

Scheme Name:	Building Better Opportunities (BBO)
Funder:	National Lottery matched with ESF
Programme value:	£3,310,700
Deliverers and Contract Values:	South Yorkshire Housing: £2,764,400 Sheffield Futures: £546,300
Timescale:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Initially a 2-year programme 2016-2018 Agreed to continue delivery on a reduced scale 2019/20 utilising underspend Agreed to extend programme nationally until 2023, contract extensions in progress
Geography covered:	9 Local Authorities within SCR
Description:	<p>The aim of BBO is to tackle the root causes of poverty, promote social inclusion and drive local jobs and growth. Two programmes were commissioned by the Lottery due to conclude 2018/19 for SCR each with a different focus.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <u>Programme a: Doing Good Businesses delivered by Sheffield Futures</u> Doing Good Business has a focus driven through community engagement, mentoring and coaching support for 25-60-year olds. There are three delivery partners – Groundworks South Yorkshire, Clowne Enterprises and the Coalfields Regeneration Trust. It provides personalised coaching which can be supported by a personal budget enabling them to access work and support. <u>Programme b: Individual Placement and Support delivered by South Yorkshire Housing Association</u> IPS is a recognised, structured approach to employment support involving rapid job search, engaging with employers and moving participants quickly into work. In work support continues as necessary. Participants can access a range of courses such as digital inclusion and physical activity, plus benefits advice.
Target Beneficiaries:	Long term unemployed and inactive adult residents
Contracted outputs (2016-2019 contract):	
a-1. Total number of participants	803
b-2. Number of men	401
c-3. Number of women	402
d-4. Number who are unemployed, including long-term unemployed	160
e-5. Number who are economically inactive, including not in education or training	642
f-6. Number who are aged 50 or over	161
g-7. Number with disabilities	354
h-8. Number from ethnic minorities	120
i-9. Number who move into education or training on leaving	104
j-10. Number who move into employment, including self-employment, on leaving	103
k-11. Of these, the number who were unemployed when joining the project	21
l-12. Of these, the number who were economically inactive when joining the project	83
m-13. Number that were economically inactive move into job-searching on leaving	174