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Annual Report 2020



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What we've done this year

Like many of you, the response to Covid-19 and the pandemic shaped our year. We grabbed vital papers and abandoned ship. Fortunately, we've been moving all our systems online in recent years and we are also lucky to have a dedicated team of staff and volunteers and we were back up and running in a couple of days; the noon check-in on zoom replacing the office chat for the foreseeable future.

The Community Links team (linking residents into community groups and activity) immediately showed a spike in activity as residents in need sought help and found our freephone number. The numbers of calls, what they were about and who was calling gave us early warning of what was happening, and our members who were responding shared their information, too, and let us know what support they needed. A large part of what we did in the first few weeks was to convey that picture to the public sector who were focussed on sending food parcels to the shielded list without, perhaps, realizing that the need was more widely spread than just those on the list. Challenges followed thick and fast. Volunteers tend to be older, many with their own health conditions, so new volunteers had to be swiftly recruited. GoodGym and similar groups plugged a vital gap until new volunteers could be found.



Residents seek help in many ways: Some will ring the council, and others will contact their GP and some will contact the church, mosque or local community organisation. Ultimately a majority of calls will get referred into the Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) – via Link Workers, Care Navigation and Social Prescribing in the case of health, and via the Contact Camden referral system in the case of the council. Many voluntary and community organisations received calls for support directly from individuals in their community.

To furlough or not proved a dilemma for larger organisations who saw their earned income plummet as they closed their doors yet furloughing reduced capacity at the moment it was needed most. We joined a national campaign, writing to the local press and MPs, to make the furlough more useful to the sector, but to no avail.

Other challenges included where to find emergency funding, how to overcome the digital divide, and burgeoning need as many were tipped into poverty – in need of food, debt advice and finding themselves increasingly isolated and under stress.

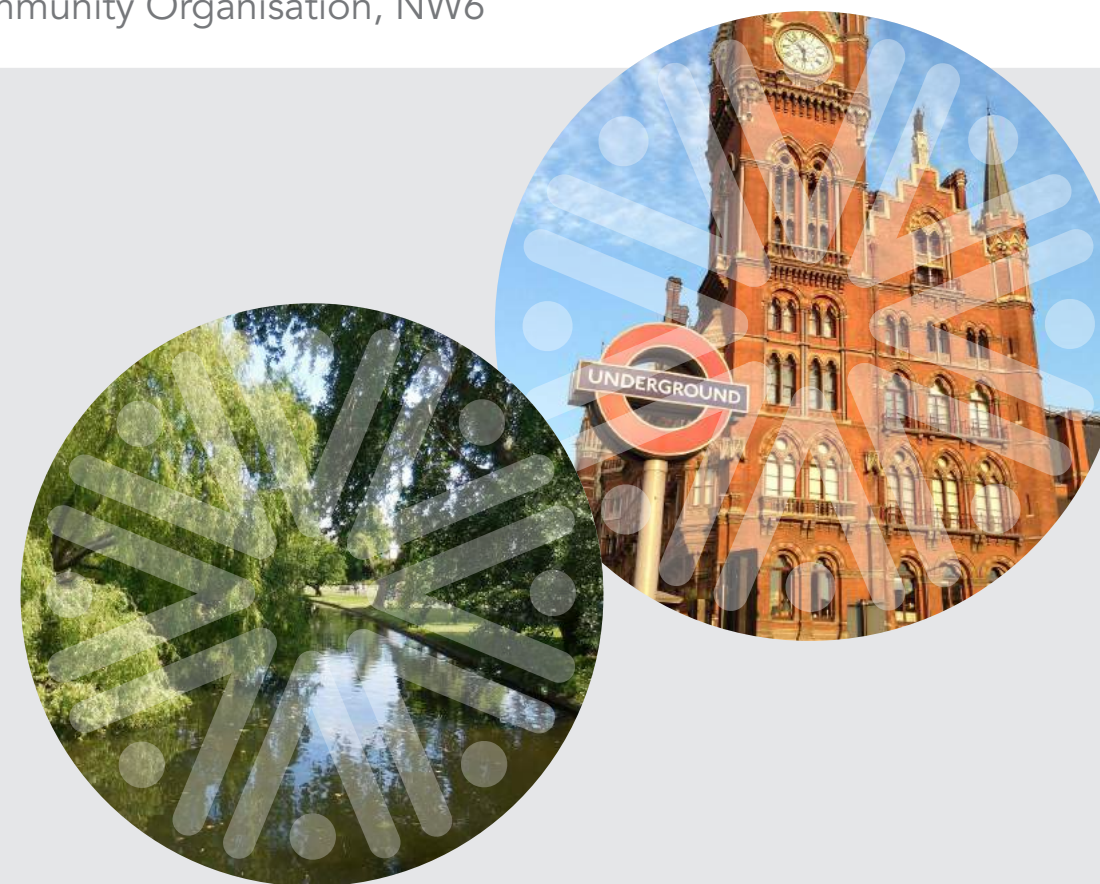
As we come out of lockdown some will be returning to normal but many more will need our support to get back on their feet after a year's worth of income, education and life has been lost. Yet others will need support to cope with long Covid.

