



# MANCHESTER INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SAFETY



#### **WELCOME TO MANCHESTER!**

This campaign has been created by Manchester Student Homes in partnership with The UK Council for International Student Affairs (UKCISA) & the Student Safety Group, working in collaboration with university partners and student volunteers to help keep you safe whilst studying in Manchester.







# MANCHESTER STUDENT HOMES

Manchester Student Homes (MSH) offers a FREE housing service to students. We are jointly managed by The University of Manchester & Manchester Metropolitan University.

We accredit landlords & private halls of residence who meet our required standards.

## INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY STANDARD

The International Friendly Standard has been created by MSH to recognise landlords & private halls who provide a fair & transparent service to international students, as well as going that extra mile. Look out for the IFS Logo!



# MANCHESTER INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SAFETY GUIDE

The guide includes information on the following areas:

### PERSONAL & HOUSEHOLD SAFETY

Remember, you can call the Police any time on 101, or 999 in an emergency.

#### **FIRE SAFETY**

NEVER cook when under the influence of alcohol.

#### **HEALTH & WELLBEING**

You can call 111 for free from any phone if you urgently need medical advice but it's not a life-threatening situation.

#### INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY

International Society is a not-for-profit organisation that aims to provide international students with a warm and friendly welcome when they arrive in the city and to make their time in the UK a wonderful experience.

#### PASSPORT CHECKLIST

- Set up a UK Bank account!
- Sign up with a local GP!
- Plan a safe route to get you from your home to university!
- Take part in university orienteering!
- Join a society & get involved!
- Know the location of your University Support Services including Manchester Student Homes!
- Plan a safe route when exploring the city of Manchester, avoid unlit areas & backstreets!
- Do you have keys to lock all your doors & windows? If not, speak to your landlord!
- Find a safe place to keep your valuables out of sight!
- Make sure you are not carrying large amounts of money when you are out!
- Visit www.ukcisa.org.uk for valuable information & advice!

#### FOR MORE INFO VISIT:

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