

West/NorthWest Homes Impact Assessments

Stage 1 Template

Section/Area		Lead Officer		Group Members:				
Name of the function/ policy/initiative/plan/strategy to be assessed		Date of Stage 1 Assessment		Is this a new or existing function/policy/initiative/plan/strategy				
1. Briefly describe the function/policy/initiative/plan/strategy being assessed								
2. In which of the following equality strands could any impact take place with this function/policy/initiative/plan/strategy? (Please tick relevant areas)			Age	Disability	Gender	Race	Sexuality	Religion/ Faith
3. If any of the equality strands have been ticked when do you plan to implement a more detailed assessment and who will be responsible?			Please state date and person responsible.					
4. Please state how this function/policy/initiative/plan/strategy could effect the Community Cohesion Agenda (You need to consider how we can promote good community relations. If nothing is identified, what needs to be included to make sure this happens?)								

<p>5. Please state any Community Safety Implications Crime for example anti social behaviour and house burglaries and local residents' fear of crime can impact on community cohesion within neighbourhoods. Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 imposes a duty on all local authorities to take account of the community safety dimensions in all its work. All policies, strategies, plans, budgets and delivery need to be considered from the standpoint of their potential contribution to the reduction of crime and disorder. Non-compliance could lead to legal action.</p>	
<p>6. Which report/plan/sub committee/Area Panel/Board meeting will these findings be reported to, by whom and when?</p>	