

Resources For Delivering Energy Efficiency

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Resources For Start-up Energy Advice Services

- ❖ Creating a community energy advice service - <https://www.cse.org.uk/my-community/>
- ❖ How to establish a team of Energy Champions - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0xnxprV6W4s>
- ❖ Blueprint for Energy Advice Services - <https://www.cwmarian.org.uk/psess>
- ❖ Citizens Advice Bureau research and recommendations: <https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/about-us/our-work/policy/policy-research-topics/energy-policy-research-and-consultation-responses/energy-policy-research/navigating-net-zero-a-framework-to-give-people-the-confidence-to-invest-in-home-energy-technologies/>
- ❖ Video of a Workshop (Part 1 of 6) from Community Energy London on starting up an Energy Advice Service: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=748E8LBHIWg> (Up to 40 minutes in defines fuel poverty and the scale of the problem, after 40 minutes helps groups define their service and target client groups, and final part gives an exercise to help decide what kind of advice and how to deliver it.)
- ❖ [Community Energy London how to and advice for groups in London \(but usable for others too!\)](#)
- ❖ CEL Guide to offering Energy Advice - <https://www.communityenergy.london/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/Energy-Advice-Guidance-V2.pdf>
- ❖ Video from Community Energy London on starting up an Energy Advice Service: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mQbMWalo8OU>
- ❖ Working group demo workshop on CRM and M&E systems for energy advice services is [here](#) to watch. Jan 2023
- [Community Energy Plus | Independent Energy Experts \(cep.org.uk\)](#)
- [EnergyPro](#) - equipping local community-based organisations with the knowledge and tools to deliver energy efficiency projects for organisations, based on internationally established good practice.
- [Consultancy, research and development - ep group](#)



- [Green Homes Grant Skills Training Competition - D2N2 Growth Hub](#)
- [Energy Solutions Oxfordshire \(ESOX\) - Low Carbon Hub](#)

Working With Local Authorities

- Working with local authorities: Community Energy South webinar - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z-lHodK4Gdc>
- A 4 page [Energy advice guide](#) from Low Carbon Hub

Training For Energy Champions and Advisors

- Upskilling Energy Advice Teams (Community Energy England Webinar) - <https://youtu.be/phZuHw3drsU>
- Energise Sussex Coast's Energy Champions Course: <https://www.energisesussexcoast.co.uk/energychampions/>
- <https://www.nea.org.uk/training/>
- <https://www.cse.org.uk/my-community/community-projects/rural-communities-energy-support-network/>
- <https://www.cse.org.uk/my-community/community-projects/bristol-energy-champions/>
- <https://www.communityenergysouth.org/news-updates/energy-champions-in-your-community-ces-event-summary>

Community Engagement - Energy Advice Events

- Running a thermal imaging survey project - https://www.cagoxfordshire.org.uk/_files/ugd/b6c296_4430d69a1aa241148c2a3f2aa324a600.pdf
- How to organise an Energy Cafe and other energy action events - https://www.cagoxfordshire.org.uk/_files/ugd/b6c296_d2952f8118ef4fff86f777bc9793df4a.pdf
- Draughtbuster Workshops - <https://carbon.coop/2023/04/calderdale-airtightness-workshop/>
- <https://www.cse.org.uk/my-community/community-projects/green-open-homes/>
- Green Open Homes - <https://www.greenopenhomes.net/>
- The Martin Lewis guide to creating a Warm Hub here <https://www.cilip.org.uk/page/warmspaces2022>

Advice To Offer Consumers/Clients of Energy Advice Services

- CEL Workshop on providing effective energy bill advice: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wqow_cHBzdA

- York Energy Doctor CIC and York Energy Advice: Energy-saving advice tutorial - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DdYEBIH8HfM>
- Cornwall Energy Plus Energy Advice Guides - <https://cep.org.uk/information-pages/energy-advice-guides-for-householders/>
- Advice to give domestic energy users <https://www.ofgem.gov.uk/publications/energy-domestic-consumer-advice>
- CSE - <https://www.cse.org.uk/my-home/advice/>
- <https://www.cse.org.uk/advice/energy-saving-advice-for-renters/>
- [Carbon Saving – Energise your home \(carbonsavinggroup.com\)](https://www.carbonsavinggroup.com/)
- [Grants for energy saving - SELCE](#)
- Best advice on heating controls for the energy crisis. <https://www.beama.org.uk/news/new-website-on-heating-controls-to-help-householders-stay-warm-this-winter.html>
- How to turn your boiler down to save money and energy - <https://moneysavingboilerchallenge.com/>
- Go-compare's online tool to [compare how much appliances cost to run](#). Good energy education tool but very imprecise.
- <https://www.cartreficlyd.cymru/retrofit-technology/>
- <https://www.cartreficlyd.cymru/>
- <https://sero.life/energy-advice-support/understanding-energy/retrofit-is-fabric-first-really-the-best-strategy/>

Funding for Energy Advice Services

- ❖ Energy Redress Youtube guide on to how to apply for Energy Redress Fund grants: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y8lTHnU3qMg>
- ❖ The National Lottery - Climate Action Fund: <https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/funding/programmes/climate-action-fund-energy>
- ❖ Talk to your local authority - Climate Response team or Energy team, or Adult Social Care, Housing or Health teams.