

Equality Impact Assessment

Preliminary assessment form 2018

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The preliminary impa	act assessment is a quick and easy screening process. It should:
identify those policy looking at:	olicies, projects, services, functions or strategies which require a full EIA by
negative, po	sitive or no impact on any of the equality groups
How are goir	g to mitigate or remove any potential negative impacts
opportunity t	o promote equality for the equality groups
data / feedba	ack
prioritise if and	when a full EIA should be completed
iustify reasons f	or why a full EIA is not going to be completed
Directorate:	City development and culture
Service, function:	Environmental Health
Title of policy, serv	vice, function, project or strategy (new or old) :
Food Safety Operat	ng Plan 2018/2019
Гуре of policy, serv	vice, function, project or strategy:

Q1 - What is the aim of your policy, service, function, project or strategy?

The Plan provides:
A Summary of of the statutory duties placed upon the council and food business operators (FBO) within Portsmouth;
the scope of the Food Safety Service (FSS) and highlighting the demands made on it; a profile of food businesses in Portsmouth;
the business priorities of the Council and FSS relating to food safety;
a summary of the 2017/2018 service delivery in terms of food premises inspections;
a review of key FSS activities identified for 2018/2019;
hoe FBOs are likely to be regulated in the future.
Q2 - Who is this policy, service, function, project or strategy going to benefit or have a detrimental effect on and how?
All Portsmouth citizens. food business and visitors to the city.

Q3 - Thinking about each group below, does, or could the policy, service, function, project or strategy have a negative impact on members of the equality groups below?

Group	Negative	Positive / no impact	Unclear
Age		*	
Disability		*	
Race		*	
Sex		*	
Gender reassignment		*	
Sexual orientation		*	
Religion or belief		*	
Pregnancy and maternity		*	
Marriage & civil partnership		*	
Other excluded groups		*	

Note:Other excluded groups examples includes, Homeless, rough sleeper and unpaid carers. Many forms of exclusion are linked to financial disadvantage. How will this change affect people on low incomes, in financial crisis or living in areas of greater deprivation?

If the answer is "negative" or "unclear" consider doing a full EIA

If there are any potential negative impacts on any of the protected characteristics, What have you put in place to mitigate or remove the negative impacts/barriers?

None envisaged.		

Q4 - Does, or could the policy, service, function, project or strategy help to promote equality for members of the equality groups? e.g. A new service has been created for people with a disability to help them gain employment this would mean that this helps promote equality for the protected characteristic of disability only.

Group	Yes	No	Unclear
Age			*
Disability			*
Race			*
Sex			*
Gender reassignment			*
Sexual orientation			*
Religion or belief			*
Pregnancy or maternity			*
Marriage & civil partnership			*
Other excluded groups			*

If the answer is "no" or "unclear" consider doing a full EIA

Q5 - Do you have any feedback data from the equality groups that influences, affects or shapes this policy, service, function, project or strategy?

Please add in the text boxes below what feedback / meetings you have attended for each specific protected characteristic

Group	Positive or negative feedback	
Age	N\A	
Disability	N\A	
Race	N\A	
Sex	N\A	
Gender reassignment	N\A	
Sexual orientation	N\A	
Religion or belief	N\A	
Pregnancy and maternity	N\A	
Marriage & civil partnership	N\A	
Other excluded groups	N\A	
Q6 - Using the assessments in questions 3, 4 and 5 should a full assessment be carried out on this policy, service, function or strategy? yes No		
PCC staff-If you have to complete a full EIA please contact the Equalities and diversity team if you require help Tel: 023 9283 4789 or email: equalities@portsmouthcc.gov.uk		
CCG staff-If you have to complete a full EIA please email: sehccg.equalityanddiveristy@nhs.net if you require help		
Q7 - How have you come to this decision? Summarise your findings and conclusion below Portsmouth City Council's food enforcement policy is part of the Food Standard's agency's national		
Portsmouth City Council's food enforcement policy is part of the Food Standard's agency's national food safety framework agreement for the operation of food safety across all local authorities across the		

United Kingdom.

It serves to protect all citizens and will not disproportionately affect any equality group.

Q8 - Who was involved in the EIA?

Steve Bell, Richard Lee

This EIA has been approved by: Richard Lee

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Date: 10 September 2018

PCC staff-Please email a copy of your completed EIA to the Equality and diversity team. We will contact you with any comments or queries about your preliminary EIA.

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CCG staff-Please email a copy of your completed EIA to the Equality lead who will contact you with any comments or queries about your preliminary . Email: sehccg.equalityanddiversity@nhs.net