

Depiction of the System of a Nonprofit Program

This logic model depicts the workings in the system of a nonprofit program called the Self-Directed Learning Center (SDLC). The purpose of the program is to enhance the quality of life for adults by providing on-line training materials and by helping them to help each other to learn. Feedback from the environment is from inputs from the overall organization, including from its environmental scanning, market research and evaluations. Feedback to the external environment, including to the overall organization, is from program staff, and the organization's public relations, advertising and promotions.

Inputs	Processes	Outputs	Short-Term Outcomes	Intermediate Outcomes	Long-Term Outcomes
 Collaborators Computers Employees Articles and other publications on the Web Investors Self-directed learners Supplies Web 	 Provide peer- assistance models in which learners support each other Provide on-line training program: Basics of Self- Directed Learning Provide on-line training program: Basic Life Skills Provide on-line training program: Passing Your GED Exam 	 30 groups that used peer models 100 finished training programs 900 learners who finished Basics of Self- Directed Learning 900 learners who finished Basic Life Skills 900 learners who finished Passing Your GED Exam 	 High-school diploma for graduates Increased likelihood and interest for learners to attend advanced schooling 	 Full-time employment for learners in jobs that require high- school education Independent living for learners from using salary to rent housing Strong basic life skills for learners 	 Improved attitude toward self and society for graduates Improved family life for families of graduates Increased reliability and improved judgment of learners