Guaranteed Standards of Performance – How we're doing

Guaranteed Service Standards

Every quarter, we'll publish our Domestic guaranteed service standards of performance on our website. These are the standards we need to uphold in order to provide a high level of service to our customers around appointments and other promises made under the Standards of Performance Regulations.

Below you'll see information on all cases where the regulations applied during Q2, Q3 and Q4 2021and Q1 2022. We'll check which of these didn't meet the service standards e.g. if we failed to attend an agreed appointment.

Where there has been a 'failure' on our part, customers might be entitled to receive a standard compensation payment of £30 (applicable to both gas and electricity) applied to their account. If you are due a payment, and we fail to pay you this within 10 working days, you may also be due a further additional standard payment of £30.

Gas appointments

	Cases	Breaches	Exempt breaches	Net breaches	Net breaches as a proportion of cases
Q2 2021	88,111	645	0	645	0
Q3 2021	98,124	884	2	882	0
Q4 2021	107,327	1,134	2	1,132	0
Q1 2022	132,960	1,414	75	1,339	1.00%

Electricity appointments

	Cases	Breaches	Exempt breaches	Net breaches	Net breaches as a proportion of cases
Q2 2021	139,095	7,146	0	7,146	0
Q3 2021	146,440	7,373	9	7,364	0
Q4 2021	149,385	9,109	34	9,075	0
Q1 2022	173,082	10,510	797	9,713	5.61%

Definitions

Appointment: A scheduled time and date when we've arranged to visit your home

Breaches: When we've failed – for whatever reason – to meet the relevant standard of performance

Exempt breaches: If we have a valid reason for not meeting the standard then it may be classed as 'exempt'.

Net breaches: The total number of breaches once those which are 'exempt' are taken into consideration

Proportion of cases where we breached the rules governing standards of performance.

Net breaches as proportion of cases	14.00% 10.00% 9.00% 8.00% 7.00% 6.00% 5.00% 4.00% 3.00% 2.00% 1.00% 0.00%				
		Q2 2021	Q3 2021	Q4 2021	Q1 2022
■ Gas		0.73%	0.90%	1.05%	1.00%
■ Electricity		5.14%	5.03%	6.07%	5.61%

What we pay domestic customers as a result of breaching the rules

