

Rochdale Borough Safe Place Scheme



Making Rochdale a Safer Place
for Everyone

What is a Safe Place?



A Safe Place is a place you can go to if you feel scared, lost or need some help.



A Safe Place is a building like a shop, library, café, or community centre that displays a Safe Place sticker in the window.

If you see somewhere with a Safe Place sticker in the window you know you will be welcome and this is somewhere you can go to ask for help.



Safe Places can help you feel safer to go out on your own or with friends.

How can a Safe Place help?



A Safe Place can provide a safe and friendly place for you to go if you need help.

The staff in the Safe Place can phone someone and get help for you.

When would you use a Safe Place?



You would use a Safe Place if you:

- Feel lost, upset or afraid.
- Feel bullied or threatened.
- Have lost your belongings.
- Have lost your friends.

How to use the Safe Place Scheme



Anyone can join the scheme and get a Safe Place card which you can carry with you.

You will need to add your name to the card and the telephone number of someone you trust.



If you feel unsafe or at risk when you are out and about you can go to a Safe Place and show your card.



They can help you and phone the person named on the card.

How do I find a Safe Place?



Look for the Safe Place sticker in windows.

There is a free Safe Places app you can use to find your nearest Safe Place.

There is a list of Safe Places on the National Safe Place Website: www.safeplaces.org.uk

How to Join the Safe Place Scheme:



If you live in Rochdale Borough and would like to join, please contact Mel Chapman.

You can ring Mel on 0161 769 9000 or email melanie.chapman@futuredirectionscic.co.uk



You can visit our website for further information about the scheme.

Visit: www.futuredirectionscic.co.uk/spice/the-rochdale-safe-place-scheme.html