“We are concerned about the longer term future for ourselves and other third sector organisations across Camden.”

Community Organisation, NW5

“We think there will be significant need for advice and support as lockdown is eased and we begin to see the financial and social impact this period has had.”

Community Organisation, NW6



The new Integrated Care Partnership and Community Health – The biggest health shake up for a generation

On the 1st April 2021 Camden entered a new era – as part of the new Integrated Care System covering the five north central boroughs. This brings us a step nearer to the NHS long term vision of a true community health and care system in which the parts are seamlessly integrated.

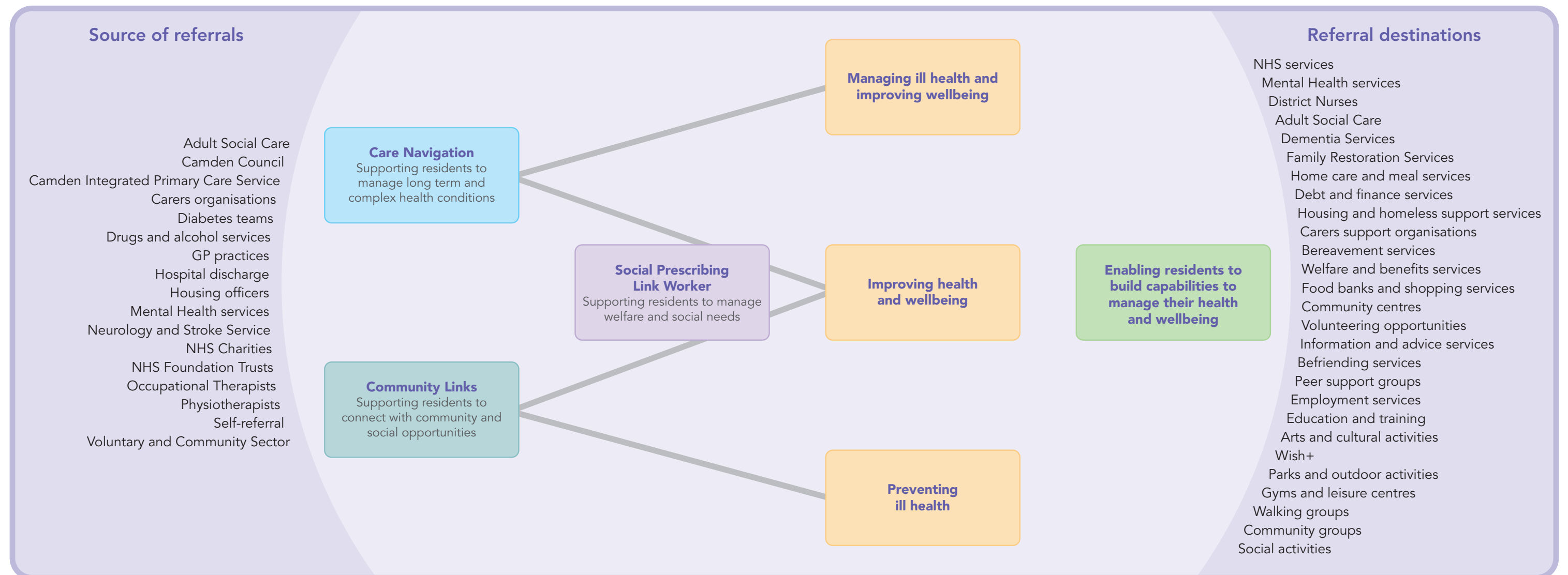
For the VCS this is an exciting development as it means that our role in keeping people well, nurturing wellbeing and preventing ill health should finally be fully acknowledged. However, there is still much to be done to ensure that the missed opportunities of 1948 aren't repeated and that once again the broader role of community health gets side-lined by the acute and chronic services.

