

Inclusive Pathways to Employment (IPE)

Genuine and lasting reform is needed so young people with disability can successfully transition from education into decent, secure and meaningful employment. To do this the culture of low expectations must be addressed, evidence-based practices must be implemented and system level issues that result in young people with disability falling through the cracks must be fixed.

The Inclusive Pathways to Employment (IPE) project will focus on ensuring mainstream services can support pathways to decent work and will bring together the core elements of systemic change, improved practice, evidence collection and collaborative policy redesign.

To design and implement IPE we are partnering with a broad range of sectors including; government, employers, disability services, education providers, employment services and the community, as well as young people with disability, their families and supporters.

IPE will be trialled across 4 communities in Australia, allowing us to fully interrogate 'what works', for 'whom' and 'in what 'context'.

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