

Developing effective practice

What is expected from inspection?

[The Ofsted Good Practice Database](#) aims to show you the best of what the sector has to offer through five very different resources, which can help you improve your own provision by learning from others.

You will need to sign in to the Excellence Gateway to access this resource.

Guidance for providers and Her Majesty's Inspectors can be found in the [Handbook for the inspection of further education and skills from September 2009](#).

Section A looks at 'Outcomes for learners' and shows you how inspectors will evaluate:

- how learners will develop literacy, language and numeracy skills to complete their programmes and progress;
- how learners will progress to further learning and employment.

Section B looks at 'Quality of Provision' and shows how inspectors will evaluate the following:

- how learning and assessment are linked to initial and current assessments;
- how teaching and learning methods inspire and challenge learners;
- how well induction, review and guidance sessions support learners.

Click the following for a summary of the [Common Inspection Framework for further education and skills 2009](#).

The Updated Health Check document can be downloaded in sections and Word versions can be adapted for your own organisation. (See [Section 2](#) for link to full document). Key sections for embedded delivery are:

[Section H \(Curriculum Design and Delivery\)](#)

[Section I \(Resources and Facilities\)](#)

Each section includes a series of quality statements referring to specific aspects of provision across an organisation. Next to each quality statement is a prompt to help you consider your response to this statement. These are headed 'Things to think about'.