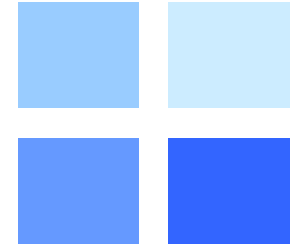


THE RICKTER SCALE



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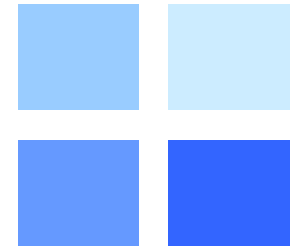
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CHANGES international: experience



Assessment: young people at risk of drop out

**European programmes: Leonardo, Youthstart,
Integra, Equal.**

**NE England – connexions projects, ESF
programmes.**

**Northern Ireland – E0TAS programme, schools
projects.**

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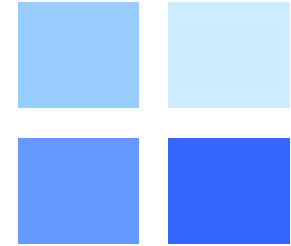
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- Theoretical background
- Benefits to individuals
- Benefits to organisations
- Benefits to practitioners
- Overlays
- Training
- IMS on-line system
- Short demonstration: life board

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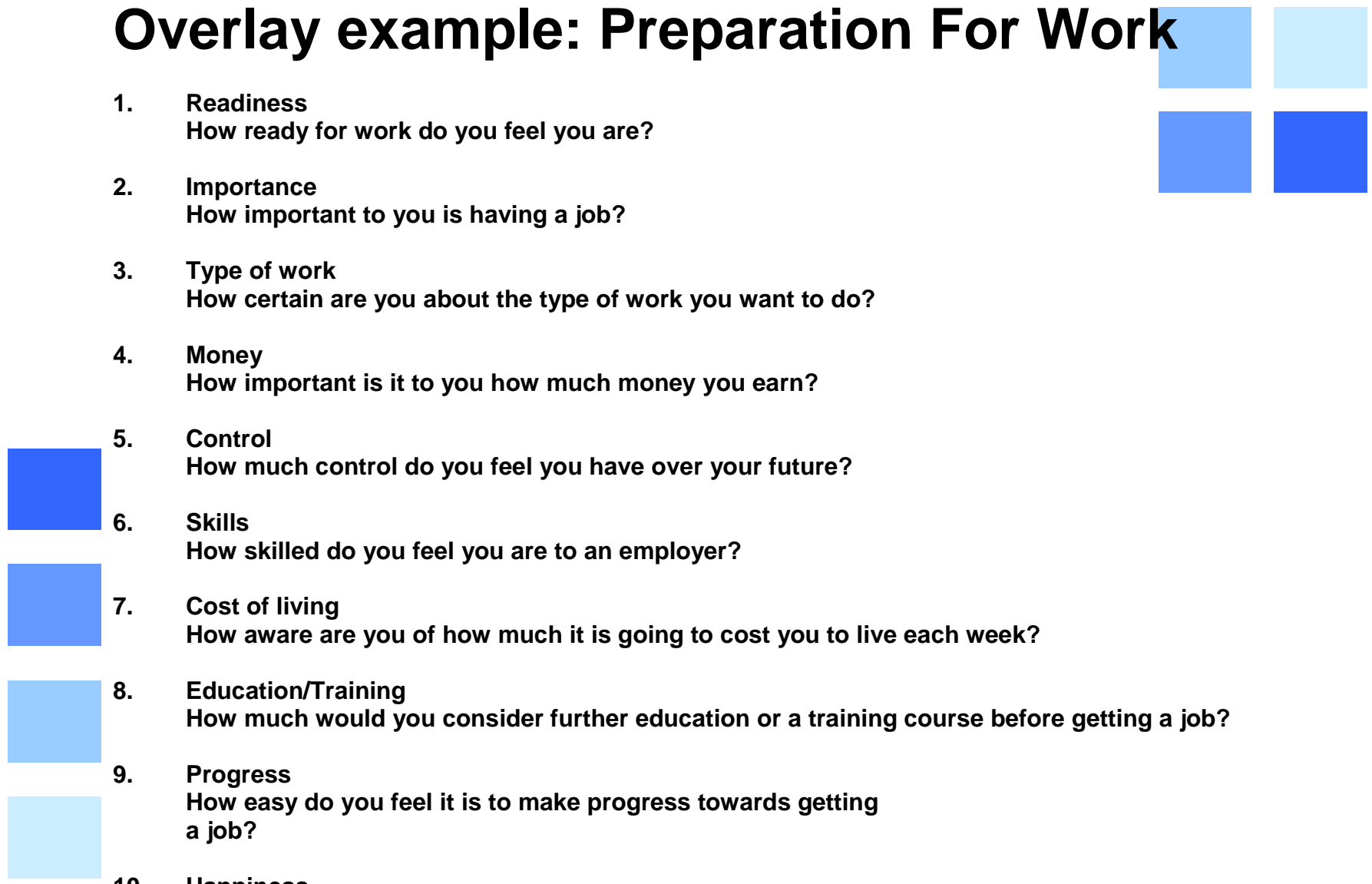
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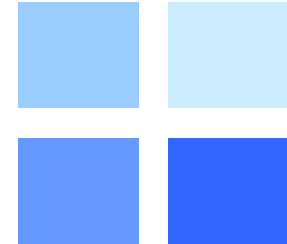
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Overlay example: Preparation For Work

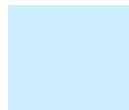
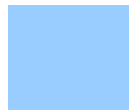
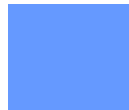
- 1. Readiness**
How ready for work do you feel you are?
- 2. Importance**
How important to you is having a job?
- 3. Type of work**
How certain are you about the type of work you want to do?
- 4. Money**
How important is it to you how much money you earn?
- 5. Control**
How much control do you feel you have over your future?
- 6. Skills**
How skilled do you feel you are to an employer?
- 7. Cost of living**
How aware are you of how much it is going to cost you to live each week?
- 8. Education/Training**
How much would you consider further education or a training course before getting a job?
- 9. Progress**
How easy do you feel it is to make progress towards getting a job?
- 10. Happiness**
How happy are you with your current job preparation?



Overlay example: Drugs/Alcohol



1. **Employment**
How much does your alcohol use affect your employment situation?
2. **Life**
How much is alcohol a part of your life at this moment?
3. **Offending**
How much does your alcohol use put you at risk of offending?
4. **Money**
How much does your alcohol use affect your money situation?
5. **Control**
How much control do you feel that you have in your alcohol use?
6. **Stress**
How much does your alcohol use affect your stress levels?
7. **Relationships**
How much does your alcohol use affect your relationships?
8. **Health**
How much does your alcohol use have an affect on your health?
9. **Peer Pressure**
How much is your alcohol use influenced by others?
10. **Happiness**
How happy are you at this moment of time in your life?



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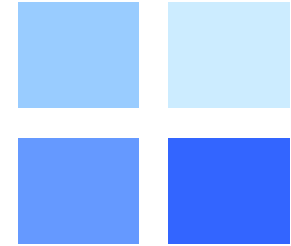
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