

The Ideal Home for Lockdown Living

Safehouse 1, London

London Design Festival 2025

Oepn House Festival 2025

Designed and curated by Collectarium (Allson Waller + Sophie Beard) in collaboration with Peter Maloney.



The exhibition builds on the Lockdown Space Collection which invited people to post images/films online that shared how they had adapted, re-imagined, transformed and expanded their home environment during lockdown.



The exhibition invited people into the physical space of a house which spatially reframes and recontextualises the collection to critically reconsider the ideal home in our increasingly unsettled times. This project was in collaboration with Peter Maloney.



The full set of catalogue cards were on display for viewers to interact with in the workshop room. Triggering conversations about memories of lockdown with our visitors in order to gain further insights.

<https://collectarium.co.uk/collections/lockdown-space#the-ideal-home-for-lockdown-living>



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gallery

Practice Architecture, 2011

📍 SAFEHOUSE 1,, 139 COPELAND ROAD, SE15 3SN

Collectarium and Peter Maloney build on their Lockdown Space Collection which invited people to post images and films online that shared how they had adapted, re-imagined, transformed and expanded their home environment during lockdown. This exhibition spatially reframes and recontextualises the collection to critically reconsider the ideal home in our increasingly unsettled times.

Getting there

TRAIN

Peckham Rye

BUS

37, 381

Access

FACILITIES

Accessible toilet
Family-friendly event
Gender neutral toilet
Handrails on one side of stairs
Seating available
Toilets

ACCESSIBILITY NOTES

While the ground floor, garden and toilet are accessible at Safehouse 1 there is no lift access to the second floor.

WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT

Exhibition/Installation in derelict Victorian House.
Film, projections and sound.

<https://programme.openhouse.org.uk/listings/13323>

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