

Future Generations Evaluation (includes Equalities and Sustainability Impact

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NB. Key strategies and documents that may help you identify your contribution to the wellbeing goals and sustainable development principles include: Single Integrated Plan, Continuance Agreement, Improvement Plan, Local Development Plan, People Strategy, Asset Management Plan, Green Infrastructure SPG, Welsh Language Standards, etc

1. Does your proposal deliver any of the well-being goals below?

Well Being Goal	Does the proposal contribute to this goal? Describe the positive and negative impacts.	What actions have been/will be taken to mitigate any negative impacts or better contribute to positive impacts?
A prosperous Wales Efficient use of resources, skilled, educated people, generates wealth, provides jobs	This proposal will increase the ownership of generic, transferable skills at all levels from basic to level 2 across the workforce of the region through community provision, thereby improving the opportunities for currently low skilled workers to sustain employment and increase earnings potential.	The programme will be regionally proofed by the Learning, Skills and Innovation Partnership to ensure the provision is aligned to the employment & skills plan and as such relevant for the emerging Cardiff Capital Region requirements.
A resilient Wales	N/A	

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Maintain and enhance biodiversity and ecosystems that support resilience and can adapt to change (e.g. climate change)		
A healthier Wales People's physical and mental wellbeing is maximized and health impacts are understood	N/A	
A Wales of cohesive communities Communities are attractive, viable, safe and well connected	The provision will be community based and will have the flexibility to respond to local need.	To ensure the programme focuses on encouraging community cohesion as one of its social drivers.
A globally responsible Wales Taking account of impact on global well-being when considering local social, economic and environmental wellbeing	The programme will work to ensure high standards are met and maintained that do not conflict with the global drivers.	Any decisions taken will take into account global and well-being issues as part of its day to day processes.
A Wales of vibrant culture and thriving Welsh language Culture, heritage and Welsh language are promoted and protected. People are encouraged to do sport, art and recreation	Equality and diversity is a cross cutting theme of the ESF programme and as such will be integral to all aspects of the programme.	.All marketing and promotional materials will be produced bilingually.
A more equal Wales People can fulfil their potential no matter what their background or circumstances	Equality and diversity is a cross cutting theme of the ESF programme and as such will be integral to all aspects of the programme	With the ability to better market and understand data there will be opportunities to target areas of the

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		community that may not currently be aware of the offer.

2. How has your proposal embedded and prioritised the sustainable governance principles in its development?

Sustainable Development Principle		Does your proposal demonstrate you have met this principle? If yes, describe how. If not explain why.	Are there any additional actions to be taken to mitigate any negative impacts or better contribute to positive impacts?	
Long Term	Balancing short term need with long term and planning for the future	The programme will be regionally proofed by the Learning, Skills and Innovation Partnership to ensure that provision is aligned to the employment & skills plan and also relevant for the emerging Cardiff Capital Region requirements.	.The employment and skills plan including the sectoral analysis will be a key document in the development of the business plan.	
Collaboration	Working together with other partners to deliver objectives	This is a regional proposal with partners from all four SE Wales Regional Competitiveness Authorities.	MCC officers will be part of the pan Wales ESF Priority 2 network consisting of regional leads of all ESF projects operating in Wales.	
Involvement	Involving those with an interest and seeking their views	The provision will be community based and as such will be able to engage with communities at a local level and respond to localised need.	The engagement process will be constantly reviewed and evaluated to ensure the views of all those who have an interest are taken into account.	

	le Development rinciple	Does your proposal demonstrate you have met this principle? If yes, describe how. If not explain why.	Are there any additional actions to be taken to mitigate any negative impacts or better contribute to positive impacts?
Prevention	Putting resources into preventing problems occurring or getting worse	Investing in skills is a key driver in the development of a modern knowledge-based economy and in responding and adapting to economic changes.	A regional strategic approach will ensure a clear focus and alignment to regional priorities and will also reduce administrative costs enabling more of the funding to be used on delivery.
Integration	Considering impact on all wellbeing goals together and on other bodies	The opportunity to develop a new way of delivering the offer and sustaining its long term future should give the opportunity to better connect wellbeing outcomes to other partners and bodies. The service contributes to the wellbeing goals and staff are to demonstrate and understand their input into the wellbeing goals whilst also considering the impact.	One of the key drivers of the offer is the promotion of culture and art and its revised staffing structure and key developments will reflect that.

