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KENSINGTON
HOUSE HOTEL



Kensington House Hotel, a contemporary town house situated within an historic 19th century façade, has taken its place amongst the Kensington set and London's *cognoscenti*. Stylish, intimate and friendly, this cool and understated property, which lies just off Kensington High Street, is an oasis of calm amidst the buzz of central London. It is also, surprisingly, affordable.

- **Destination:** Kensington House Hotel is ideally located just off Kensington High Street, Kensington Palace and a stone's throw from Kensington Gardens - the perfect location for shopping, sightseeing and the West End.
- **Historic Hotel:** Prince of Wales Terrace - the name chosen to honour the coming of age of the then Prince of Wales (later Edward VII) in November 1862 - comprised 22 houses and was built on the site of an early 19th century villa, latterly known as Madeley House. The largest house in the street was the double-fronted Number 15, now home to Kensington House hotel, which accommodated 21 people. The original owner was George W Hunt, PC, MP, JP, who lived there with his wife, three sons, five daughters, a governess and ten servants. The current hotel opened in February 2000.
- **Contemporary Hotel:** Although located within an historic façade, Kensington House Hotel is anything but a typical hotel property. Given a very individual feel from the artwork to the furniture chosen, designer Anne Jordan has worked hard to maintain an airy and spacious modern feel throughout the 41 rooms and suites, to ensure all are relaxing and inviting.
- **London Attractions:** For London visitors, Kensington House Hotel is perfectly located for key tourist attractions including Kensington Palace and Gardens; Serpentine Gallery, the Natural History Museum, Victoria & Albert Museum; the Science Museum, Royal Albert Hall, Notting Hill, Knightsbridge and Harrods. Steps from the world class shops and boutiques of Kensington High Street, the area also has some superb restaurants and bars to suit all tastes and budgets.
- **Lady-friendly Hotel:** Kensington House Hotel is located in a quiet, residential neighbourhood without any of the crowds and chaos of a Central London hotel. With the hotel's small, friendly atmosphere, women will feel safe, sound and right at home.