This session will interest you if you are a Parent, Careers Counsellor, Year level, VCAL or MIPS coordinator, Integration Aide, Welfare Officer, Youth or Disability Worker of a student with a disability or additional learning need.

Post-school pathway planning for young people with a disability or an additional learning need can be a complex and baffling process.

Through information sharing and discussion this session aims to highlight the importance of pathway planning for students with disabilities and additional learning needs. The why, how and who of transition planning will be presented in a way that facilitates understanding of the process and awareness of who the key players are through the planning stages.

Representatives from employment agencies, further education, day programs, Centrelink and others will be in attendance to answer your questions.

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