



SPACE (Safety Priority Assessment for Cluttered Environments)

Resident:	Assessor	name and s	Date:		
Identify the risks	Score the risks by the evidence seen or information given			Recommend the actions needed to reduce the risk or avoid a risk developing	
Risk	No	Minor evidence	High-level evidence	Actions req	uired
Section 1 - Wellbeing	evidence			(For example: advise social worke	er and contact fire services)
Defensive or aggressive behaviour					
Does not understand seriousness of situation					
Not alert					
Anxious					
Confused					
Individual has disclosed mental health issues					
Poor air quality					
Signs of an infestation					
Mould or damp evidence					
Biohazards present (faeces/urine/chemical)					
Barriers to the toilet					
Barriers to the bath/shower					
Barriers to food preparation					
Barriers to access bed					
Limited access to oven, fridge and sink					
Limited access to garden					
Evidence of smoking					
Evidence of rotting food and/or overflowing bins					

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Evidence of self-neglect/personal presentation				
Evidence of high levels of medication seen				
Section 2 - Safe Pathways				
Doors/windows blocked or unusable				
Unstable piles/avalanche risk				
Stairs contain obstacles				
Limited movement through the home				
Slips and trips hazards				
Section 3 - Structure/safety				
Unstable floorboards/stairs				
Leaking roof/plumbing issues				
Flammable items close to heat source/stove				
Evidence of hazardous materials/weapons/drugs				
Bulging/crumbling walls				
No heating or electricity connected				
Heaters/radiators/fires obstructed				
Daisy chaining/worn wiring				
Section 4 - Areas of concern				
Threat to other residents				
Threat to pets				
Threat to visitors/services				
Number of occupants and details				
Clutter Image Ratings				
Safeguarding Concern				