2021-22 Housing and Property Services Performance Report Performance Indicators (for Committee)



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1. THE CUSTOMER/LANDLORD RELATIONSHIP

| Cat | PI Code & Short Name | Target | 2018/19 | 2019/20 | 2020/21 | Q3 2020/21 | Q4 2020/21 | Q1 2021/22 | Q2 2021/22 | Q3 2021/22 | Latest Note | Status |
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| | | | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | | |
| Nat(b) | H1.1 % of tenants satisfied with the overall services provided by their landlord | 90% | 79.6% | N/A | N/A | Not me for Qu | | | measure Quarters | | | |
| Nat(b) | H1.3 % who feel landlord is good at keeping them informed about services | 90% | 76.3% | N/A | N/A | Not me for Qu | | | measure Quarters | | | |
| Nat(b) | H1.4a % of 1st stage complaints resolved | | 100 | 100 | 100 | 93.9 | 90.9 | 88.6 | 86.7 | 97.5 | | 2 |
| Nat(b) | H1.4b % of 2nd stage complaints resolved | | 90 | 93 | 93 | 85.7 | 87.5 | 66.7 | 92.9 | 75 | | <u>~</u> |
| Local | H1.4c % of complaints upheld | | 54.7 | 62.9 | 65.4 | 65.6 | 64.2 | 48.8 | 53.8 | 69 | | |
| Nat(b) | H1.5c The average time in working days for a full response to stage 1 complaints | 5 | | 5 | 5 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 5 | | |
| Nat(b) | H1.5d The average time in working days for a full response to stage 2 complaints | 20 | | 19 | 19 | 21 | 18 | 24 | 19 | 19 | | |
| Nat(b) | H1.6 % tenants happy with opportunity to participate in decision making process | 90% | 68.8% | N/A | N/A | Not me for Qu | | | measure Quarters | | | |
| Local | H1.7a No of MSP enquiries received in period | | 137 | 144 | 151 | 45 | 46 | 43 | 49 | 38 | | |

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| Local | H1.7b % of MSP enquiries responded to within target | 90 | 74.2 | 91.7 | 63.1 | 79.5 | 65.7 | 95.3 | 91.1 | 82.5 | Volume of 1st stage complaints increased significantly. Investigating officers are advised to ensure targets are being met for complaint responses and take precedence over MP/MSP enquiry deadlines. | |

2. HOUSING QUALITY AND MAINTENANCE

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| Nat(b) | H2.1 % of stock meeting the SHQS | 100% | 92.5% | 90.7% | 90.1% | Not me for Qu | | | measure Quarters | | At 31 March 2020, 272 properties were classed as exemptions (technical reasons) and 45 were classed as abeyances (social reasons). 257 properties did not meet the SHQS. Of the 257 SHQS failures; 93 were identified during 2018/19 and the remaining 164 are new failures. 130 of the 257 are already included on a heating replacement contract. The remainder will be reviewed and included in a future works programme. | • |
| Nat(b) | H2.2b Percentage of stock meeting the Energy Efficiency Standard for Social Housing (EESSH) | 65.75 | 57.4 | 54.6 | 56.8 | Not me for Qu | | | measure Quarters | | At 31 March 2020, 877 properties were classed as exemptions with the majority of these due to excessive cost. 1874 properties did not meet the EESSH. The Council substantially increased its EESSH programme in 2019/20 (£1.189m) and 2020/21 (£2.6m) with a focus on heating replacements. Over 1,000 older style gas fired back boilers remain in the housing stock and replacement parts are now obsolete. Tenants were offered new heating installations in early 2020 which resulted in 794 positive responses, with a large number of no replies to follow up. Tenants are now being contacted again to confirm if they are still in agreement with new heating being installed in their home given the anxiety remaining about COVID-19. All heating installation works were suspended when lockdown | |

