

Module 11. From Humanitarian Aid to Human Rights-based Community Development

A tool to assess the status of a proposal or existing program



Some key Principles of a Rights-Based Developmental Approach

Is the proposed model	If not, What needs to change?	How will you achieve this?
Grounded in international human rights laws?		
Transformative – does it support more equal partnerships with communities?		
Participatory – does it involve affected communities in identifying their needs and priorities?		
Emancipatory- does it increase community power to in claim their rights and accountability from development agencies?		
Self-aware – does it challenge agencies to recognise and address structural power inequalities not just focus on the individual or personal problems?		