



Fact sheet for Round 2 Development Partnerships

NORTH WEST:

Agora – This Development Partnership comprised organisations worked to empower local communities - in predominantly deprived areas - to manage their town/district centres as sustainable social enterprises. The DP focused on using local human resources to enable local town/district centres are run for the benefit of the community.

Beyond Face Value – This Development Partnership tackled inequality and disadvantage in the labour market faced by men and women from minority ethnic communities in Lancashire. The project developed a two-pronged approach to help people into employment and working with employers.

ECUBE – This Development Partnership helped improve lifelong learning among diverse disadvantaged groups such as young people and adults with low skills in Greater Manchester. The DP extended access to lifelong learning and thus improved skills, confidence and employability to non-traditional learners and those with low qualifications who faced multiple barriers.

Healthcare ESOL – This Development Partnership worked to redress BME under representation in the NHS and care sector by improving the English language skills of low paid workers from ethnic minority communities. The DP piloted and tested an ESOL e-learning model specifically tailored to the language of the healthcare sector.

Innovation means prisons and communities together (IMPACT) Ascend – This Development partnership worked to improve the employment and resettlement prospects of BME ex-offenders. It worked to empower ex-offenders to not only gain education, training and employment pre and post-release, but also to sustain it on long term basis, developing tools effective employer engagement

EQUAL Development Partnerships

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