



# Compass Point

## Supported Housing Scheme

Supported housing is accommodation for people who are aged 60 and over, who can live on their own but who would like to have support close by.

We have 33 supported housing schemes across Dacorum with a range of self-contained flats and bungalows. Social gatherings and activities are often available within these schemes.

Compass Point in Northchurch, is a purpose-built supported scheme.

### This leaflet tells you about:

- Where Compass Point is
- How many flats there are
- What communal facilities there are
- Other supported housing schemes in the area



### Where is Compass Point?

Compass point is located in a residential area in Northchurch, close to local shops and on bus route into town.

The nearest doctors' surgery is Gossoms End Surgery, which is about a mile away.

### How many flats are there?

There are 28 self-contained flats in the scheme.

### What facilities are there?

There is a communal lounge and kitchen, with a laundry for tenants' use. The scheme benefits from a community alarm and fire alarm system. The communal gardens are lovely and the residents share in keeping them looking well-groomed throughout the year. There are views from the flats overlooking the allotments and the canal.

The scheme has a shelter for mobility scooters and a guest room which can be booked for overnight visitors.

### What activities do other tenants participate in?

There is a regular coffee morning every week and Age UK also organise activities. Some of the residents plan social events within the scheme and many residents also go on day trips out. We also run tablet courses to help tenants get online as well as a range of other **Tenant Academy** courses.

## **Have you thought about...?**

Other supported housing schemes in the local area are:

- Lagley House
- Douglas Gardens

For more information about supported housing, please contact the Supported Housing team by email: [SupportedHousing@dacorum.gov.uk](mailto:SupportedHousing@dacorum.gov.uk) take a look at our website [www.dacorum.gov.uk/supportedhousing](http://www.dacorum.gov.uk/supportedhousing) or telephone 01442 228000 and ask for Supported Housing.

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