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The Restart Scheme

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# The Restart Scheme

- £2.9 billion employment support scheme, commissioned by the DWP
- Direct response to the impact of Covid-19
- Futures are delivering the scheme across Nottinghamshire in conjunction with Maximus UK

# The Restart Scheme

- To be eligible, individuals need to have been out of work for **between 12 and 18 months**.
- All referrals via Jobcentre Plus.
- 15,000 individuals are projected to be supported by the scheme across Nottinghamshire.

# Key Elements of the Scheme

- Focus on sustainable job outcomes
- Tailored support based on referrals to local provision via the Community Partnership Network
- Place based response to employment and skills needs

# Delivery Locations

- Futures – Maid Marion Way, Nottingham
- Futures – Westgate, Mansfield
- Insight Healthcare – London Road, Newark
- Worksop Library – Memorial Avenue, Worksop

\*From 1<sup>st</sup> October: New Futures offices opening in Worksop and Newark

# Inspire Library Locations

- Sutton in Ashfield Library
- Eastwood Library
- Retford Library
- Ollerton Library

# Community Partnership Network (CPN)

- Network of local partners to provide support to Restart participants
- Facilitating referrals, aligning provision and funding services where required
- Includes skills providers, drug and alcohol addiction services, debt and housing advice organisations, mental health service providers, etc
- Potential to identify gaps in funded local provision and commission new initiatives as required

# Joining the CPN

- Organisation completes an EOI and submits to Maximus
- EOI includes Menu of Service for both funded and non-funded provision as well as delivery locations
- Maximus complete a Due Diligence and Risk Assessment procurement process
- Organisation approved and added to CPN – able to receive direct referrals for both funded and non-funded provision
- Organisation able to directly invoice Maximus for non-funded provision once on the CPN



# Local Engagement

- **Monthly:** Local Engagement Meeting – provide updates on Restart Scheme, share information on potential for alignment and co-development of solutions to respond to local employment and skills challenges
- **Quarterly:** Economic Recovery Forum – bring together employers, LEP, LA's, college, anchor institutions to facilitate activity to support economic growth and community recovery from Covid-19

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