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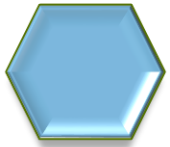
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Enhancing the quality of career guidance in secondary schools

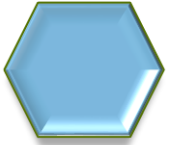
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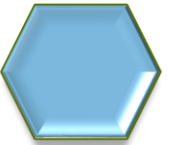




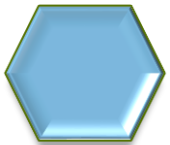
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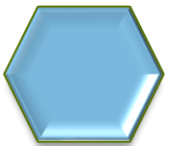
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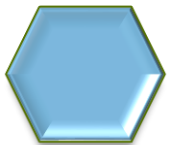
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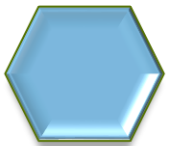
Career counselling



Career resource centre



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What to focus on



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NICE network
[roles]

Gatsby benchmarks
[services]



What is quality?



- Quality is a contested concept
- Who defines 'quality'?
- Impact of technocratic approaches
- Key principles:
 - Trust in competence of professionals
 - Value student voice
 - Focus on fitness for purpose
 - Adopt action research / reflective practice



Career education

- Learning *about* work (not *for* work)
- Curricular frameworks
- In, through, across the curriculum
- Connecting powerful ideas together
- Teaching methodologies
- Assessment strategies - portfolios



Career information

- Information dump
- Constructivist, not input-output
- Quality criteria
- Sensitivity to diversity
- Avoiding fragmentation



- Personalised services
- Coaching
- Mentoring
- Counselling

Career counselling

- Triage approach
- Career readiness
- Identifying the at-risk
- Personal Development Plans

- Strengthens legitimacy of CG
- Enhances access
- Hub for career learning
- Site to consolidate partnerships
- Staffing / peer mentoring

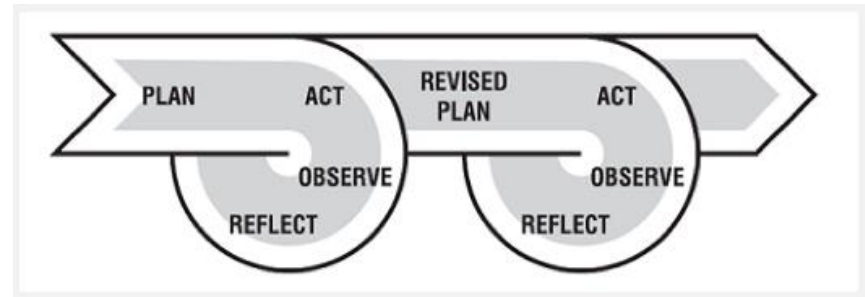
Career Resource Centre





- School leaders
- Subject teachers
- Alumni
- FE staff/students
- Employers
- External guidance specialists
- Trade union officials
- Local community

Partnerships in service provision



- The road to professional status
- Competence development
- The reflective practitioner
- Quality through action research
- Value of critical friends

The reflective practitioner

Dissemination:



Piloting
Training
Sharing
Developing



16 secondary schools



Thank you

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