A great example of the VCS role in community health is the recent phenomenon of connecting residents directly with community organisation and activities.

For some years VAC has been placing volunteers in GP waiting rooms – the GP and their staff help identify the members of the community who would benefit most from getting involved with their local community organisations.

This is a new and innovative role for infrastructure organisations like VAC, and, one that many of our members now value.

This process has the unfortunate jargon name of 'social prescribing' but to us it's just introducing residents to their local community organisations and activities – which is why we call it Community Links. And by placing the volunteers in GP surgeries we can be sure that we are targeting the residents who benefit most. Our partners (and the contract holder) are Age UK Camden and together with Care Navigation and Wish+ creates a comprehensive system that benefits thousands of residents every year.



“We work across London and can see the difference having a strong VAC can have in a borough. I think the benefits of a good infrastructure body are sometimes hard to directly measure, but they are real and very important.”

VAC supports voluntary and community activity in Camden in order to promote a vibrant civil society with strong societal bonds underpinning a good society.

Like most Councils for Voluntary Service across the country (CVS), we do this through three ways: Connect – connecting the sector up (through networking and information); Influence – giving the sector a voice at the table when strategic decisions are made; Develop – by providing capacity building support (such as training and advice).

We’ve been working in this way (in one form or another) for the last century, starting with coordinating relief to the poor from churches and charities in 1907, then gradually expanding into influencing public policy as the public sector grew in importance during the 20th century. Advice and support to members developed alongside as small organizations became ever more complicated to run.

Each role is important, but it’s the three aspects of our role that together help nurture a resilient sector.

Develop

VAC provides advice, training, 1:1 support, on topics such as their financial sustainability, fundraising success and governance practice and also specialist support such as BAME safeguarding. usual training in Governance, GDPR and Safeguarding was joined by a major programme of digital support with seminars and weekly surgeries to help organisations get online and overcome their challenges. We have a full range of helpful resources on our website.

Connect

VAC runs a regular open forum for the sector, a social prescribing learning network and a Health Inequalities forum. A weekly e-bulletin reaches 1800 subscribers and social media channels reach many more. A quarterly update and policy briefings keep the sector abreast of policy developments. We have an up-to-date database of local organisations and a database of community venues and rooms for hire. Our work includes helping organisations work together by nurturing and forming partnerships and consortia.

Influence

VAC is on the board of two NHS trusts, the Health and Wellbeing Board, the Local care Partnership Board, the Climate Change Alliance and many others. We try to reflect your voice and give an account of decisions made (at forums, from events, and by email etc). We also link into a nationwide network of CVSs and with a handful of national charities (such as the Red Cross) are founding members of the VCS Emergencies Partnership. We also network at London and National level on a variety of issues, particularly social prescribing and Health Inequalities.

Covid-19 and the pandemic have overshadowed everything, and we've written elsewhere about our work to help the sector respond. But amidst all of that whirlwind of activity we have been busy with our workplan:

We launched the Voluntary Action Forum and held 16 cross-sector forums on a range of topics, including food poverty, funding for the sector, digital divide and many more – a welcome return to borough wide networking after a long absence.

