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## CiLCA RECOGNISED TRAINERS

Since 2015, the Improvement and Development Board (IDB) have introduced 'recognised trainers' for the CiLCA (The Certificate in Local Council Administration) qualification.

These trainers are the only individuals delivering official CiLCA training under the Improvement & Development Strategy and are the only trainers who will have access to tailored advice and support from NALC and the SLCC. This means that when candidates see the CiLCA recognised trainer logo, they can be confident that the training they choose will be appropriately delivered.



Ascentis, the awarding body for CiLCA, recommends that candidates attend training to have access to a recognised trainer and assistance in completing their qualification.

The active trainers list is drawn from SLAs returned for the current year.

Training provider	CiLCA Trainer(s)	CiLCA Trainer Number
Avon Association of Local Councils	Deborah White	200916
Berkshire Association of Local Councils	Kim Bedford	200912
Buckinghamshire and Milton Keynes Association of Local Councils	Mel Woof	221108
Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Association of Local Councils	Penny Bryant Diane Lane Libby White	200913 200914 200915
Cornwall Association of Local Councils	Sarah Mason	200919
Cumbria Association of Local Councils	Sonia Hutchinson Rachael Kelly	200902 220503
Devon Association of Local Councils	Cara Stobart Rebecca Walker	200917 200918

Durham Association of Local Councils	Lesley Swinbank	200941
Essex Association of Local Councils	Kelly Holland Abi Wood	200928 211166
Hampshire Association of Local Councils	Kim Bedford	200912
Hertfordshire Association of Parish and Town Councils	Kim Bedford	200912
Lancashire Association of Local Councils	Debra Platt	221109
Norfolk Association of Local Councils	Gabrieille Joyce	200911
Northamptonshire County Association of Local Councils	Marie Rielly	200905
Oxfordshire Association Local Councils	Lucy Dalby	210357
Shropshire Association of Local Councils	Kim Bedford	200912
Somerset Association Local Councils	David Mears FLSCC	200946
Staffordshire Parish Councils Association	Ian Cruise-Taylor	211167
Suffolk Association Local Councils	Sally Longmate	200932
Surrey Association of Local Councils	Sue Hobbs	200937
Sussex (East) Association of Local Councils	Sue Hobbs	200937
Sussex (West) Association of Local Councils	Sue Hobbs	200937
Warwickshire and West Midlands Association of Local Councils	Ruth Mullett	220505
Wiltshire Association of Local Councils	Jules Owen	200921
Worcestershire County Association of Local Councils	Gill Lungley Christopher Wayman	200926 200927
Society of Local Council Clerks	Paul Egan - Wales Helena Fox - Wales Sue Hobbs Sam Shippen Elisabeth Skinner, MBE	200935 210865 200937 200934 200936

The areas where CiLCA is delivered by another CiLCA recognised training provider are as follows:

Area	Training Provider
Cleveland Association of Local Councils	Durham Association of Local Councils
Leicestershire & Rutland Association of Local Councils	Northamptonshire County Association of Local Councils
One Voice Wales	Society of Local Council Clerks

Areas which are not delivering CiLCA training:

- Bedfordshire Association of Town and Parish Councils
- Cheshire Association of Local Councils
- Isle of Wight Association of Local Councils
- Nottingham County Association of Local Councils

For prospective CiLCA candidates from these areas, please contact your neighbouring county associations, to find out dates and cost of their [County Association CiLCA training](#)

The SLCC also provides training for CiLCA, [click here to view the SLCC's available CiLCA training](#).

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