



Eden Local Agenda 21 Cumbria Green Build Fortnight 2007

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Cumbria Energy Efficiency Advice Centre (CEEAC)

Location: Cumbria wide, mainly in the north and west of the county.

During Green Build Fortnight 2007, CEEAC welcomed visitors to their Carlisle HQ, where they demonstrated of their office air source heatpump and gave energy efficiency advice.

Principal Sustainability Product / Services:

CEEAC provides free, impartial energy efficiency advice for householders in Cumbria. They have helped thousands of householders to access information about domestic energy efficiency and grants for insulation measures. In 2006/7 they:

- Gave talks and attended 83 outreach events;
- Gave advice to 28,000 households;
- Helped 6,427 householders to access free or discounted insulation measures;
- Provided 67 training days, open days & presentations;
- Provided advice and assistance to 51 householders installing solar thermal panels, and 21 householders installing air source heat pumps.

Contact Details: 0800 512 012 www.energyinfo.org.uk

Along with providing advice, CEEAC's main focus is on supplying and funding the best value and easiest to fit insulation products. These include cavity wall insulation, loft insulation and draught excluders. A large proportion of domestic properties could benefit for one or more of these measures.

As well as a telephone advice service, CEEAC regularly give energy efficiency advice at community presentations and events, when they might also distribute products such as energy efficient lightbulbs and reflective radiator panels.