

### 3.4 Local Audit Services in Hampshire – who is doing Person-Centred Planning already?

So that the Local Implementation groups can write their plans for Person-Centred Planning, they need to know who already knows about it, and is good at it, and who does not.

This is so they can:-

- ◆ Find out who needs training
- ◆ Find out who can help them with training



If people do not really understand what Person-Centred Planning really is, they may think that they are doing it already when they are not.

If this is the case, then it means that they may not change the way they work, so it is very important that everybody knows about Person-Centred Planning, so that they can change how they work if they need to.

The Partnership Board says that all services, even if they are not helping people to work out their Person-Centred Plan, **MUST** take a **Person-Centred Approach**. This means that they have to listen to what peoples' plans are saying, and do what they need to, to make sure that the plans work out.



Section 5 (Evaluation) tells Local Implementation Groups how they can do this, and there is more help in the Quality Assurance Framework, and in the guidance from the Department of Health in the Appendix.

The Local PCP implementation sub-group should produce a plan on how they will find out about Person-Centred Planning locally.

They will need to make sure that they use all the skills and experience that people have had, to help to tell other people about it. This should include people with learning disabilities and their families.

