TASK Community Care is a leading supplier of telecare equipment and services, committed to providing technologies that enable people to live in the homes of their choice. We work closely with Health and Social Care teams and our equipment is used by individuals, County Councils and in sheltered accommodation throughout Ireland. We have been delivering services to individuals for over 35 years.

At TASK Community Care, we believe that technology should and can be used to enhance peace of mind, health and security. Our technology based care solutions facilitate wellbeing, by connecting with and protecting the individual. By enabling independent living, we help people to maintain a positive and dynamic life.

Our Mission Statement explains a little more about us...

"We are committed to the provision of life enhancing technologies that facilitate independence, security and individual liberty, in a way that enables people to live in the homes of their choice and to go on contributing, connecting, and experiencing life to the full."

Please contact us for any further information you require.

If regional office details are not listed below please contact our Head Office for further information.



## Where Technology meets Care



## Telecare & 'Smart' Homes Information leaflet

For Independant Living



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Intelligent Care Systems from TASK

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## Your Telecare Enabled Home

Telecare is the continuous monitoring of the home environment, in order to facilitate independent living. It involves using technology to monitor a person's independence and summon help if needed. Telecare enabled homes are often referred to as 'Smart' Homes.

When a telecare sensor (temperature, pressure, motion, etc.) is triggered, a call is automatically made to our 24/7 Response Centre. A two-way channel of communication is then opened between our trained staff and the central 'base' unit within your home. Staff will talk to you and if you indicate there is a problem or they do not receive a response they will contact a family member or the emergency services.

The telecare sensors around the home are wireless, easy to install and have a low power consumption. They are an inexpensive, flexible and highly reliable way of monitoring and controlling physical conditions within the home.



For people living alone or who may feel at risk, the base unit and a wearable 'CareLink' pendant can be a vital link with the outside world. The peace of mind provided by these items, also extends to relatives and friends who may be concerned for the safety of someone close to them.

So whether its a *Wandering Person Alert* for a loved one with dementia, a *Medication Dispenser* which reminds you to take important pills, a *Bogus* 

Caller Button at your front door helping you feel secure, or a Bed Exit Monitor providing early warning that a family member has not returned to their bed during the night and may have fallen, you can be assured that staff at our Response Centre will be notified, enabling them to react quickly to the situation and provide reassurance that help is on the way.



