with your payments.
- If you don't pay your insurance premium for six weeks your insurance may be cancelled.

### Start date

Insurance cover will start when your council informs you that you have been accepted onto the scheme. They will write to you with details of your insurance payments and confirm the acceptance dates (where possible this will be the commencement date requested by you). You will be notified in writing if for any reason, you have not been accepted onto the scheme.

### **Special Notes**

- If during the period of your insurance cover your home is likely to be unoccupied (e.g. through hospitalisation, extended holiday) for more than
   35 consecutive days please advise the Council.
- Remember, it is your responsibility to ensure that the sum insured is sufficient to cover all your household items and personal effects.

Caerphilly County Borough Council urges all tenants to take out household insurance, either through our special scheme or by making your own arrangements.

# IF YOU WISH TO APPLY COMPLETE THE APPLICATION FORM ENCLOSED

### **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 IPD.

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 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 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, MLI 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.

# Caerphilly County Borough Council Tenants Home Contents Insurance Scheme Application Form

(Subject to the terms, exclusions and conditions of the policy, a specimen of which is available on written request).

- Before you fill in the form, read the declaration at the end.
- Make sure that you answer all the questions as fully as possible.
- Please return the whole completed form to Caerphilly County Borough Council.

Please keep a copy of this form together with any information you send with it. Or you can ask for a copy from the insurance company within three months of taking out insurance.

This form is used to work out your insurance premium and whether you can be insured. Please include all information. If you are in any doubt about whether to include information, please include it.

If you do not it may mean that any claim you make is turned down.

Your Full Name (Mrs/Ms/Miss/Mr/other)						
Date of BirthYour Job	(please s	state if retire	ed)			
Your domestic partner or joint propose	er, Full n	name (Mr/M	rs/Ms/Miss/Ot	:her)		
Date of Birth Their Job	(please	state if retire	ed)			
Is the policy required in joint names?	ES 🔘	NO				
Address						
				Post C	ode	
Telephone no.						
Are you a Tenant of the Council?	ES 🔘	NO ()				
Reference No. (If known)						
Required start date (must be a Monday) _						
The Amount of Insurance Required (your su	um insur	ed) to the n	earest £1,000	£		
Do you require Accidental Damage cover?	YES (	) NO (				
Do you require Personal Belongings cover? (If yes, tick sum insured required)	YES (	) NO ()	£1,000 ()	£2,000 (	£3,000 (	£4,000 (
Do you require Wheelchairs cover? (If yes, tick sum insured required)	YES (	) NO ()	£1,000 (	£2,000 (	£3,000 (	£4,000 (
Do you require Hearing Aids cover? (If yes, tick sum insured required)	YES (	) NO ()	£1,000 (	£2,000 (	£3,000 (	£4,000 (

Insurance starts when Caerphilly County Borough Council informs you that you have been accepted onto the scheme. You will be sent a policy booklet and schedule which will confirm the sum insured, premium and start date. It is important that the sum insured chosen (in round sums of £1000) is sufficient to cover the full replacement cost of all your household goods and personal effects.

### PLEASE ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS BELOW. WE CAN ONLY CONSIDER YOUR APPLICATION ONCE THESE QUESTIONS HAVE BEEN ANSWERED. PLEASE USE CAPITAL LETTERS WHEN FILLING IN THIS FORM

**TO BE ANSWERED BY THE APPLICANT** (please tick the correct box in answer to the questions below) We can only consider your application once ALL these questions are answered in full.

