

## 14 - 19: Decisions & Choices (1 day)

Wed 20<sup>th</sup> May, 9.45am – 4.00pm, MWB Regent Street  
Tues 13<sup>th</sup> October, 9.45am – 4.00pm, Freston Road

**Target group:** The course is targeted at PAs and other relevant IYSS & TYS practitioners who support young people in careers management and personal development programmes at key stages 3 and 4.

**Course Aims:** To increase understanding of the 14-19 pathways and enable PAs to better support young people with their decision-making.

### Learning Objectives:

- To increase awareness of the KS 3 & 4 curriculum options available to young people including 14 -19 diplomas, international baccalaureate and other study modes
- To increase practitioner skills in offering impartial advice and empowering young people to make informed decisions and choices
- To enable PAs to assist young people to explore stereotypical career choices and raise aspirations
- To enable PAs to identify how careers education and guidance can help students and those that care for them when making choices
- To assist PAs in helping young people be discerning users of the breadth of information available

**Course methodology:** The course will be co-delivered by two careers education co-ordinators. It will utilise a variety of methods including a quiz to assist use of the Building Sure Futures\* pack and will explore topic areas outlined below:

- Different 14 -19 routes
- CEG activities to support effective career management
- Exploring stereotyping
- Supporting those who care for young people
- Discerning use of information

\* BSF is a pack used to support careers management and personal development programmes and contains key information, ideas and templates.