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| | | | | | | | | | | | started in March and recommenced at the end of August. | |
| Local | H2.3 % of tenants satisfied with the standard of their home when moving in | 90 | 80.7 | 80.9 | 79.7 | 0 | 79.7 | 90.9 | 85.7 | 84.6 | The Voids Improvement Group is currently reviewing the Moray Letting Standard in a bid to improve letting standards and customer satisfaction in this area. | |
| Nat(b) | H2.4 % of tenants satisfied with the quality of their home | 90% | 73.9% | N/A | N/A | Not me for Qu | easured Iarters | Not | measure Quarters | | | |
| Nat(b) | H2.7 Average length of time (hours) to complete emergency repairs | 4 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.5 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 2.5 | 2.4 | 2.7 | | |
| Nat(b) | H2.8 Average length of time (working days) to complete non-emergency repairs | 10 | 7.5 | 9.5 | 5.4 | 7.3 | 5.4 | 8.1 | 8 | 6.5 | | |
| Nat(b) | H2.9a Number of repairs completed within target time (excl voids) | | 14,062 | 15,095 | 12,196 | 3,810 | 3,317 | 3,550 | 3,612 | 4,139 | | |
| Nat(b) | H2.11 % of repairs completed right first time | 90 | 82.7 | 79.8 | 86.2 | 87.2 | 89.2 | 91.6 | 88.4 | 94.2 | | |
| Local | H2.12 % of repairs appointments kept | 95% | 93% | 92.4% | 97.6% | 100% | 100% | N/A | N/A | | 2021/22 Q3 onwards. Appointment data recording issues on the repairs scheduling system, has meant that current performance is not validated. Officers are working with ICT to resolve this issue. | |
| Nat(b) | H2.13a Number of times did not meet statutory obligations to complete a gas safety check within 12 months of a gas appliance being fitted or its last check | 0 | | 0 | 198 | | 10 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 4 properties failed to meet our statutory duty to carry out a Landlords gas safety checks within 12 months of the previous service. An audit trail in place that shows access was not possible to these properties because of each household self-isolating because of Covid. This is significantly less than the 198 similar failures in 2020/21. | • |
| Nat(b) | H2.14 % of tenants who have had repairs or maintenance carried out in last 12 months and are satisfied with the service | 90% | 78.6% | 99.2% | 99.7% | | easured Iarters | | measure Quarters | | | |
| Local | H7.6 % of planned maintenance works completed within agreed programme | 98% | 93.4% | 92.5% | 94.3% | | easured Iarters | | measure Quarters | | | |

3. NEIGHBOURHOOD AND COMMUNITY

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| | | | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | | |
| Nat(b) | H3.1 % of tenants satisfied with the landlord's contribution to the management of the neighbourhood they live in | | 80.3% | N/A | N/A | | easured Iarters | | measure Quarters | | | ? |
| Nat(b) | H3.2 % of tenancy offers refused during the year | 30% | 32.2% | 29.1% | 28.5% | 22.9% | 31.6% | 28% | 23.2% | 29.3% | | |
| Nat(b) | H3.4 % ASB cases reported which were resolved | | N/A | 89.8% | 79.6% | 25% | 72.7% | 14.5% | 13.7% | 61.9% | | |

4. ACCESS TO HOUSING AND SUPPORT

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| | | | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.1a % of new tenancies sustained for more than one year by source of let: existing tenants | | 97.7% | 96.3% | 97.9% | 93.8% | 100.0 % | N/A | 90.9% | 100.0 % | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.1b % of new tenancies sustained for more than one year by source of let: statutory homeless | | 91.6% | 89.8% | 93.7% | 93.4% | 94.8% | 93.8% | 88.7% | 88.0% | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.1c % of new tenancies sustained for more than one year by source of let: housing list | | 94.0% | 93.2% | 93.1% | 90.9% | 100.0 % | 50.0% | 85.7% | 95.2% | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.1f % of new tenancies sustained for more than one year by source of let: All sources | | 93.5% | 92.6% | 94.3% | 92.7% | 97.3% | 88.9% | 100.0 % | 92.9% | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.2 % of lettable houses that became vacant in the last year | | 6.9% | 7.9% | 6.0% | 1.9% | 1.9% | 1.3% | 2.1% | 1.9% | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.4 Average time to complete applications for medical adaptations (working days) | | N/A | 19.5 | 37.6 | N/A | 0 | | | | | ? |
| Nat(b) | H4.4a Average time to complete applications for major medical | | N/A | 132.7 | 284 | N/A | 12 | | | | | |

