

South Ayrshire Council Equalities Scoping Template

1. Policy details

Title: BS01 - Bereavement Price Increase	Lead Officer Kenny Dalrymple
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2. Which communities, groups of people, employees or thematic groups do you think will be, or potentially could be, impacted upon by the implementation of this policy? Please indicate whether these would be positive or negative impacts

Community, Groups of People or Themes	Negative Impacts	Positive impacts
The whole community of South Ayrshire	Low	No
People from different racial groups, ethnic or national origin.	No	No
Women and/or men (boys and girls)	No	No
People with disabilities	No	No
People from particular age groups for example Older people, children and young people	Low	No
Lesbian, gay, bisexual and heterosexual people	No	No
People who are proposing to undergo, are undergoing or have undergone a process to change sex	No	No
Pregnant women and new mothers	No	No
People who are married or in a civil partnership	No	No
People who share a particular religion or belief	No	No
Thematic Groups: Health, Human Rights, Rurality and Deprivation.	No	No

3. Do you have evidence or reason to believe that the policy will support the Council to:


General Duty and other Equality Themes	Level of Negative and/or Positive Impact (high, medium or low)
Eliminate discrimination and harassment faced by particular communities or groups	No
Promote equality of opportunity between particular communities or groups	No
Foster good relations between particular communities or groups	No
Promote positive attitudes towards different communities or groups	No
Increase participation of particular communities or groups in public life	No
Improve the health and wellbeing of particular communities or groups	No
Promote the human rights of particular communities or groups	No
Tackle deprivation faced by particular communities or	Low Negative

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4. Summary Assessment

Is a full Equality Impact Assessment required? (A full EIA must be carried out on all high and medium impact policies)	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Rationale for decision:
The price increase will have a low negative impact across all communities since the costs associated with bereavements will increase. This is anticipated to have an impact on older people and those experiencing deprivation who are making provision for funerals.

Signed :

Head of Service

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