

# Equality Impact Assessment Screening Form (Appendix 1)

**Please ensure that you refer to the Screening Form Guidance while completing this form. If you would like further guidance please contact the Access to Services team (see guidance for details).**

## Section 1

Which service area and directorate are you from?

Service Area: Housing and Public Protection

Directorate: Place

### Q1(a) WHAT ARE YOU SCREENING FOR RELEVANCE?

Service/ Function	Policy/ Procedure	Project	Strategy	Plan	Proposal
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**(b) Please name and describe here:**

### Funding for Emergency or Temporary Supported Housing scheme for Homeless Vulnerable People during the Covid-19 Crisis.

In direct response to the current Covid-19 situation the Council is looking to provide additional temporary accommodation for homeless, vulnerable people. This is required to ease the immediate pressure in existing provision that is likely to continue to build over the coming months. A project has been commissioned to bring Ty Tom Jones (also known as The Foyer) in Alexandra Road, Swansea, back into use to accommodate up to 20 single people.

### Q2(a) WHAT DOES Q1a RELATE TO?

Direct front line  
service delivery

Indirect front line  
service delivery

Indirect back room  
service delivery

(H)

(M)

(L)

### (b) DO YOUR CUSTOMERS/CLIENTS ACCESS THIS...?

Because they  
need to

Because they  
want to

Because it is  
automatically provided to  
everyone in Swansea

On an internal  
basis  
i.e. Staff

(H)

(M)

(M)

(L)

### Q3 WHAT IS THE POTENTIAL IMPACT ON THE FOLLOWING...

	High Impact (H)	Medium Impact (M)	Low Impact (L)	Don't know (H)
Children/young people (0-18) →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Older people (50+) →	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Any other age group →	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disability →	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Race (including refugees) →	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Asylum seekers →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gypsies & travellers →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Religion or (non-)belief →	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sex →	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sexual Orientation →	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gender reassignment →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Welsh Language →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Poverty/social exclusion →	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Carers (inc. young carers) →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community cohesion →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marriage & civil partnership →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pregnancy and maternity →	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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## Q4 WHAT ENGAGEMENT / CONSULTATION / CO-PRODUCTIVE APPROACHES WILL YOU UNDERTAKE?

Please provide details below – either of your planned activities or your reasons for not undertaking engagement

We have worked with Pobl and other support providers to bring this project into use.

## Q5(a) HOW VISIBLE IS THIS INITIATIVE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC?

High visibility

 (H)

Medium visibility

 (M)

Low visibility

 (L)

## (b) WHAT IS THE POTENTIAL RISK TO THE COUNCIL'S REPUTATION? (Consider the following impacts – legal, financial, political, media, public perception etc...)

High risk

 (H)

Medium risk

 (M)

Low risk

 (L)

## Q6 Will this initiative have an impact (however minor) on any other Council service?

 Yes No

If yes, please provide details below

Procurement, Legal, Finance have been involved in the project.

## Q7 HOW DID YOU SCORE?

Please tick the relevant box

MOSTLY H and/or M → HIGH PRIORITY →  EIA to be completed  
Please go to Section 2

MOSTLY L → LOW PRIORITY / NOT RELEVANT →  Do not complete EIA  
Please go to Q8 followed by Section 2

## Q8 If you determine that this initiative is not relevant for an EIA report, you must provide a full explanation here. Please ensure that you cover all of the relevant protected groups.

The Council will use the Welsh Government's (WG) funding that has been made available to enable Councils in Wales to support homelessness services during this crisis. The project will need to start taking referrals as soon as possible with a view to opening on 4<sup>th</sup> May 2020. The project comes under the Council's Homelessness Strategy which was subject to a full EIA in 2018. The project will allow for support to be directed to the most vulnerable and will have a positive impact on a protected group which uses the service.

## Section 2

NB: Please email this completed form to the Access to Services Team for agreement before obtaining approval from your Head of Service. Head of Service approval is only required via email – no electronic signatures or paper copies are needed.

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