

## Skills Checklist for Community Led Housing Advisers / Facilitators



Applicant's name:
Organisation name: N/A
(If applicable and not the Hub)
Hub: East Midlands Community Led Housing
Insurance: N/A
(The EMCLH Hub has, or will obtain, appropriate professional indemnity insurance.)
Your experience with CLH
(Please set out, in up to 300 words, your knowledge and understanding of community-led housing, and any direct experience providing technical or other supportive advice to groups looking to set up CLH projects.)
To be completed by the applicant
Membership or any local or national CLH bodies or groups:
To be completed by the applicant



## Specific knowledge, skills and experience

**Group support** 

The following list identifies key skills with which CLH Facilitators assist CLH projects to progress through the identified five stages of 'Group', 'Site', 'Plan', 'Build' and 'Live'.

Please tick or comment on all you feel you can provide to groups. In most areas groups will need specialist input (e.g. from architects, surveyors), so in some areas your advice need only be as a generalist able to help them obtain and make best use of that input.

Tick R (red) if you have no skills/experience, A (amber) for some relevant skills/experience, and G (green) if you feel you have strong skills and experience.

Defining purpose and common				
values				
Democratic procedures and				
establishing good governance				
Building membership				
Community engagement				
Legal constitution & incorporation				
Business planning				
Development options (tenure,				
partnerships, costs, risks)				
Project feasibility appraisal				
Group fundraising				
Site, planning and development				
finance				
Mortgage finance for residents				
Site support	R	Α	G	Comment
Site finding and investigations				
based on group's criteria				
Valuation and negotiation,				
including different acquisition				
options				
Planning and public procurement				
rules, incl. rural exception sites and				
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Plan support	R	Α	G	Comment			
Scheme design and architecture							
Planning law and procedures							
Build options incl self/custom build							
Value engineering							
Contract management and options							
Agreements with local authority							
Budgetary control							
Agreeing contract							
Build support	R	Α	G	Comment			
Construction methods	<b>N</b>	П		Comment			
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Services provision		_					
Cost and quality control (QS & clerk of works)							
Contract management							
Budgetary control							
Live support	R	Α	G	Comment			
Housing management							
Ongoing financial management							
Membership management							
Good governance							
Asset management	П	П	П				