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Work Choice Live Running Memo

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Date: 7 May 2014

Subject: Updates to Work Choice Provider Guidance

Action: For information and action

Timing: Immediate

Background

The latest updates to Work Choice Provider Guidance are now available for perusal on the Supplying DWP – Provider Guidance website.

Summary

For your convenience, here is an at-a-glance log of these changes and amendments:

Section	Title / Contents	Amendment
number		
Section 1	Work Choice	Universal Credit additional information
	Introduction and	boxes updated. Typo corrected
	Overview	
Section 2	Referral – Sources	Universal Credit additional information
	and Procedures	boxes updated.
Section 4	Stage Two – Module	Universal Credit additional information
	One – Work Entry	boxes updated.
	Support	
Section	Financial	Added Employer's Liability Insurance
16	Procedures	certificate to the list of acceptable

		evidence to support employer verification template for Sustained outcomes.
Section 19	Work Choice Wage Incentives	Added clarification: Supported business can claim a wage incentive as long as the 18-24 year old is not being recruited into a protected place for which the financial payment of £4,800 per annum is also being paid.
Annex 4	Compatibility with Other Provision	Some clarifications and updated compatibility information for recently introduced provision:
Annex 6	The Access to Work Programme	Updated phone number for Access to Work Contact Team
Annex 8	Marketing and Publicity	As part of providers' wider marketing and engagement strategy they may occasionally work in partnership with employers to source vacancies, or obtain guaranteed interviews, suitable for Work Choice participants. In such cases providers may wish to make JCP / DEA aware that such interviews/vacancies are available via the programme. Guidance clarification added re. seeking candidates for such vacancies.

Further Information / Contact Details

If you have any queries about this Live Running Memo, please contact your Performance Manager, in the first instance.