# **Flood Detector**

## What is a Flood Detector?

The flood detector is a neat, unobtrusive radio sensor that provides an early warning of potential flood situations. The unit can be placed on the floor under a sink or in the bathroom, next to the toilet or near the bath.

#### How does it work?

The flood detector has three sensors. When two of the sensors make contact with water the Lifeline unit automatically raises a call to the response centre where the operator can identify what type of detector has initiated the call, allowing the most appropriate and immediate action to be taken.

### Why is it needed?

A blocked sink, toilet, or taps being left on unattended could quickly lead to a flood causing damage to carpets, decorations and electrical equipment with potentially dangerous consequences. The after effects of a flood could

not only result in extensive repair costs and increased insurance premiums but also long term damage to health, particularly in winter.

### Who is it for?

The flood detector provides added reassurance to any homeowner or resident, giving extra protection to people who are likely to be at risk from leaving taps turned on.

### Considerations

Care needs to be taken when positioning the flood detector to ensure that it is not a trip hazard.



