

PILOT SITES OVERVIEW

PROJECT NAME	NEW ROLE OR NEW WAY OF WORKING	PROGRESS SO FAR	NEXT MILESTONE	POSSIBLE PRODUCTS ARISING FROM WORK
Sutton Trust for Children and Young People Transition Unit	Development of integrated unit for young people with disabilities in transition to adult services. Unit will combine colleagues drawn from children's social care, adult social care and Connexions. Unhelpful demarcation between roles within the Unit will be eliminated, and care pathways streamlined. Unit to be supported by wholesale culture change within participating agencies.	<p>Project only became live in April 2005. Good progress has been made in:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> identifying and equipping an office for the unit partner agencies agreeing the aims and objectives for the project partner agencies giving outline agreement to indicators for measuring the impact of the Transition Unit on the lives of disabled young people. <p>We have had setbacks in recruiting a project coordinator and do not expect to have one in post until Sept 2005.</p>	<p>"Establishment of new care pathways and training programme to support implementation"</p> <p>We can co-locate staff from 1st August and some work on care pathways can start then, but we will not make significant headway until a coordinator is in post. The delay in this is a significant impediment to the project, especially if we have to adhere to the 31st March 2006 timescale.</p>	<p>The "products" we planned were new care pathways, a transition unit integrating three statutory services that has long-term viability, and a set of indicators that enables us to demonstrate the positive impact on people's lives.</p> <p>These are still the products we expect. At this stage, no additional products have emerged.</p>