

WHAT IS THE SKILLS BROKERAGE INITIATIVE?



Impartial and honest broker advice to businesses on training issues

Help
in
identifying
workforce
development
strategies



Yorkshire Forward (the Yorkshire Regional Development Agency) and the Learning and Skills Council have developed a strategy to support workforce development within the Humber sub-region by identifying priority clusters and sectors important to the future economic development of the area



Funding via a skills voucher scheme worth up to 50% of training costs



A Skills Brokerage has been established in each business sector or 'cluster'. The objective of each cluster broker is to engage employers in the development of their workforce. In addition, the brokers will signpost employers towards opportunities offered by other support agencies



WHAT CAN THE SKILLS BROKERAGE OFFER ME?



Information on the work of other support agencies and contacts



Employer-led

Employers are able to choose the training and the training provider to suit their specific training needs, at a time and place to suit them



Information on appropriate training provision