		YES NO
	Is your home self-contained with its own separate lockable front door?	$\circ$
2.	Is this property your permanent home and occupied only by yourself and members of your immediate family normally living with you?	0 0
3.	Does the amount of insurance you have chosen cover the full cost of replacing all your household goods and personal belongings?	0 0
	you have answered NO to any of the above questions, please give more details below se a separate sheet if more space is needed).	
		YES NO
4.	Do you regularly leave your home empty or unattended for more than 60 days?	0 0
5.	Is your home used for running a business?	$\circ$
6.	Have you or anyone living with you ever been refused insurance, had insurance cancelled or had special terms imposed by an insurer?	0 0
	you have answered YES to any of the above questions, please give more details below se a separate sheet if more space is needed).	
7.	Have any incidents occurred in the last five years which would have caused you to make a claim for household contents or personal effects, whether or not you were insured at the time?	YES NO
	If you have answered YES to the above question, please give us the following information (use a separate sheet if more space is needed):	
	Date(s) of incident(s)	
	What caused the loss (theft, water damage etc.)?	
	Value of goods lost or damaged	
	Were you insured at the time?	
	If so, how much did the insurers pay in settlement of the claim?	
8.	If you have had a burglary in the last five years please state	
	How entry was gained?	
	What additional security has been installed since the incident? (extra locks, alarms etc.)	
9.	Have you or anyone living with you ever been convicted or charged with any offence, other than motoring offences, or is any prosecution or police enquiry pending?	YES NO
	If you have answered YES to the above question, please tell us:	
	Date of conviction or charge	
	Nature of offence	
	Penalty received (amount of fine, length of sentence etc.)	
	Your age at the time	

### Important Notice - Information and changes we need to know about

You must take reasonable care to provide complete and accurate answers to the questions we ask when you take out, make changes to, and renew your policy. Please read any assumptions carefully and confirm if they apply to your circumstances.

Please tell your insurer if any of the information provided by you changes after you purchase your policy, or if there are any changes to the information set out on your schedule. You must also tell the insurer about the following changes;

- · any change to the people, or to be insured
- any change or addition to the contents or the property to be insured that results in the need to increase the amounts insured
  or the limits that are shown on your policy schedule
- if your property is to be lent, let, sub-let, or used for business purposes (other than occasional clerical work)
- · if your property is to be unoccupied for any continuous period exceeding 60 days, or
- if any member of your household or any person to be insured on this policy is charged with, or convicted of a criminal offence (other than motoring offences).

If the information provided by you is not complete and accurate:-

- · we may cancel your policy and refuse to pay any claim, or
- · we may not pay any claim in full, or
- · we may revise the premium, or
- · the extent of the cover may be affected

The Insurer recommends you keep a record (including copies of letters) of all information provided to the insurer for your future reference. A copy of the completed application form will be supplied on request within a period of three months after its completion.

### PLEASE READ THE DECLARATION BELOW CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING IT

### Declaration

- · I/We declare that the information given is to the best of my/our knowledge and belief correct and complete.
- · If the risk is accepted I/We undertake to pay the premium when called upon to do so.
- I/We understand that my/our information may also be disclosed to regulatory bodies for the purposes of monitoring and/or
  enforcing the insurer's compliance with any regulatory rules/codes.
- I/We have read the information overleaf under the heading "Important Information".
- Continuous Cover Unlike other insurance policies, your policy, under the scheme, does not have an annual renewal date. Your
  policy will remain in force from the date of commencement as long as you continue to pay the premium

You must ensure that your sum(s) insured are not less than the full cost of replacing the goods; failure to do so may invalidate your policy or reduce claims settlements.

Applicants signature	Date
Joint proposer signature	Date

Joint applicants should both sign if policy is required in joint names.

### Special note

If during the period of your insurance cover, your home is likely to be unoccupied (e.g through hospitalisation, extended holiday) for more than 35 consecutive days you will have to advise Caerphilly County Borough Council.

FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY	
Date Received:	Premium:
Policy No.	Start Date:

### **Aviva Regulatory Status**

We are authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and the Prudential Regulation Authority. We are registered as: Aviva Insurance Limited and our firm's reference number is 202153.

You may check this information and obtain further information about how the Financial Conduct Authority protects you by visiting their website www.fca.org.uk or by contacting them on 0800 III 6768.

Notes	