



NORTHAMPTONSHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE
Equality Impact Assessment (EqIA) template

Name of proposal/policy	Chargeable Services	Budget number (if applicable)	N/A
Service area responsible	Joint Operations Team	FEG meeting date	N/A
Name of completing officer	Operations Manager	Date EqIA created	21 August 2020
Approved by Chief Fire Officer / Assistant Chief Fire Officer	Yes	Date of approval	26 August 2020

The Equality Act 2010 places a 'General Duty' on all public bodies to have 'Due regard' to:

- Eliminating discrimination, harassment and victimisation
- Advancing equality of opportunity
- Fostering good relations

We do this by undertaking EqIAs to help us understand the implications of policies and decisions on people with protected characteristics – EqIAs are our way of evidencing this.

All assessments must be published on our intranet / internet (where public related). All papers where an EqIA is relevant **MUST** include a link to the web page where this assessment will be published. If you require assistance in getting your EqIA published, please contact enquiries@northantsfire.gov.uk

Part 1

Description of current provision/policy and main beneficiaries/stakeholders

Description of proposal under consideration/development
This document details the service statement of intent to charge for specified services provided by NFRS.

Data used in this EqlA (general population data where appropriate but each EqlA should contain information on people who use the service under consideration – if this is not applicable to your proposal then you probably do not need to do an EqlA)	
Data source (include link where published)	Please summarise what the data tells us – for example “X number of people use this service, X are male, Y are female etc”
N/A	

Tick the relevant box for each line	Based on the above information, what impact will this proposal have on the following groups?			
	Positive	Negative	Neutral	Unsure
Sex			✓	
Gender Reassignment			✓	
Age			✓	
Disability			✓	
Race and Ethnicity			✓	
Sexual Orientation			✓	
Religion or Belief (or No Belief)			✓	
Pregnancy and Maternity			✓	
Human Rights (Please see articles in toolkit)			✓	
Other groups (rural isolation, socio-economic exclusion etc)			✓	

Initial impact	
Explain your findings above	Actions identified to mitigate, advance equality or fill gaps in information
This policy affects everyone equally.	

Do you need to undertake further work (e.g. consultation, further equality analysis) based on the impact and actions identified above? If yes, set this out below and then carry out the work and complete Part 2
None required

Part 2 – if required

Consultation, follow up data and information gathered from actions identified above

	What does this information tell us?

Final impact analysis (taking the findings from Part 2 into account) – including review date if required