

We will also take account of additional factors relevant to the needs of the applicant. They include:

- The urgency of an applicant's housing need
- How long the applicant has been on the Housing Register
- The financial resources available to a person to meet their housing needs
- Other locally defined reasons

The severe shortage of social rented homes in Enfield means the Council must make best use of housing stock in the borough by taking into account the availability and suitability of all alternative housing options and solutions for meeting an applicant's housing need.

### ***Reasons for canceling Housing Register applications***

Applications on the Housing Register will be cancelled and removed for a number of reasons including the following: the applicant

- Has been evicted because of rent arrears after they apply to the Housing Register
- Has been involved in proven or evicted for anti-social behaviour after they apply to the Housing Register
- No longer wants to be housed
- Has died
- Has had a change in their immigration status and is no longer eligible to be on the Housing Register
- Has been housed by Enfield Council or a Housing Association
- Is a person prescribed by the Secretary of State in regulations as ineligible