

## **Smoke Alarm**



When the smoke alarm is activated, it will send a call into the Telecare Alarm Receiving Centre.

## **Benefits:**

- Automatically raises an alert, individuals do not have to press anything and provides early warning detection for the build-up of smoke.
- Primarily used for individuals with a cognitive impairment and / or physical disability and unable to safely vacate the house in the event of a fire.

## **Key Points:**

- Sensitive and can be activated by steam or cigarette smoke.
- When referring, specify the room the smoke alarm should be fitted in the Risk Information question.
- Telecare connected smoke alarms are not provided as interlinked smoke alarms
- The owner/ landlord of the property (not the HSCP) is responsible for providing the equipment to comply with the new fire alarm legislation coming into effect from February 2022, please refer to the Scottish Government factsheet



