

# Who to Notify When you Move House: A complete Guide



## **Moving House in York and North Yorkshire?**

### **Change of Address Checklist by A&M Removals of Pocklington.**

Moving home in York or North Yorkshire involves more than packing and transport. From Council Tax and utilities to healthcare and insurance, there are lots of organisations that must be told when you change address. When you see the lists below, it can appear to be a daunting task, but don't be put off. With good planning and a checklist you'll be fine!

This guide is designed for people moving within York city or between York and surrounding North Yorkshire towns and villages, including Acomb, Fulford, Clifton, Heworth, Huntington, Heslington, Holgate, Rawcliffe, Haxby, Wigginton, Easingwold, Tadcaster, Pocklington, Stamford Bridge, Boroughbridge, Malton and Thirsk.

Use this checklist **before, during and after your move** to stay organised and avoid missed post, billing problems or unnecessary stress.

#### **Plan Ahead!**

A well-planned move starts long before moving day. Using this checklist alongside an experienced local removals team can help everything run smoothly.

A&M Removals supports home moves across York and North Yorkshire with reliable planning and local knowledge, helping you move with confidence...



## York and North Yorkshire Change of Address Checklist

### Before You Move

- Confirm your moving date and access arrangements
- Set up Royal Mail post redirection
- Notify your employer of your new address
- Update HMRC and National Insurance records
- Inform banks and building societies
- Notify credit card and loan providers
- Arrange final utility meter readings
- Check broadband and mobile coverage at your new address
- Notify schools, colleges or childcare providers
- Inform GP, dentist, optician and vet
- Review insurance policies
- Cancel or transfer subscriptions and memberships



## Local Authorities and Government

- Council Tax with City of York Council if moving within York
- Council Tax with North Yorkshire Council if moving into or out of surrounding areas
- Electoral Register re-registration for your new address
- Department for Work and Pensions if applicable

## Utilities and Home Services

- Electricity supplier
- Gas supplier or alternative fuel provider if applicable
- Water provider
- Broadband provider
- Landline phone provider
- Mobile phone provider
- TV or satellite provider
- TV licence details

## Vehicles and Driving

- Driving licence address with DVLA
- V5C vehicle log book
- Car insurance provider
- Vehicle breakdown cover provider

## Money and Finance

- Bank and building society accounts
- Credit and debit cards
- Loans and finance agreements
- Pensions and retirement providers
- Premium Bonds and savings accounts
- Store cards and loyalty schemes

## Schools and Education

- Nursery or childcare providers
- Primary and secondary schools
- Colleges and universities
- Student finance providers if applicable

## Healthcare Providers

- GP surgery
- Dentist
- Optician
- Vet



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## Insurance Providers

Home and contents insurance  
Life insurance  
Health insurance  
Travel insurance  
Pet insurance

## Professional and Property Services

Cleaner  
Gardener  
Window cleaner  
Accountant  
Solicitor  
Letting agent or landlord if applicable

## Subscriptions and Memberships

Gyms and fitness centres  
Clubs and societies  
Newspaper deliveries  
Magazine subscriptions  
Online subscription services with postal billing

## On Moving Day

Take final electricity, gas and water meter readings  
Photograph readings for records  
Secure your previous property  
Keep important documents with you



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## After You Move

Register with a new GP if required  
Confirm Council Tax account is active  
Check redirected post is arriving  
Update any missed organisations  
Store proof of address safely

## Moving in York City vs North Yorkshire Villages

This comparison helps highlight key differences to be aware of when moving within York city compared to North Yorkshire towns and villages.

## Council and Local Services

### York City

Managed by City of York Council  
Typically faster online updates  
Smaller catchment areas for schools and GP surgeries

### North Yorkshire Villages

Managed by North Yorkshire Council  
Some services may be shared across larger areas  
Longer processing times in rural locations



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## Utilities and Connectivity

### **York City**

Strong broadband availability

Wider choice of TV and internet providers

Gas supply standard in most properties

### **North Yorkshire Villages**

Broadband speeds may vary

Satellite TV more common

Some homes use oil, LPG or alternative heating



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## Healthcare Access

### York City

Larger choice of GP surgeries and dentists  
Shorter travel times for appointments

### North Yorkshire Villages

Limited local surgeries  
Registration may depend on catchment areas  
Longer travel distances may apply

## Schools and Education

### York City

Defined catchment areas  
Multiple schooling options nearby

### North Yorkshire Villages

Fewer schools locally  
School transport may be required  
Catchment areas often cover larger distances

## Insurance and Vehicles

### York City

Postcodes may attract higher car insurance premiums  
Easier access to breakdown recovery services

### North Yorkshire Villages

Premiums can vary depending on location  
Breakdown cover should include rural recovery



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## Postal Services

### York City

Regular delivery schedules  
Easier access to post offices

### North Yorkshire Villages

Less frequent deliveries in some areas  
Postal redirection strongly recommended

## Final Reminder

Whether you are moving within York city or relocating to a village in North Yorkshire, updating your address promptly helps prevent issues with billing, services and important correspondence.

Planning ahead and using a clear checklist makes the process far simpler and far less stressful. And that's got to be a good thing!



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