

# Abington Housing Needs Survey

The survey is in two parts. The first part is to find out what housing we already have in The Abingtons and the second part is to find out what further housing we need and *will need* in the next few years. You only need to fill in the second part if you have, or **are likely** to have, a need for housing or a need to change your housing.

## Part 1

### Your Household

How many people in each of these age groups live in your home?	0-15 years	<input type="text"/>	16-24 years	<input type="text"/>
	25-44 years	<input type="text"/>	45-59 years	<input type="text"/>
	60-74 years	<input type="text"/>	75+ years	<input type="text"/>

### Your Home

Do you currently: (Please tick)	Rent a council home	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rent a housing assoc. home	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Rent a private home	<input type="checkbox"/>	Live in Tied accommodation	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Own with mortgage	<input type="checkbox"/>	Own with no mortgage	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Live with parents	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other (please specify below)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Other	<input type="text"/>			
What kind of property do you live in?	House <input type="checkbox"/>	Bungalow <input type="checkbox"/>	Flat <input type="checkbox"/>	Other <input type="checkbox"/>	
Is this residence your main home?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>		No <input type="checkbox"/>		
How many bedrooms does your home have?	1 bedrm <input type="checkbox"/>	2 bedrms <input type="checkbox"/>	3 bedrms <input type="checkbox"/>	4 bedrms <input type="checkbox"/>	5+ bedrms <input type="checkbox"/>
Are you currently on the District Council housing waiting list?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>		No <input type="checkbox"/>		

### You and your Village

Do you: (Please tick all boxes that apply)	Currently live in the village?	<input type="checkbox"/>	If so for how long?	<input type="text"/> yrs
	Work in the village?	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Have relatives in the village?	<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Have a previous residency in the village?	<input type="checkbox"/>	If so for how long?	<input type="text"/> yrs
Do you know of anyone who has had to leave the village in the last 10 years that might want to return?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>		No <input type="checkbox"/>	
If YES, please ask them to contact Genevieve Dalton (on 893332) or Paula Harper (on 892000) for more forms or visit <a href="http://www.theabingtons.org.uk/housing">www.theabingtons.org.uk/housing</a> to print one off.				

Would you be in favour of a small development of affordable homes for local people?	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>
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**Thank you for completing the first part of the survey.**

**Please complete the second part of the survey if any of the following apply:**

- You are in need of local housing.
- Someone in your household needs or is likely to need housing within the village.
- You have a strong local connection to the village, and require housing.

The following information will be used to identify whether or not there is a need for affordable social housing in the village. If there is a need, it will help to identify the type of homes required. If there is more than one family or individual with a housing need in your household, please contact Genevieve Dalton or Paula Harper for additional forms (their contact information is on the last page)

## Part2

### Your Housing Needs

How many people in each of these age groups need housing?	0-15 years	<input type="checkbox"/>	16-24 years	<input type="checkbox"/>
	25-44 years	<input type="checkbox"/>	45-59 years	<input type="checkbox"/>
	60-74 years	<input type="checkbox"/>	75+ years	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Other: <input type="checkbox"/>			
What type of household needs housing?	A single adult	<input type="checkbox"/>	An adult couple	<input type="checkbox"/>
	A family with children	<input type="checkbox"/>	3 or more adults	<input type="checkbox"/>
	A single elderly person	<input type="checkbox"/>	An elderly couple	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Other: <input type="checkbox"/>			
When is this housing going to be needed?	Now <input type="checkbox"/>	In 1-3 years <input type="checkbox"/>	In 3-5 years <input type="checkbox"/>	
Why is your current home unsuitable?	It is too small	<input type="checkbox"/>	It is too big	<input type="checkbox"/>
	It is too expensive	<input type="checkbox"/>	Need to live independently	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Need to be closer to family	<input type="checkbox"/>	Health/mobility problems	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Other reasons: <input type="checkbox"/>			
What type of home would be most suitable?	House <input type="checkbox"/>	Bungalow <input type="checkbox"/>	Flat <input type="checkbox"/>	
How many bedrooms would your home need?	1 bdrm <input type="checkbox"/>	2 bdrms <input type="checkbox"/>	3 bdrms <input type="checkbox"/>	4+ bdrms <input type="checkbox"/>

### Housing ownership or rental

What kind of tenure would be most suitable for you?	Private Ownership <input type="checkbox"/>	Shared Ownership <input type="checkbox"/>	Rented <input type="checkbox"/>	
For private and shared ownership please indicate the maximum mortgage you could afford. (Assume no more than 3 times your annual income, joint if applicable)	£20-25,000	<input type="checkbox"/>	£55-60,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£25-30,000	<input type="checkbox"/>	£60-65,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£30-35,000	<input type="checkbox"/>	£65-70,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£35-40,000	<input type="checkbox"/>	£70-75,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£40-45,000	<input type="checkbox"/>	£75-80,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£45-50,000	<input type="checkbox"/>	£80-85,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£50-55,000	<input type="checkbox"/>	£85-90,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
If you require rented accommodation, how much can you afford to pay each week in rent?	Up to £50	<input type="checkbox"/>	£81-90	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£51-60	<input type="checkbox"/>	£91-100	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£61-70	<input type="checkbox"/>	£100+	<input type="checkbox"/>
	£71-80	<input type="checkbox"/>		

## **Special Needs**

Please state if you have any specific housing needs(e.g. mobility difficulties, disability requirements)

Please use the space below to make any additional comments regarding this survey. It can also be used to provide further information regarding your housing needs.

If you have a housing need you may wish to complete the following information. It will be treated in the strictest confidence **and will not be published in the final report** regarding the housing requirements of the village. **It will only be used to provide you with information** regarding any possible housing scheme that results from this survey.

Name: Mr/Mrs/Ms \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for taking the time to complete this survey. Please return it, in an envelope if you wish, by 15<sup>th</sup> June 2011.**

**You can return it to the Institute Letter Box, Paula Harper or Genevieve Dalton.**

**Their addresses are on the next sheet...**

# HOUSING SURVEY

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**Please return to any of:**

- **The Institute Letter Box**
- **Paula Harper, 17 Lewis Crescent, Great Abington (Tel: 892000)**
- **Genevieve Dalton, 27 West Field, Little Abington (Tel: 893332)**