



## **Excellence in Social Inclusion**

### **Summary**

This award specifically relates to organisations that have excelled in social inclusion. There will need to be evidence of leading-edge approaches to the delivery of social inclusion policies, which have improved the life of those experiencing the impact of poverty and deprivation whilst reflecting on the current challenges facing communities. The submission should provide a clear explanation of achievements, by whom and how it compares to other organisations.

### **Submission**

The submission should include a brief description of the service and its size. It should summarise exactly why the team believe they should be recognised with an award in Excellence in Social Inclusion.

It must include a brief description of the strategy and approach to social inclusion and explain how the service is managed and contributes to the corporate agenda of the organisation. Applications can be from local authorities and other organisations with a focus on alleviating poverty and deprivation.

A clear explanation of what has been achieved in the overall delivery of social inclusion policies and how the local authority or organisation has achieved it needs to be shown. How the organisation is using initiatives to improve the plight of those in poverty or suffering deprivation should be demonstrated. How the service communicates with potential customers and works in partnership with the third sector and other external parties is also required.

The submission should describe the innovative activity and explain the driver for the innovation and how it contributes to the corporate agenda of the organisation.

The Awards panel will be looking for a clear explanation of what has been achieved and how it contributes towards the performance of the overall service.

### **Note**

Additional evidence is not required during the submission process. Supporting information may be requested by an Inspection Team, at a later date.