VAC now has a seat on the Health and Wellbeing Board, and in September VAC addressed the full council meeting on food poverty as one of a number of VCS voices and in March 2020 addressed the Citizen's Assembly on health.

We recorded four podcasts on Safeguarding and BAME issues, wrote four Reports – Support Needs of the Sector, The Care Navigation and Social Prescribing Response, Financial Impacts on the VCS and IT and Digital support needs.

VAC is Co-Leading the Community Connectedness policy strand of the Local Care Partnership Board strategy.

Partly in response to the disproportionate impacts on health revealed by Covid we launched a Health Inequalities Network and also started a BAME fundraising support partnership with Ubele and All Ways Network, funded by LB Camden.

We're moving to being a blend of remote working, with a base at Greenwood Place and a more mobile approach to working around Camden.

We've stabilised our finances and have been fundraising successfully.

Like many we held our first ever online AGM and we've recruited new trustees and expanded our membership.

We've formed a new partnership with Google to help small groups afford space and help them blend online with the real world. Look out for it on our website and in the e-bulletin.

We're working on a new website, branding and clearer communications.



A network of over 200 members and 2000 subscribers

"The organisation is devoted to the local people and to the delivery of services to the local community"

4,755 resident referrals
1839 to care navigation (complex needs)
1391 to wish+ (housing etc)
1525 to Comm Links for VCS support
 Care Navigation & Social Prescribing service referrals during Covid

16 Voluntary Action Forums with **520** attendees
4 x Social Prescribing Learning events with **165** attendees

89% overall VAC User Satisfaction rate
100% residents improved wellbeing through community link referrals

"We've been able to support one another and the forums have also been a good place to influence and allow us to raise issues and give us a voice and articulate what our needs are"

Responded to Covid with regularly updated Directory & Map of VCS organisations responding. **10,898** searches of Covid directory to access community support

5 Feature Articles + guest blogs for Healthwatch & London Plus

"VAC has access to emerging groups. When there are changes of demographics, they're the first to see it"

4 Podcasts
 on **Safeguarding and BAME issues: FGM, Domestic Violence, Out-of-school settings, Private fostering**

50 issues of weekly e-bulletin going to **1953** subscribers carrying over **500** jobs, volunteer and trustee opportunities, **247** funding opportunities, and hundreds of news stories and events from the sector

1:1 capacity building support to **36** groups
243 groups and residents signposted to advice and information

"VAC has brought great insight to the CCG by advocating on behalf of the local VCS and influencing our strategic decisions as a CCG. With VAC we are reminded of the importance of the VCS in improving the health of local people in Camden"

Collaborations
 Covid Test Buddies with local GPs
 Patient Appointment Escorts with Time to Spare

54,704 visits to the website
1815 Twitter followers
578 Facebook followers

"We think the Voluntary Action Camden newsletter is the best newsletter in the borough! It has information on events, funding, jobs and volunteering, training and much more"

"Can I just say your funding page has been a great resource to us over the years, in fact it's excellent. Thank you!"

Addressed full council meeting, spoke at Health Citizens Assembly, Joined the Health and Wellbeing Board, Co led community connectedness strategy for LCPB, leading Thriving Communities Learning Together Programme in North Central London, VCS Emergency response

Over half our members have income less than £10k

Quarterly In Depth Updates on local and national issues, policy updates and topical themes

