

FACT SHEET

Intruder Alarms

“What happens when your intruder alarms activates in the early hours of the morning?”

Below are some facts that give you some in depth information about the types of Keyholding and Alarm Response services.

OVERVIEW

Intruder alarms are essential security systems designed to detect unauthorised entry or intrusion into a premises. They provide peace of mind and protection for homes, businesses, and properties of all sizes.

KEY FACTS

Intruder alarms come in various types, including wired, wireless, and hybrid systems, offering flexibility to suit different needs and environments.

Modern intruder alarms feature advanced technology such as motion sensors, door/window contacts, smoke cloaks and glass break detectors for comprehensive detection capabilities.

Integration with smart home automation allows users to remotely monitor and control their intruder alarms via mobile device app's, enhancing convenience and accessibility.

· By employing an accredited security provider to service and maintain your intruder alarm on a regular basis, you are ensuring that it is working to its optimal level.

STATISTICS

Homes with intruder alarms are significantly less likely to be burgled than those without (Source: National Burglar & Fire Alarm Association).

Businesses with intruder alarms experience lower rates of theft and vandalism, leading to cost savings and improved security (Source: Security Industry Association).

BENEFITS

Deterrence: Visible intruder alarms act as a deterrent to potential burglars, reducing the risk of break-ins.

Rapid Response: Intruder alarms trigger immediate alerts to homeowners, security personnel, or authorities, enabling swift response to intrusion attempts.

Reduced insurance premiums: Insurance companies will often give discounts on insurance premiums if your premises have a professional intruder alarm system.

Peace of Mind: Knowing that your property is protected by an intruder alarm provides peace of mind, especially during times of absence or travel.

24/7 Monitoring: All professionally designed intruder alarm systems have the ability to be remotely monitored by a dedicated alarm receiving centre (ARC)

FEATURES

Motion Sensors: Detect movement within the premises and trigger alarms.

Door/Window Contacts: Activate alarms when doors or windows are opened or tampered with.

Detection beam: Installing a detection beam around your perimeter can send an early warning of intrusion.

Control Panel: Is the centralised hub for arming, disarming, and monitoring the intruder alarm system.

Sirens/Strobes: Audible and visual alerts to deter intruders and notify occupants of an alarm activation.

Dedicated mobile app: By having a dedicated mobile app, intruder alarm systems can be set and unset remotely without requiring attendance at the premises.