

# *Summary of changes to the ILR for 2012/13*

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# Summary

- *The information authority* board met on 28<sup>th</sup> September to consider requests for change to the ILR specification for 2012/13
- These slides outline the changes approved at this meeting by the board from change requests received for 2012/13
- These will be incorporated into the ILR specification for 2012/13
- Late Change process to occur in Nov/Dec for any additional essential funding changes - to be considered by *the information authority* board in December 2011. Main funding simplification to occur for 2013/14 for both agencies.

# Fields to be removed or added

## Fields to be removed

- Provider number (UPIN). For 2012/13 the UKPRN will be the only provider identifier returned in the ILR
- Planned group based hours and Planned one to one hours (Learning Delivery entity)

## Fields to be added

- New field to collect details of the apprenticeship pathway being undertaken (Learning Delivery entity)

# Other changes

- There will be no flat file ILR specification for 2012/13 and no conversion facility available in the LIS. All ILR returns for 2012/13 must conform to the single ILR specification and be in XML format.
- Collection of non-funded apprenticeships from private training providers/NES employers. Mandatory for providers where non-funded apprenticeships are delivered as part of a NAS contract. Optional for other private training providers.
- Reason for withdrawal – new code to record transfers of learners to support government strategy such as increasing apprenticeship numbers.
- Change to ULN validation - reduction in minimum duration of learning aim to 10 days (further reduction to 5 days in 2013/14) and enforcement for all SFA/YPLA funded learners except ASL.
- Record the UKPRN of the provider delivering sub-contracted provision where delivery is sub-contracted more than once.

# HE data collection changes

- Subject to approval for inclusion in the HESA Student record (to be confirmed in Dec 2011), the following changes will be made to HE data fields:
  - Identify pre and post 2012 fee regimes
  - Collect details of actual fee levels
  - New funding and monitoring codes to:
    - Identify highly qualified candidates
    - Monitor delivery of the national Scholarship programme

# Changes for further review or implementation in 2013/14

- Further review of data collected about employment status of learners
- Further investigation into use of Employer role field and possible removal
- Review of data requirements for “other funded” and “non-funded provision”

## **For 2013/14**

- Funding simplification by YPLA and SFA. This may affect the following data collected in the ILR:
  - Funding model
  - Additional learning support and Disadvantage uplift
  - Learner support funds
  - Offender learning
  - Adult Safeguarded Learning
- Possible implementation of unique aim identifier (permanent aim identification number)
- Review of LLDD categories