

63799 Equality Impact Assessment in relation to large grey bins

Any Equality Impact Assessment prepared in relation to the current policy governing eligibility for larger grey waste bins.

If no Equality Impact Assessment exists, please confirm this.

The Council fulfils its duties in relation to Equalities Impact Assessment by means of the Integrated Impact Assessment (IIA) procedure. These are triggered by a change to a policy, strategy or introduction of a service. The specific policy in relation to larger grey bins predates the adoption of the IIA procedure, as it was introduced to support the current collection service which has been in place for more than 15 years. An IIA would be triggered by a change to the policy, or any change to the service itself.

The policy is, however, similar those operated by other Councils and considers:

- Disability or a medical condition which results either in the creation of additional waste (for example, incontinence) or results in there being no members of the household able to sort waste to allow use of the full range of services provided (for example a single person household, where the person has dementia);
- Larger households (five or more permanent residents);
- Children and younger people (through the provision of additional capacity where there are 2 or more permanently resident children aged 3 years or under, so who are likely to use disposable nappies).