

Please can you update the Learning Disability Partnership Board in December on what has happened in the LDDF projects.

Your form will be sent to the Partnership Board so please can you provide information that is accessible to people with learning disabilities.

Please can you complete the form and return to sarah.crowe@brighton-hove.gov.uk by the 28th November 2011.

Name of Project:

Update:

The Supported Employment Team:

- Worked with the British Association of Supported Employment to adapt the 'Working with Employers' training for people with learning disabilities. The training will happen in November.
- Designed a survey to use with employers.
- Designed accessible job application and job description and have begun recruitment of people with learning disabilities to be employer engagement workers

Grace Eyre Foundation:

- have begun work on the pack that will be given to employers
- have made arrangements to hire and pay the learning disabled employer engagement workers

1. How has this made a difference for people with learning disabilities?

This project is still in the setting up stage so it has not made a difference yet.

2. What have you learnt from the project so far?

We learnt that the council can not employ people on a self-employed basis when we are also directing and supporting the work

that they do.

We have learned how to use the council's consultation portal for doing surveys

We have taught the British Association of Supported Employment trainer how to adapt the working with employers training

3. Is the project going to be complete by the end of March 2012?

The LDDF funded part of the project will be finished by the end of March. A lot of the work will keep on going because we are using our own resources to do it.

4. Will the project spend all the money by 2012?

We plan to spend all the LDDF money by the end of March 2012.