3. Are your proposals going to affect any people or groups of people with protected characteristics? Please explain the impact, the evidence you have used and any action you are taking below. For more detailed information on the protected characteristics, the Equality Act 2010 and the Welsh Language Standards that apply to Monmouthshire Council please follow this link: http://hub/corporatedocs/Equalities/Forms/AllItems.aspx or contact Alan Burkitt on 01633 644010 or alanburkitt@monmouthshire.gov.uk

Protected Characteristics	Describe any positive impacts your proposal has on the protected characteristic	Describe any negative impacts your proposal has on the protected characteristic	What has been/will be done to mitigate any negative impacts or better contribute to positive impacts?
Age	Consider the impact on our community in relation to this e.g. how do we engage with older and younger people about our services, access issues etc. Also consider what issues there are for employment and training.	n/a	n/a
Disability	What issues are there are around each of the disability needs groups e.g. access to buildings/services, how we provide services and the way we do this, producing information in alternative formats, employment issues.	n/a	n/a
Gender reassignment	Consider the provision of inclusive services for Transgender people and groups. Also consider what issues there are for employment and training.	n/a	n/a
Marriage or civil partnership	Same-sex couples who register as civil partners have the same rights as married couples in employment and must be provided with the same benefits available to married couples, such as survivor pensions, flexible working, maternity/paternity pay and healthcare insurance	n/a	n/a
Pregnancy or maternity	In employment a woman is protected from discrimination during the period of her pregnancy and during any period of compulsory or additional maternity leave. In the provision of services, good and facilities, recreational or training facilities, a woman is protected from discrimination during the period of her pregnancy and the period of 26 weeks beginning with the day on which she gives birth	n/a	n/a

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Race	Think about what the proposal will do to promote race equality with the aim of: eliminating unlawful discrimination, promoting equality of opportunity and promoting good relations between persons of different racial groups. Also think about the potential to affect racial groups differently. Issues to look at include providing translation/interpreting services, cultural issues and customs, access to services, issues relating to Asylum Seeker, Refugee, Gypsy &Traveller, migrant communities and recording of racist incidents etc.	n/a	n/a
Religion or Belief	What the likely impact is e.g. dietary issues, religious holidays or daysassociated with religious observance, cultural issues and customs. Also consider what issues there are for employment and training.	n/a	n/a
Sex	Consider what issues there are for men and women e.g. equal pay, responsibilities for dependents, issues for carers, access to training, employment issues. Will this impact disproportionately on one group more than another	n/a	n/a
Sexual Orientation	Consider the provision of inclusive services for e.g. older and younger people from the Lesbian, Gay and Bi-sexual communities. Also consider what issues there are for employment and training.	n/a	n/a

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Welsh Language	Under the Welsh Language measure of 2011, we need to be considering Welsh Language in signage, documentation, posters, language skills etc.and also the requirement to promote the language.	n/a	n/a

4. Council has agreed the need to consider the impact its decisions has on important responsibilities of Corporate Parenting and safeguarding. Are your proposals going to affect either of these responsibilities? For more information please see the guidance http://hub/corporatedocs/Democratic%20Services/Safeguarding%20Guidance.docx and for more on Monmouthshire's Corporate Parenting Strategy see http://hub/corporatedocs/SitePages/Corporate%20Parenting%20Strategy.aspx

	Describe any positive impacts your proposal has on safeguarding and corporate parenting	Describe any negative impacts your proposal has on safeguarding and corporate parenting	What will you do/ have you done to mitigate any negative impacts or better contribute to positive impacts?
Safeguarding	Safeguarding is about ensuring that everything is in place to promote the well-being of children and vulnerable adults, preventing them from being harmed and protecting those who are at risk of abuse and neglect.	n/a	n/a
Corporate Parenting	This relates to those children who are 'looked after' by the local authority either through a voluntary arrangement with their parents or through a court order. The council has a corporate duty to consider looked after children especially and promote their welfare (in a way, as though those children were their own).	n/a	n/a

5. What evidence and data has informed the development of your proposal?

This report is founded upon the following:
 ESF Operation Programme for East Wales for the 2014 – 2020 Programming period The Learning Skills and Innovation Partnership employment and skills plan 2016 The Economic Prioritisation Framework

6. SUMMARY: As a result of completing this form, what are the main positive and negative impacts of your proposal, how have they informed/changed the development of the proposal so far and what will you be doing in future?

The Skills@Work programme will increase the ownership of generic, transferable skills at all levels from basic to level 2 across the workforce of the region through community provision, thereby improving the opportunities for currently low skilled workers to sustain employment and increase earnings potential. This regional programme will take a strategic approach to ensure a clear focus and alignment to regional priorities such as the LSiP employment and skills plan and the Cardiff Capital Region.

7. ACTIONS: As a result of completing this form are there any further actions you will be undertaking? Please detail them below, if applicable.

What are you going to do	When are you going to do it?	Who is responsible	Progress
Regional proofing by LSiP	April 2017	Cath Fallon	
Approval of the Skills@Work programme	June 2017	Cath Fallon	
Regional project delivery to commence	September 2017	Cath Fallon	

8. MONITORING: The impacts of this proposal will need to be monitored and reviewed. Please specify the date at which you will evaluate the impact, and where you will report the results of the review.

The impacts of this proposal will be evaluated on:	On going
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9. VERSION CONTROL: The Future Generations Evaluation should be used at the earliest stages of decision making, and then honed and refined throughout the decision making process. It is important to keep a record of this process so that we can demonstrate how we have considered and built in sustainable development wherever possible.

Version No.	Decision making stage	Date considered	Brief description of any amendments made following consideration
1	IMD	15 th February 2017	This will demonstrate how we have considered and built in sustainable development throughout the evolution of a proposal.