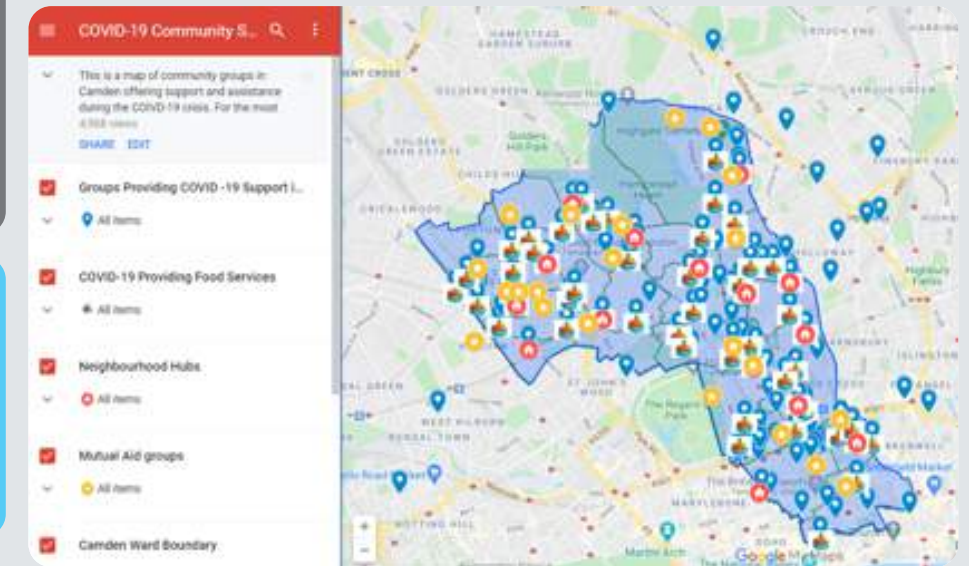
4 Reports
 Support Needs of the VCS
 Financial Impact of Covid
 Care Nav and SP Response
 VCS IT support needs

Volunteers
11 volunteers retrained
 Covid Test Buddies
 Chat and Link
 Vaccine Stewards

Covid advice and information updated regularly during pandemic

Training & Events
29 Forum and Network events
15 peer support groups
4 seminars
32 training and workshops
1487 attendances

Covid-19 community groups



Covid-19 referrals



"I cannot praise this volunteer service highly enough: the organisation is superb, and the volunteers are really efficient. All the people I have had contact with have been most pleasant and they restore one's faith in humanity of civic society. Such a venture deserves to be supported and valued for its excellent work."

“Your support is unique in that it is placed in the local context and able to use local experience to locate and guide us in accessing practical support and resources.”

Whether you call it capacity building, or organisational development or just support, one of our core roles is to help organisations to thrive whatever stage they are at.

This can range from in-depth ongoing support to one-off advice on a phone call or by email. Our support ranges from helping with charity registration to fundraising support, from advice on internal matters like HR and IT to more complex and long-term support. Each year we help around 40 organisations with detailed support and give advice and guidance to over 100 organisations.



We still run a training programme but increasingly this has gone online, on demand and has moved towards focussing on specific issues as they arise. For example, this year we put a lot of resources into helping our members make the transition to remote working and running events online with a series of IT online seminars and weekly surgeries to help groups make the transition.

We also have lots of resources on our website to help our members find the information they need, when they need it.



“VAC has well established links and has connected me with various BMEA groups. What struck me about working with VAC is how hard they work to establish those links. Certain BMEA groups are really hard to engage with and I’ve been very impressed with what VAC has done to establish those connections.”

Connecting is the second of the three roles of a CVS and this year we have been busier than ever connecting – not just connecting organisations and groups to each other, but also connecting them into a wide variety of public sector contacts.

We’ve brought back the borough wide VCS forum after a 6 year hiatus as the Voluntary Action Forum and held 16 forums with over 500 attendees. We’ve invited funders and key public sector staff to facilitate connections and better working around food, buildings, volunteering, referrals from residents and a host of other topical issues.



Our Social Prescribing Learning Network has also brought together those who are more deeply involved in that agenda in the borough and created a space where workers from many disciplines and sectors can exchange ideas.

Information plays an important part and we have kept up our weekly e-bulletin throughout the pandemic, keeping organisations up-to-date and giving them a space to exchange information, recruit and advertise events and initiatives. Quarterly briefings, reports on key topics and a social media presence all serve to keep Camden organisations well informed.

Our directory is a key tool in keeping VCS organisations connected, both to each other and making them easy to find when connections and partnerships need to be made.

