

**STAY SAFE  
WITH  
GAS SAFE  
REGISTER**

**IT'S THE NEW NAME  
IN GAS SAFETY**

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**Be safe, use a Gas Safe registered engineer and always check the card.**

**In an emergency**

If you smell gas or think there might be a gas leak: turn off the gas, extinguish naked flames, open windows and immediately call the Gas Emergency number for your area. Seek medical advice if you feel unwell.

**Gas Emergency contacts:**

Northern Ireland (Natural Gas)  
**0800 002 001**  
For LPG contact your LPG supplier

**GasSafeRegister.co.uk**  
**0800 408 5500**

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**Be safe, know the risks and protect yourself from the dangers of gas.**

Poorly maintained, badly installed or faulty gas appliances could put you at risk from gas leaks, fire, explosion and carbon monoxide poisoning. Carbon monoxide is a highly poisonous gas. You can't see it, taste it or smell it, but it can kill quickly with no warning.

You can protect yourself by following these simple steps:

- make sure your gas appliances are installed, serviced regularly and safely checked every year by a Gas Safe registered engineer
- check for warning signs such as lazy luminous yellow flames or black marks or stains around the appliance
- install an audible carbon monoxide alarm or know the six main signs and symptoms of carbon monoxide poisoning – headaches, dizziness, nausea, breathlessness, collapse and loss of consciousness. If these symptoms disappear or become less noticeable when away from home, this can be a sign that carbon monoxide is present.

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## WHAT is Gas Safe Register?

Gas Safe Register is the hallmark for gas safety. We manage the register of gas engineers who are properly qualified to work with gas in the United Kingdom and Isle of Man. To carry out work on gas installations and appliances safely and legally, gas engineers must be on the Gas Safe Register.

## WHY do I need to use a Gas Safe registered engineer?

Gas Safe Register exists to protect you from dangerous gas work. You can make sure that gas appliances such as boilers, fires, ovens and hobs are installed, maintained and serviced safely, by using a Gas Safe registered engineer.

If someone other than a Gas Safe registered engineer does the gas work in your home, you could be risking the safety of your family and property.

## HOW do I find a Gas Safe registered engineer?

It's easy. All Gas Safe registered engineers are listed on our website [www.GasSafeRegister.co.uk](http://www.GasSafeRegister.co.uk). Alternatively call **0800 408 5500** and an advisor will be pleased to help you find an engineer in your area.

Gas Safe Register replaced the CORGI gas register in Northern Ireland on 1 April 2010

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# Always ask to see the card

### How do I check my engineer is on the Gas Safe Register?

All Gas Safe registered engineers carry a Gas Safe Register ID card, with their own unique licence number, showing the type of work they are qualified to do. Before any gas work is carried out always make sure you ask to see their ID card.



#### Front

Remember to check:

- the licence number
- the start date
- the expiry date
- the security hologram

| Domestic | Gas      | LPG      | Non-Domestic | Gas | LPG |
|----------|----------|----------|--------------|-----|-----|
| Pipework | 10/12/10 | 10/12/10 |              |     |     |
| Cookers  | 10/12/10 | 10/12/10 |              |     |     |
| Gas Fire | 10/12/10 |          |              |     |     |
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The cardholder is deemed competent only in the categories of work identified by a date.

#### Back

Remember to check:

- your engineer is qualified for the work you require
- their qualifications are up-to-date

# Keeping you safe in your home

Gas Safe Register is working hard to stamp out illegal gas work. Saving pennies may seem like a good idea, but using an illegal gas worker could put you and your family's lives at risk. Illegal gas workers often do not have the qualifications and skills to carry out gas work safely.

It is our priority to protect you from unsafe gas work. If you think someone is working on gas illegally, tell us and we will investigate.

There are more than 120,000 engineers on the Gas Safe Register. To check that they're working safely, we routinely inspect gas work they have carried out. If you have had gas work done in your property in the last six months, you can nominate it for a free gas safety inspection.

If you want to report an illegal gas worker; nominate your home for an inspection; or make a complaint; call us on **0800 408 5500** or go to [www.GasSafeRegister.co.uk](http://www.GasSafeRegister.co.uk)

