
Scottish Borders Council operated an area focused Home Insulation Scheme in 2010/11, while concurrently operating a CT discount scheme. The effect was that in Berwickshire, for example, householders benefited from the HIS and not the CT discount scheme.

2011 to 2012/13 saw UHIS introduced. This applied universally across the region, removing the rationale for a CT discount scheme. There has been no return to a CT discount or similar scheme.

Since 2013/14, we have relied on area based HEEPs schemes. The current focus of these is external and internal wall insulation schemes, most recently in the Peebles area, moving on to Kelso, Yetholm and Clovenfords. These efforts are supplemented by a Borders-wide hard-to-deal-with cavity wall insulation scheme.