# Logic chain to aid project planning and articulation of the potential for impact

**Guidance:**

The example logic chain below sets out the types of information you need to outline within each section of your proposed projects logic chain. This approach demonstrates the clear links between the problem, the required inputs and the activities, outputs, outcomes as well as the potential for longer term impacts. You need to provide an indication of the expected **timing** of the activities, outputs, outcomes and impacts.

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| **Problem to address** | **Inputs** | **Activities** | **Outputs** | **Outcomes** | **Impacts** |  |
| *Articulation of the problem the project is seeking to address* | *Any resources you anticipate requiring to deliver your activities (e.g. financial, human, technology resources)* | *Specific processes required to produce outputs e.g. designing a new incentive structure for engaging hard-to-reach employers in a network; developing a new qualification framework and piloting these ideas.* | *The quantifiable results signalling the completion of an activity e.g. new employers engaged in a network; new qualification framework developed, tested and agreed.* | *The intended short-to-medium term effects generated by the outputs e.g. improved collaboration in a sector/locality; enhanced skills.* | *The intended longer term impact of the initiative/intervention which addresses the original problem (col 1), e.g. sector/locality able to take advantage of emerging international markets through having skilled employees and employers committed to on-going skills development.* |  |

The Impacts should link back to and address the problem

**Template:**

Please note it is not mandatory to use this template to articulate the potential impact of your project. Complete this template referring to the guidance above, save and upload to your application form under section 4b of the application form. Where you are supplying this information in an alternative format please also upload your document under section 4b of the application form.

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