Enhancing employability and work based learning
The ALPS CETL Network outputs

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This innovative programme developed 4 approaches to improving confidence and competence in pre-registration health and social care students across 5 Yorkshire Universities and 16 professions by:-

• Promoting the interprofessional assessment of core competences

• Testing the use of mobile devices to deliver assessment and learning in practice settings, linked to e-portfolios

• Encouraging service user & carer involvement in student feedback

• Developing tools to evaluate confidence to practice
Common Competency Maps

Result – 4 Maps

- Communication Skills Map
- Teamworking Skills Map
- Ethical Practice Skills Map
- Patient safety map

Globalised versions of the ALPS Competency Maps are also available.
ALPS Assessment Tools

5 interprofessional tools in use:-
• Working Interprofessionally
• Gaining Consent
• Providing Information
• When to Consult and Refer
• Demonstrating respect for Service User

Which encourage the use of 360 assessment from:-
Mobile Assessments delivered to e-portfolios

Service User Assessment Scenario
Peer Assessment Scenario

Multi-Port e-portfolio

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Confidence In Practice Assessment Tools, CIPA and PPA

- Developed by ALPS originally as ....
  - A research instrument to be used by 16 different health and social care professions
  - To measure perceptions of competence in students and newly qualified practitioners.
  - Now extended by the ALPS network team at Huddersfield as a self evaluation tool for students to check their readiness, pre placement - PPA.

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Today’s Workshops

• Will give you the opportunity to find out more about these ALPS network outputs.
• Network with colleagues who are interested in similar developments.
• Discuss the use of similar initiatives in your own organisations.
• Keep in touch with ALPS colleagues and foster relationships for future developments.

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