

Gilmours Close Refurbishment, Edinburgh Post Occupancy Evaluation

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This Post Occupancy Evaluation project was undertaken after a programme of low carbon building refurbishments by Assist Architects at 9-11 Gilmours Close, Edinburgh.

The data gathered from the 2 week monitoring was analysed to determine factors including: overall energy performance; benefits in terms of CO2 savings, comfort, air quality and running costs; identification of problems and issues that may be emerging; and would link aspects of performance, knowledge and behaviour.

The results identified possible actions and short term improvements in relation these particular houses, but will also highlight key lessons to be learned from the project and attempt to identify wider improvements in terms of low energy and carbon design.

Project Title: Post Occupancy Evaluation of Gilmours Close Refurbishment, Edinburgh

Client/ Funding body: CIC Start on-line

Date Completed: Jan 2012

Project value: £5,000

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