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Train to Gain Assurance Reviews

3 July 2007

Welcome

Objectives of the Training Session



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- To provide delegates with overview of PFA approach to Train to Gain funding in North West Region
- To provide feedback on results of assurance visits to date
- To provide advice about best practice

PFA Approach to Train to Gain funding



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- Initial Monitoring Visits
- Controls testing
- Substantive testing

Findings from assurance



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reviews to date

- Lots of good practice identified at providers but issues around evidence in respect of ;
 - higher band funding
 - start payments
 - prior attainment of learners

Findings from assurance reviews to date (2)



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- individual learner plans (ILPs)
- reviews of progress towards achievements
- initial advice and guidance (IAG)
- initial assessment – key skills and occupational

Good Practice Advice



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- PFA developing a good practice guidance note for providers in North West Region
- Looking to distribute to all North West providers by end of August 2007

Questions and Answers



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- **Opportunity for delegates to ask questions about the PFA assurance approach to Train to Gain**

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