

Community-led Approaches to Tackling Poverty – In a nutshell

Voluntary action	Volunteering or mutual exchange (self-help) to improve quality of life in neighbourhoods or provide services to address unmet needs
Community organising	Developing the capacity, power and influence of residents to improve quality of life in a neighbourhood or change the way services are delivered
Social action	Mobilising to achieve political change, social justice or distribution of resources, often through direct action e.g. occupations
Community economic development	Engaging in neighbourhood-based forms of enterprise including management of physical assets to generate investment and income or create jobs
Community involvement in service delivery	Co-production of design, commissioning or delivery of services to improve outcomes for residents