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| | | | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | | |
| | adaptations (working days) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.4b Average time to complete applications for minor medical adaptations (working days) | | N/A | 10.7 | 37 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.4c Number of households currently waiting for adaptations to their home | | N/A | 38 | 185 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.4d Total cost of adaptations completed in the year by source of funding (landlord funded/grant funded/other sources) | | N/A | £418,0 39.00 | £75,35 4.00 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.5 % of court actions initiated which resulted in eviction | | 17.2% | 14.1% | 0.0% | N/A | N/A | N/A | 0.0% | 0.0% | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.5a No of court actions initiated | | 58 | 78 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.5b No of repossession orders granted | | 25 | 31 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.5c No of properties recovered for: Non payment of rent | | 10 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.5ci No of properties recovered for: Anti Social Behaviour | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.5cii No of properties recovered for: Other | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.6j Average length of time in temp accomm by type (days): LA ordinary dwelling | | | 84.6 | 102.0 | 119.0 | 90.0 | 106.0 | 117.0 | 91.0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.6k Average length of time in temp accomm by type (days): HA/RSL ordinary dwelling | | | 113.4 | 142.0 | 161.0 | 152.0 | 87.0 | 161.0 | 98.0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.6l Average length of time in temp accomm by type (days): Hostel - LA owned | | N/A | 61.0 | 81.0 | 73.0 | 0.0 | 99.0 | 215.0 | 25.0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.6m Average length of time in temp accomm by type (days): Hostel - RSL | | | 105.6 | 75.0 | 66.0 | 73.0 | 53.0 | 95.0 | 98.0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.6n Average length of time in temp accom (days) Hostel-other | | | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |

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| Nat(b) | H4.60 Average length of time in temp accomm by type (days): Bed & Breakfast | | | 0.0 | 0.0 | 6.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.6p Average length of time in temp accomm by type (days): Women's refuge | | | 116.7 | 128.0 | 144.0 | 71.0 | 122.0 | 118.0 | 130.0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.6q Average length of time in temp accomm by type (days): Private Sector Lease | | | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.6r Average length of time in temp accomm by type (days): Other | | | 473.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.7 % of households requiring temp or emergency accomm to whom an offer was made | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | | |
| Nat(b) | H4.8 % of temp or emergency accomm offers refused in the last year by accommodation type | 7% | 7.5% | 2.9% | 2.8% | 2.3% | 2.3% | 0% | 0% | 0.9% | | |
| Local | H4.9 % satisfied with the quality of temporary or emergency accommodation (of those households homeless in the last 12 months) | 90% | 85.5% | 90% | 96% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 80% | The service continues to invest in the fabric and furnishings of temporary accommodation. However, the low returns have exaggerated the % figure. | |
| Nat(b) | H4.12a Percentage of homeless households referred to RSLs under Section 5 and through other referral routes | | N/A | 13.5% | 7.2% | 3.7% | 6.1% | 24.7% | 11.2% | 18% | | |
| Local | H4.13 Percentage of homelessness assessments completed within 28 days | 100% | 98.4% | 99.6% | 98.7% | 97.1% | 100% | 98.2% | 98.4% | 99.2% | | |
| Local | H4.15 Percentage of housing applications admitted to list within 10 days | 100% | 100% | 98.4% | 13.5% | 4.3% | 25.1% | 78.4% | 15.9% | | | |
| Local | H4.18a % allocations by group: Homeless list | 50.0% | 42.0% | 51.4% | 49.2% | 67.0% | 43.6% | 62.2% | 41.7% | 54.9% | | |
| Local | H4.18b % allocations by group: Waiting List | 32.0% | 33.3% | 28.7% | 29.5% | 1.8% | 35.3% | 26.1% | 35.4% | 30.3% | | |
| Local | H4.18c % allocations by group: Transfer List | 18.0% | 24.5% | 19.9% | 21.3% | 31.3% | 21.2% | 11.7% | 22.9% | 14.8% | | |

