

Community-led Approaches to Reducing Poverty: A review of evidence and practice

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- To support and improve public services in Scotland
- Evidence use, collaborative working, public service reform
- Number of different workstreams
- Lots of mini-projects within WWS
- Intensive work with Fife, Aberdeenshire, West Dunbartonshire, and Glasgow CPPs













- Reducing poverty in Dundee Councillor Jimmy Black, Dundee City Council and Chair of the Dundee Fairness Commission
- Local approaches to tackling poverty in Scotland Professor John McKendrick, Glasgow School for Business and Society, Glasgow Caledonian University
- Community-led approaches to reducing poverty in neighbourhoods: A review of evidence and practice
- Dr Richard Crisp, Centre for Regional Economic and Social Research, Sheffield Hallam University.











Guidelines for Good Dialogue



- Give everyone space to speak one voice at a time
- Listen actively to what everyone has to say
- Make your points concisely share the air time
- Respect different views try to understand one another better











Carousel of Community-led WHAT WORK approaches (1)



- The evidence review identified 5 types of community-led approach. Around the room there are 5 stations – one for each 'type'
- At each station we would like you to discuss the contribution of the approach to tackling poverty and the support needed
- The groups will rotate around the stations in a clockwise direction until all have been visited. I'll ring the bell to move the groups on every 5 minutes













- Each group has a different colour marker for recording their answers to the questions, which is done by a facilitator at each station. The facilitator may clarify the contributions of previous groups if needed.
- The idea is that each successive group reads, reflects on and adds to the answers of the previous groups, producing a comprehensive view in a short period of time.











Carousel Questions



- What contribution can this type of community-led activity make to reducing poverty?
- How can these activities be supported and strengthened?











Further information



- WWS website
- Joseph Rowntree Website
- University webpages: Glasgow Caledonian & Sheffield Hallam (+ Edinburgh and Glasgow)
- Post-event report combining today and the event yesterday in West Dunbartonshire
- Evaluation Forms













Thank you

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