Overcrowding Strategy 2009 - 2014

1.1	Details of the Policy, Strategy, Function, Project or Activity
	Title of EqIA: Overcrowding Strategy
	Date of EqIA: September 2009
	State whether EqIA is on a Policy, Strategy, Function, Project or Activity
	(NB. Your EQIA may be a combination of these, in which case please state what it is exactly e.g. Policy/Strategy):Strategy
	Indicate whether it is a 'new' or an 'existing' Policy, Strategy, Function, Project or Activity (Mark with a 'X'): New [X] Existing []
1.2	Details of the person completing the EqIA
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1.3	What is the aim and objective of the Policy, Strategy, Function, Project or Activity?
	Croydon's overcrowding strategy 2009-14 sets out the council's key priorities and targets for the next five years in relation to tackling overcrowding. A detailed action plan sets out the actions that will be taken to achieve those targets. The council plays a lead role in tackling overcrowding, in partnership with registered social landlords (RSLs) within the borough. The council's statutory obligations towards overcrowded households are met through a number of teams; the housing options and advice teams deliver housing advice and assistance to anyone who is homeless or threatened with homelessness within the borough, the housing enforcement team enforce the housing heath and safety rating scheme. The housing mobility team operate the housing register.