SEMINAR ON YOUTH EMPLOYMENT

INTER-AMERICAN NETWORK FOR LABOR ADMINISTRATION (RIAL)

Template Questions to Guide Seminar Presentations

Panel 3: "Developing and encouraging comprehensive policies, strategies and services."

Questions:

- What experience and examples can you point to where an integrated service delivery strategy was implemented as a result of national policy or a specific program operated by an organization within your country? What were the challenges in implementing such a national policy framework or programs and how were these challenges addressed?
- Given that a comprehensive approach seeks to achieve multiple outcomes, how is success measured?
- How are formal and informal educational strategies integrated into your program model? Does the formal education system partner with your program? Do national policies encourage education and workforce development programs and systems to work together?
- Is there an effort to provide youth with multiple educational pathways that allow them to learn through different approaches and alternative learning environments? How are students provided career information? To what extent are placement policies such as internships and apprenticeships an integral part of the program?
- When and how should social, attitudinal, and basic employment skills be incorporated into services?
- Have there been any evaluations of your comprehensive approach? If yes, what were the results?