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Community Emergency Hubs



A community emergency hub is a safe place where community members can go and support each other during an incident or emergency.

Why should you consider setting up a hub?

- To provide a safe place for all when an incident occurs. A comfortable space in which community resilience can be built.
- To coordinate local resources, share information and retain oversight of the incident.
- To have a base in which communicating with responding agencies can occur.



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Which buildings are suitable for a Community Emergency Hub?

Any community building can be used as a hub, providing it's safe and accessible during an incident.

It's good for the building to have access to the following:

- a backup power supply or generator
- heating
- toilets
- a kitchen.

What might the Council give you to set up a hub?

To help you get started with your hub, the Cumbrian Councils can give you a compact kit of resources, in an A3 zip lock wallet.

How do I get a resource kit for my community's hub?

Please ask for one from your Community Development Officer, or e-mail us at: crf.secretariat@cumbria.gov.uk

