



Answering your door to strangers

- If you can, look through the window to see who is calling. If you do not know them, you can ask them to make an appointment or return later when you can have someone with you.

You are in control

- If you cannot use the window shout out “who is it?” If you are not expecting the caller ask them to come back later when you can have someone with you.

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- If you have to open the door use the door chain, and ask for and check identity cards carefully. If you are unsure about the caller, you can ask them to return later when you can have someone with you.

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- Check the caller is genuine by phoning the company or organisation. Use phone numbers from the phone book or bills or accounts NOT phone numbers on identification cards. If the caller is genuine they will not mind waiting.

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- A password scheme is available with all the gas, electric and water companies. Criminals use all sorts of stories to gain access to your home.

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For crime reduction advice or to report a suspicious incident, call the police on 0115 967 0999 or contact your local police station. In an emergency dial 999.

Remember – you are in control, if in doubt keep them out

Greater Nottingham Doorstep Crime Partnership

local organisations working together to tackle doorstep crime