

EQUAL Project Data on Employer Engagement

Meeting date: 24/2/06

(NB: Answers to questions in one box) ✓ = yes or ✗ = no

I confirm that to my best ability that all the information contained & mentioned in this presentation has been given	Co-ordinator:
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I confirm that the Co-ordinator has presented me with the information about BCP and the services it can offer me	Placement Officer: Project
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1. Project information

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Principal decision maker: Name: Sahia Muhammad
 Tel: _____ Mob: _____
 Placement Officer: Name: To Hutchinson - Project Leader Ext: _____
 Do you have a Team? _____ If so what size? _____

Notes: Partnership + ^{lead} Career + Impact Initiatives
Graham Kerr - Specialist Training + Advice

2. About your project

Is your organisation a social enterprise? _____
 How long have you been in business? _____ years Mid Jan
 What category(s) best describe your organisation? (Please tick one or more boxes)

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| Training in Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> | Training in Administration | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Training in Catering | <input type="checkbox"/> | Training in Motor vehicles | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Training in Holistic Therapies | <input type="checkbox"/> | Training in Parenting | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Training in Radio | <input type="checkbox"/> | Vocational Skills | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| Skills for Life Training | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | ICT Training | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mentoring Support | <input type="checkbox"/> | Work Placements | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ESOL | <input type="checkbox"/> | Working with Offenders | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Working with adults with social deficits | <input type="checkbox"/> | Working with ex-substance misusers | <input type="checkbox"/> |

OAT1025 - Job Search Course (6 weeks)
help get over 50's into care of Elderly (8 weeks)
(accredited OCR)

- Working with the Homeless Working with BMEs
- Working with Asylum Seekers Working with people with disabilities
- Working with people with mental health issues Working with Over 50s
- Working with ESOL Working with LGBT
- Working with Youth Offenders Working with people from deprived areas
- Working with NEETS

Notes: *Unemployed or in work & want to Δ career*

3. Organisation Details

Do you belong to a business association? *No* If yes, please specify.....

Are you involved with any accrediting organisation?
 UK Accreditation Service www.ukas.com
 International Standards Organisation (ISO) www.iso.ch/iso/en/ISOOnline.frontpage
 Investors In People (IIP) www.iipuk.co.uk
 Other, please specify

4. Employee / staff details

How many employees are there? 1 – 15 16 – 100 101 – 249 250+

Number of staff (not including trainees): Male Female

Number of working directors/partners: Male Female

Ethnicity	White	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Asian	Black	Chinese	Mixed Parentage	Other
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How many Non-UK EU Nationals? Male Female

Do you know if any of your staff consider themselves to have a disability? *No*

If so, how many?

Do you make any reasonable re-adjustments in your workplace for any of your employees?

5. Current Beneficiary Situation

How many beneficiaries *target* How many beneficiaries in placements
initial assessment & find out what suitable (Christina + James)
 How many placements

Notes: *Targets - 60 as core of Elderly, 260 as Job search. 350 placement days for pple in 10 pple Job Ready. 20 placements. Older people core. (looking to get this target reduced)*

OAT1025 *60 1-21 + Graham.*

6. Employer Relationship Management

Do you currently use a database to record your interaction with businesses? No

If not, how do you currently record this interaction?

Would you be interested in training on databases?

Would you be interested in training on employer relationship managements?

Do you currently engage your employers in any kind of network/forum? *No - G.A. to create*

Would you be interested in sharing best practice examples with other EQUAL projects?

Would you be interested in sharing work placement opportunities with other EQUAL projects?

If not, what areas do you see as possible barriers to preventing you?

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Can these barriers be solved by additional training of yourself or staff?

7. What do you know about BCP?	Action by Co-ordinator	Further Action by Co-ord
CommunityMark	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Info Pack presented	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cares	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Info presented	<input type="checkbox"/>
ProHelp	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Info Presented	<input type="checkbox"/>
BCP Membership	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Info Presented	<input type="checkbox"/>

Notes/Action:
** wants to know top 20/30 employers.*

