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## Courses in this programme

Taster Title	Content
Care For Your Area	Uncared for areas and impacts on communities, Governments interest in environmental issues, Every Action Counts, Communities taking action and the resources needed and available
Community Buildings and Environmental Action	The bigger picture relating to the environment The governments response and Every Action Counts The role of community buildings in improving the environment The building itself The projects running through the building Action planning
Climate Change Communications	Understanding climate change and how it affects people and communities Exploring actions that can be taken Understanding peoples motivational for change Communication methods and targeting your message
Food and Communities	Exploring the relevance of food to communities The importance of quality food The barriers to getting good food Actions communities can take Local food initiatives Food and the environment Community food growing projects Food and social justice
Community Development and Environmental Action	Understanding the back ground and concept of Sustainable Development and environmental action Why environmental actions are relevant to communities Work already being undertaken to protect the environment Other actions that could be taken Learning needs of community workers and communities
Strategies and Policies to Support Environmental Action	Key government policies Regional bodies and their role Local policies and strategies Opportunities created for communities to influence policies and strategies Opportunities created for improving resources to support community actions on environmental improvements

Unit	
NOCN Unit	Sustainable Environmental Development level 2/3
HE Unit	Sustainable Communities: Integrating Sustainable Development and Community Development
Informal Learning	We have also produced material to support the day to day work of community development workers - there is an informal learning pack and a new Community Work Skills Manual will be coming out in 2007