This year we created a specific section for those responding to the pandemic. And for the first time there is a map to go with the directory to make it easier to navigate.



“VAC does a lot of work to engage smaller organisations in consultations and to feed into strategy, to make sure their views and input are not missed out.”

As a CVS, VAC has an important role to make sure that your voice is heard at the decision-making table.

Camden Clinical Commissioning Group (CCCG) merged with the other 5 boroughs’ CCGs into one North Central London CCG in April, but VAC now sits on the Local Care Partnership Board and the Health and Wellbeing Board.

These are important new bodies in the emerging Integrated Care System and if the ambition to create a true community health system is to be realized it will be important for your voices and priorities to be heard.

VAC also has seats on a number influential bodies including two NHS Foundation Trusts (Camden and Islington MH Trust and the Tavistock and Portman) as well as seats and representation at a number of other strategic bodies and forums – from the Climate Change Alliance to the Neighbourhoods Board to the Camden Safeguarding Children Partnership.

VAC is also the link for North Central London into other NHS networks such NHS Charities Together and the National Academy for Social Prescribing.

During the pandemic, we have been part of local and national coordination of responses to the pandemic, locally through the Borough Resilience Forum and nationally through the VCS Emergencies Partnership with the Royal Voluntary Service and the Red Cross. And we have sat on numerous working groups and task and finish groups to deal with challenges as they arose during Covid.

Your feedback at events, forums, in emails, phone calls and surveys has been invaluable as we pressed for decisions that the VCS see as being in the best interests of Camden residents.

One role of the Voluntary Action Forums is as a place for us to feedback to you on decisions made and also to hear from you what we should be taking to these decision-making bodies.

The council has reinstated regular meetings with sector leaders (The Community and VCS Partners Meeting) and we have been involved in discussions to make them more of a co-produced meeting with the sector.



Working collaboratively with the sector to build influence

VAC has always worked collaboratively. Indeed, VAC was founded in 1907 to be a place where local charities, churches and friendly societies could work together and better coordinate relief to the poor.

We work with our sister organisations in neighbouring boroughs (and across the country) as well as regional and national partners.

Over the years VAC has worked with many partners to create organisations that meet a specific need and many have gone on to be key partners. Examples include the Bereavement Service, the Psychotherapy Unit, the Volunteer Centre, Camden Giving, Healthwatch Camden and Camden Disability Action. VAC has always acted as an incubator, supporting and enabling fledgling organizations to spread their wings. Sometimes, the organisations we help even surprise themselves – when we helped local activists to form Any-body, no one could know that it would quickly go first national, and then global, as Endangered Bodies.

As a small organization we know that to build community we must work collaboratively with any and all partners who share our values and to that end we meet regularly with a small group of key borough-wide and infrastructure organisations to pool our knowledge and expertise for the benefit of the VCS in Camden. This group includes Volunteer Centre Camden, Camden Community Centres Consortium (C4), Healthwatch Camden, Camden Giving, Camden Disability Action and Young Camden Foundation. We also work in partnership with both Age UK Camden and Mind in Camden. Get in touch if you'd like to work in partnership with us.

Focusing on Inequalities: Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic Communities.

In line with our values to combat inequality and empower communities, VAC has a number of aspects of work that are targeted to benefit marginalised Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic (BAME) communities in Camden.

We developed the Community Action Project Consortium in 2018/19 with African Health Forum and five other small BAME organisations to help secure contracts and better work together.

