Energy equity in the drive for Net Zero

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Inclusive urban decarbonisation

- **Energy efficiency**: Improving the energy performance of the residential stock

- **Equity**: Fuel poor households are crucial for the success of the low-carbon transition

- **Engagement**: Putting people first, ensuring that communities are mobilised and trust is developed
• Improving energy efficiency and thermal comfort via a Living Lab approach, more than 300 households so far

• Engagement of intermediaries and energy advice to deliver interventions

• Focus on the social capacities, relations and emotional well-being of participants

• Skills for access to resources and building ‘flexibility capital’