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> Hi Cheryl,

> As discussed earlier on the phone, IPC Employment has been involved in  
> a number initiatives to improve the employment outcomes for Indigenous jobseekers.

> For example:

> \* We have been a sponsor and active participator in the annual "Indigenous Job  
Market". This year the Job Market is being held Mt. Druitt, Sydney, and is an  
opportunity for Indigenous jobseekers to meet Job Network Members, TAFE  
representatives and Group Training Providers (a total of 45 organisations).

> \* IPC Employment actively promotes the Wage Assistance Program to employers. This  
is a wage subsidy that the employer can use to assist in the funding of additional  
training and support

> \* We have developed close links with other state and federally government funded  
organisations that provide support to Indigenous jobseekers to address any barriers to  
employment issues such as homelessness, mental health issues, and family support. This  
initiative is the most common amongst our offices, and provides the best results.  
Further to this, as a result of our links with these organisation the Illawarra IEC  
will be providing some further comments on some strategies in place to ensure outcomes  
for our Indigenous clients.

> Feel free to contact myself to discuss further if need be.

> Regards

> Ben Carblis.

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