# APPENDIX A - SUSTAINABILITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT

Sustainability is one of the CCG’s key Strategies and the CCG has made a corporate commitment to address the environmental effects of activities across CCG services. The purpose of this Sustainability Impact Assessment is to record any positive or negative impacts that this activity is likely to have on each of the CCG’s Sustainability Themes.

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| **Policy / Report / Service Plan / Project Title:** | | | | |
| **Theme (Potential impacts of the activity)** | **Positive**  **Impact** | **Negative**  **Impact** | **No specific**  **Impact** | **What will the impact be? If the impact is negative, how**  **can it be mitigated? (action)** |
| Reduce Carbon Emission from buildings by 12.5% by 2010-11  then 30% by 2020 |  |  | X |  |
| New builds and refurbishments over £2million (capital costs)  comply with BREEAM Healthcare requirements. |  |  | X |  |
| Reduce the risk of pollution and avoid any breaches in legislation. |  |  | X |  |
| Goods and services are procured more sustainability. |  |  | X |  |
| Reduce carbon emissions from road vehicles. |  |  | X |  |
| Reduce water consumption by 25% by 2020. |  |  | X |  |
| Ensure legal compliance with waste legislation. |  |  | X |  |
| Reduce the amount of waste produced by 5% by 2010 and by 25% by 2020 | X |  |  | Wherever possible we will encourage the use of electronic documents. However in line with the law hard copies will |

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|  |  |  |  | be available if required but will be keept to minimum |
| Increase the amount of waste being recycled to 40%. |  |  | X |  |
| Sustainability training and communications for employees. |  |  | X |  |
| Partnership working with local groups and organisations to  support sustainable development. |  |  | X |  |
| Financial aspects of sustainable development are considered in line with policy requirements and commitments. |  |  | X |  |