

ESF PRIORITY 1: Tackling Poverty through Sustainable Employment

ESF P1 Specific Objectives

- To increase the employability of those closest to the labour market at most risk of poverty.
- To increase the employability of Economically Inactive (EI) and Long Term Unemployed (LTE) people aged 25 and over, who have complex barriers to employment.
- To reduce under-employment or absence rates for employed individuals with work limiting health conditions and/or other barriers to sustainable engagement with the labour market

Pan Wales

WEST WALES & VALLEY - WWV

EAST WALES - EW

OPUS

Supports people aged 25+ EI & LTE those furthest to reach with multiple barriers to skills and employment, not living in Community First areas

Achieving Change through Employment (ACE)

Supports BAME and migrant people in Wales eligible to work in the UK. Empowerment & mentoring support into training volunteering and employment

Cyfle Cymru - Healthy Working Wales - Out of Work Service

Peer mentoring and specialist employment services to achieve employment outcomes for people aged 25 plus with substance misuse and/or mental health issues.

ReAct 111/ReAct Plus

Supports people who have been made redundant or at risk of becoming so to find employment. Advice & Guidance from Careers Wales, training grants & wage subsidy for employers

RCS Cymru - Healthy Working Wales - In Work Support

Delivers rapid access to work-focussed support and therapies for employed & self-employed people who are on or at risk of sickness absence. It provides support, guidance & training for SME employers aimed at improving culture and practice around workplace wellbeing.

WCVA Active Inclusion Fund

Operations from various third sector organisations provide bespoke activity to reduce the number of economically inactive and long term unemployed people

JobSense

Specialist employability service tailored at people with sensory loss aged 25+. Delivered by Action on Hearing Loss, Centre of Sign Sight Sound & Elite Supported Employment

Parents, Childcare and Employment (PACE)

Helping EI parents aged 25+ into sustainable work & provide solutions to overcome childcare barriers

Communities4Work

Mentoring & employment support to help LTE & EI adults in hard to reach groups into work. Communities First areas

Expanding Môn's Horizons

Support those in work to secure more hours of paid work to increase their earning potential. Working with employers, specifically focusing on local SME's to adopt or improve their existing workplace strategies including Equality and Diversity.