## **Entry notice - Rooming accommodation** (Form R9)

Residential Tenancies and Rooming Accommodation Act 2008 (Sections 257–262)



1	Address of the rental premises		
	Room no.		
		Postcode	
2	Notice issued by Agent Manager/provider		
	Full name/trading name	Phone	
3	Full name/s of resident/s		
	1.		
	2.		
4	Details of all people entering		
	Full name/trading name F	Phone	
	1.		
	2.		
	3.		
5	Notice issued on		
	Day Date Method of issue (e.g. by post, in person)		
6	Entry is sought for the following reasons		
	Inspection (48 hours notice must be given, and can only happen once every month)  Cleaning (24 hours notice)  Repairs or maintenance (48 hours notice)  Pest control (48 hours notice)  Showing a room to a prospective resident or buyer (48 hours notice)  Valuation (48 hours notice)  To comply with the Fire Services Act 1990 (48 hours notice)  To install, maintain or replace a smoke alarm (48 hours notice)		
7	Entry to the premises is planned for		
	Day Date Time am pm		
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8	Details if this notice is for more than one entry (e.g. regular cleaning)	1	
9	Signature of the agent or manager/provider Print name Signature	Date	

Do not send to the RTA—give this form to the resident/s, keep a copy for your records.

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The resident/s are given this notice when the agent or manager/provider wants to gain entry to their room on a particular date.

If the resident/s dispute the grounds for entry they should try and resolve this with the person who issued the notice.

If the resident/s still do not agree, or are unsure the agent or manager/provider is following the rules of entry, the RTA's Dispute Resolution Services may be able to assist.

The agent or manager/provider should be present if someone else (e.g. a tradesperson) needs to enter the room. If the agent or manager/provider is not present, the other person must be able to show written proof they have been asked to enter the room.

Limits apply to entry frequency after a Notice to leave (Form R12) or a Notice of intention to leave (Form R13) is issued.

## Schedule of timeframes

Reason for entry	Timeframe required
With resident/s agreement	At agreed time
Inspection	48 hours
To clean the room	24 hours
To make routine repairs or carry out maintenance	48 hours
To carry out pest control	48 hours
To show the room to prospective buyer or resident	48 hours
To allow a valuation	48 hours
To install, maintain or replace a smoke alarm	48 hours
To comply with the Fire Services Act 1990	48 hours
Emergency	Without notice
Reasonably believes the room has been abandoned	Without notice
Urgent repairs	Without notice



**Other languages:** You can access a free interpreter service by calling the RTA on 1300 366 311 (Monday to Friday, 8:30am to 5:00pm).