

Inner City Employment Service

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Education Support Fund

The inner city employment service has this year delivered this fund which is supported by Dublin Docklands, IFSC Inner City Trust and Pobal. Some 90 clients have been supported with various financial supports including payment of college registration fees making attending college a reality.

Working with DSP:

Each week the Inner City Employment Service takes 96 client referrals directly from the Department as part of the National Employment Action Plan

Q Mark: The audit for the Inner City Employment Service Q Mark will take place in 2013 with all four centres required to maintain the required standard of management and process. We look forward to another high ranking this year.

Working with Public Representatives:

In the past year ICES has worked with a number of local representatives giving information about the provision of services and available funding courses etc for job seekers in the inner city. If you need any clarification about any support that may benefit your constituents contact any of our offices, the names and numbers are below.

For more information contact any of the centres below who will be happy to provide you with more information or a detailed briefing.

This Newsletter is the fifth newsletter that we have produced that highlights the work of the Inner City Employment Service and is a briefing for Inner City Public Representatives. Please contact any centre manager, contact details below, if you want further information or a detailed briefing.

Getting Dubliners Back to Work

The Inner City Employment service continues to deliver placements in the inner city despite many difficulties and the on-going downturn. Below are the total placements made between January and September this year.

January - August 2012 As per agreed and audited placements	ICES
Placement into Employment	416
Supported into FAS Training	300
TESG/LTF/HSP/Night Training	274
Supported into Education	102
FAS Employment Programme	101
Self-Employment	24
Other Non FAS Training/ Education	30
Total progressions year to date	1274

Cost Effectiveness:

DSW figures state that each job placement saves the state €18,680 in a full year. Other placements education and training have other significant benefits.

Canals Partnership our new route for ICES funding until December 2012

The Inner City Employment Service continues to deliver its services to inner city residents despite changes in funding arrangements. With the demise of the DEP the Canals Partnership is now the route for funding of the Inner City Employment Service until the end of 2012.

We will keep you informed of developments.

Working with Employers:

Our links with employers is an essential part of ICES role. Linking with small, medium and large companies ICES strives to build contacts for the benefit of job seekers in the Inner City. We are currently in discussions with a number of companies one a large start up and another that is a large multinational brand.

We will keep you updated.

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