

# FREE INDEPENDENT ENERGY ADVICE SERVICE

Groundwork's Green Doctors help residents stay warm, stay well, and save money on household bills.

www.groundwork.org.uk/greendoctor

\*Subject to eligibility

### **+** GREEN DOCTORS CAN HELP YOU TAKE CONTROL OF YOUR ENERGY BILLS



#### Practical solutions to reduce your energy costs

- Using your heating system and controls efficiently
- Managing damp, mould and condensation
- Reducing energy usage and waste

#### We help with energy bills

- Fuel debt support
- Grants for boilers and insulation
- Money advice
- Energy bill health check



#### We can install

- Draught proofing
- LED light bulbs
- Reflective radiator panels
- And more

For more information, to arrange a home visit or to make a referral use the QR code or contact:

Phone: 07799432589 or 07515 327185 Email: GreenDoctorsNE@groundwork.org.uk





## **GREEN DOCTORS SUNDERLAND**

In 2024 Groundwork Green Doctors supported over 6,000 households across the NE & Cumbria.

#### Energy Savvy Sunderland - until February 2027

- Redress funded project. A joint partnership with Groundwork, Sunderland Citizen Advice, Sunderland City Council and Sunderland Public Health.
- Offering tailored one-to-one support through home visits, telephone calls and community events.
- Includes the fitting of small energy efficiency measures
- Focusing on energy efficiency and damp and mould problems.
- Support to 3,000 Sunderland households over two years.

#### Home Energy Advice NE/One Stop Shop - until July 2025

- North East Combined Authority funded project bringing together Energy Saving Trust, Local Authorities and Groundwork.
- Offering tailored energy and retrofit advice via telephone support and home visits.
- Raising awareness and supporting households through the retrofit process.
- Supporting 250 households in Sunderland.

#### Warm Homes, Healthy Futures - until March 2025

- National Energy Action funded project.
- Focusing on supporting households struggling with with physical and mental health problems and referred by health services.
- Supporting 50 households and delivering 5 training workshops.



#### VCMA - until December 2025

- Northern Gas Network funded project.
- Offering home visits and telephone advice calls. Supporting households with energy advice, energy saving measures, behavioural changes, with a focus on promoting the Priority Service Register and Carbon Monoxide awareness.
- Supporting 50 Homes in Sunderland.

#### Northern Powergrid - until March 2026

- Northern Powergrid funded project.
- Offering energy advice, energy saving measures and encouraging behavioural change through home visits and telephone advice calls.
- Supporting 100 homes in Sunderland

#### Local Energy Advice Partnership - until March 2027

- One off home visits supporting installing energy saving measures and encouraging behaviour change
- Support with replacing broken boilers and inefficient appliances.
- Supporting 100 homes in Sunderland

#### British Gas Green Doctors - until March 2026

- British Gas funded project.
- Offering energy advice, energy saving measures and encouraging behavioural change through home visits and telephone advice calls.
- Supporting 300 households in Sunderland

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