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When you need repairs, maintenance  
or home improvements call  
**0845 838 8851**  
local call number

Services include;

- Electricians
- Plumbing
- Corgi Gas Engineers
- Roofing
- Kitchen appliance repairs
- Gardening and tree work
- Painting and decorating
- Home improvements
- General repairs
- Building work

## CASAC Checkpoint

CASAC Checkpoint is a scheme initially funded by the Home Office which has assisted over 12,000 people across Leeds.

We aim to protect householders from bogus and cowboy contractors. We do this by providing a safe, secure and reliable source of trades people for people requiring repairs, maintenance or improvements to their homes.

# Is your house In need of repair? Don't know who to trust?

CASAC Check Point works across the West Yorkshire district to protect householders from bogus and "cowboy" workmen, by providing a safe, secure and reliable source of tradespeople when you need repairs, maintenance or improvements carried out at home.

There are many people in the local area (especially older and vulnerable adults), who are exploited by tradespeople and other service providers calling at their home. Although opportunist tradespeople knocking on doors are the main area of concern, even invited ones can overcharge for jobs, or do more work than is actually required. It is not only members of the public who suffer, reputable traders are also affected, by being tarred with the same brush as the "cowboys", because householders are often unable to differentiate between honest and dishonest companies.

CASAC Check Point was set up to help local people find local tradespeople when they need work doing at home and also to protect the reputation of the genuine tradespeople in the area, who just want to do an honest day's work for an honest day's pay.

The scheme has compiled a register of approved tradespeople, companies and contractors, who can do almost any job in your home and garden, no matter how big or small. All of these people do good quality work at a fair price. They are not necessarily the cheapest people you can find, but they are reliable, honest and will not rip you off.

Before being accepted onto our register, we carry out a rigorous vetting procedure and all of our tradespeople are regularly monitored and assessed for quality of work, reliability and neatness on site, as well as with their empathy towards customers and value for money. Any tradespeople not meeting the required standards are removed from the register.

This is not a subsidised service; all of our tradespeople are qualified within their field of work and charge the normal "going rate" for the type of work that they are employed to do, but will not rip you off.

If you require work doing within your home, or are interested in joining our register, please call our team on **0845 838 8851**

**Don't employ 'Door Knockers' Call CASAC Check Point - We're here to help YOU!**

Casac Checkpoint works in partnership with West Yorkshire Trading Standards, Leeds City Council, West Yorkshire Police and local voluntary organisations.