5. GETTING GOOD VALUE FROM RENTS AND SERVICE CHARGES

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| Nat(b) | H5.1 % of tenants who feel that the rent for their property represents good value for money | | 83% | N/A | N/A | Not me | easured arters | Not | measure Quarters | d for | | ? |
| Nat(b) | H5.2 Rent collected as % of total rent due | 97.0 % | 99.2 % | 99.1 % | 99.4 % | 93.8 % | 99.4 % | 94.0 % | 91.4 % | 90.6 % | Rent collection in Quarter 3, has been impacted by the Omicron variant of the Coronavirus as this affected household incomes and the ability of Area Housing Officers to carry out home visits. | |
| Nat(b) | H5.3 Gross rent arrears as a % of rent due | 2.8% | 2.4% | 2.6% | 3.2% | 3.9% | 3.7% | 3.8% | 4.1% | 4.4% | Rent arrears performance is above the target and this can also be associated to the Coronavirus issues. Home visits were not being undertaken and cases were not being called in court. | |
| Nat(b) | H5.3a Total value of gross rent arrears (£) | | £440,3 35 | £610,6 41 | £711,8 12 | £764,7 23 | £711,8 12 | £770,0 99 | £839,5 71 | £896,4 85 | Rent collection in Quarter 3, has been impacted by the Omicron variant of the Coronavirus as this affected household incomes and the ability of Area Housing Officers to carry out home visits. Rent arrears performance is above the target and this can also be associated to the Coronavirus issues. Home visits were not being undertaken and cases were not being called in court. | |
| Nat(b) | H5.4 % of rent lost due to voids | 0.63% | 0.85% | 0.95% | 1.17% | 1.11% | 1.3% | 1.12% | 1.34% | 1.25% | As a comparison, the national average for local authorities for rent due lost through properties being empty was 1.75%. The high number of voids, utility issues and the impact of Covid on supply chains and labour resource have impacted performance. | |
| Local | H5.5 Current tenants' arrears as a % of net rent due | 3.5% | 3% | 3.5% | 3.9% | 4.5% | 3.9% | 4.3% | 4.6% | 4.9% | As a comparison, the national average rent arrears for local authorities in Quarter 3 was 8.8%. The increasing trend is a cause for concern but is not unique to Moray. | |
| Nat(b) | H5.6 Average time taken to re-let empty properties (calendar days) | 32 | 48 | 46 | 72 | 61 | 57 | 62 | 61 | 65 | Overall, average re let timescales remain high, due to ongoing issues that include high numbers of void repairs, utility issues and the impact of Covid on the supply chain, labour resource. The Void Improvement Group are meeting regularly to try to address these issues, in a bid to reduce average re let timescales. | |

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| | | 5 | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | Value | | |
| Local | H5.10 Former tenant arrears - value | | £83,20 2 | £121,6 95 | £120,3 52 | £123,8 63 | £120,3 52 | £121,8 12 | £122,6 35 | £118,6 16 | | |
| Local | H5.11 % of tenants giving up tenancy in arrears | | 25.3% | 31.5% | 32.1% | 30.5% | 32.1% | 21.1% | 29.2% | 30.7% | | |
| Local | H5.12 % of Former Tenants Arrears written off & collected | | 97% | 42.5% | 70.5% | 41.9% | 70.5% | 12% | 29.6% | 55.8% | | |

6. GYPSY/TRAVELLERS

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| | | | Value | | |
| Local | H6.1a No of new unauthorised encampments within period | | 25 | 27 | 17 | 4 | 2 | 7 | 5 | 0 | | |
| Local | H6.1b No of encampments ended within period | | 22 | 29 | 17 | 4 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 5 | | |
| Local | H6.1c Average duration of encampments ended within period (days) | | 40 | 39 | 34.82 | 53.75 | 6 | 8.8 | 41 | 76 | | |
| Local | H6.2 % of new unauthorised encampments visited within target timescale | 100% | 96% | 100% | 94.1% | 100% | 100% | 100% | 100% | N/A | No new cases | ? |