

## Citizens Advice Hampshire - Introduction to Debt 1

### Handout 2 - Is it an Emergency?

Decide which of the following situations are emergencies and which are not.  
Consider WHY.

<b>Situation</b>	<b>Is it an Emergency?</b> <b>Yes / No</b>
have bailiffs at or coming to their home to take goods	
Catalogue debt collector is due to call tonight	
be about to have their gas or electricity disconnected	
be about to be evicted from their home or have their home repossessed	
Struggling to afford clothing for school uniform	
be about to have hire purchase goods repossessed	
Catalogue debt collector is due to call tonight	
Letter from the Bank asking for repayment of overdraft	
have received a summons and be due in court in the very near future	
have a creditor who is trying to make them bankrupt	
two weeks behind with council tax payments	
have been issued with an arrest warrant and threatened with imprisonment	
Credit Card monthly payment is due next week	