



## **ORIGIN CARE AND REPAIR**

We are an agency set up to assist people with disabilities, or older people who are 60 or over with housing problems. To be eligible for our service you must be an owner occupier or private tenant living in Islington.

We are funded by Islington council.

### **How can we help?**

When you contact us, we will arrange for an advisor to visit you to provide free advice on your eligibility for help to repair or improve your home with council grants or other types of funding. If you decide to go ahead, we will co-ordinate the grant process for you. This involves assisting with application forms, liaising with the council and organising the building works and payments. We have surveyors who can visit your home, draw up a specification, obtain estimates and oversee the works.

There is a charge for our services, which can be paid from your grant. We will advise you about charges in advance.

We have a list of approved building contractors, for whom we have checked references and insurance details. On completion of the works, we will inspect and arrange for the council to attend.

### **Grant Claims**

We can handle grant monies on your behalf, including paying builders and professional fees.

For further information, please contact us at:

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