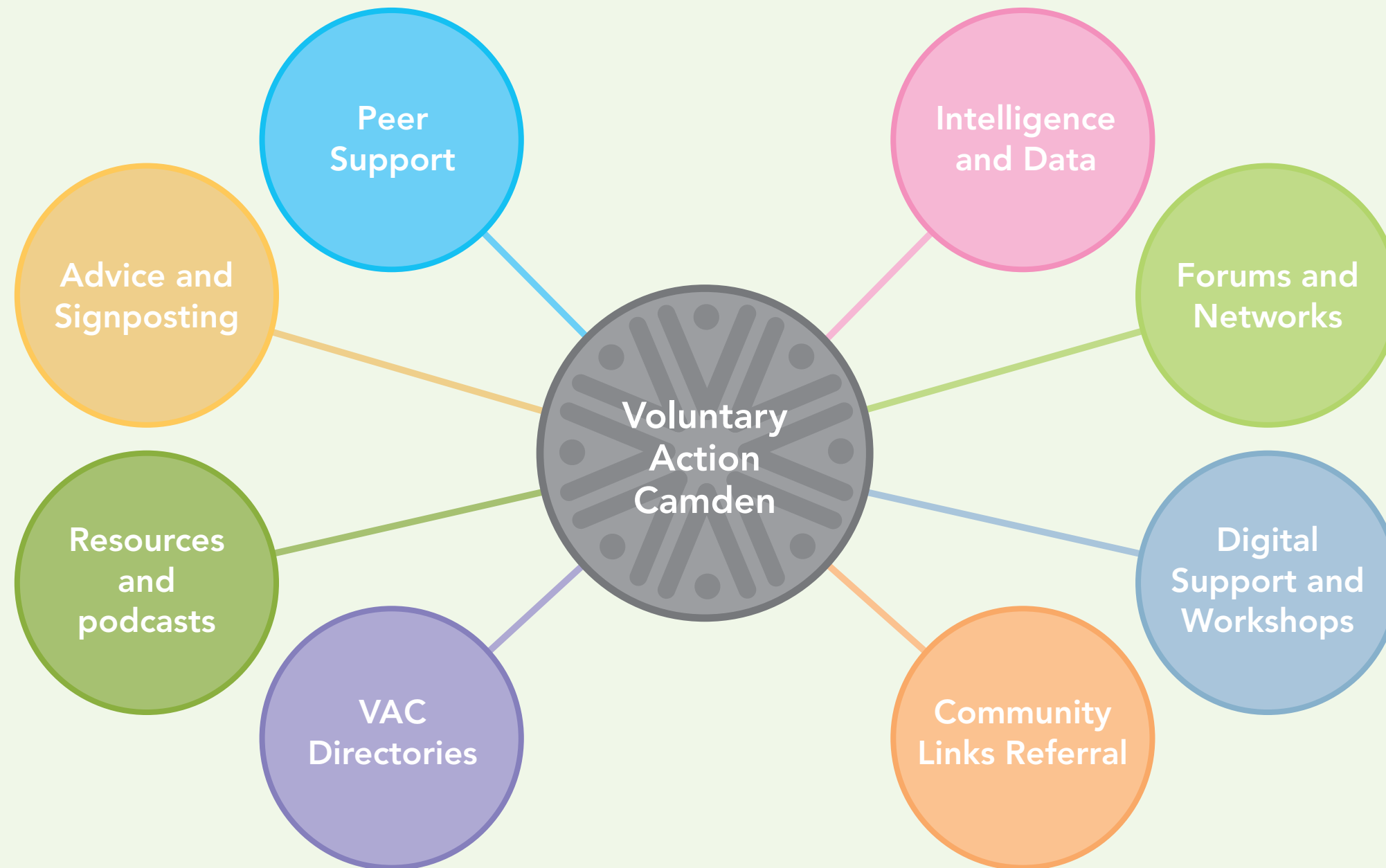
Our BAME Children Safeguarding project (led by Dianne Carlton Ogunyemi) has been a long running project supporting Camden's BAME organisations to safeguard children in the borough at supplementary schools and other settings providing training, information and one to one support.

The Cultural Advocacy Project (a partnership with Mind in Camden) and led by Zubair Matin, brings peer mentoring to communities to increase resilience and support to marginalised communities dealing with Mental Health stigma in a sustainable model. The project has focussed on particularly marginalised communities and continues to reach out to new minorities.

This year we have started a Health Inequalities Network in partnership with Camden Disability Action and Healthwatch Camden. The partnership aims to bring together the VCS and public sector to provide a platform for those who want to influence change and tackle health inequalities.

With funding from Camden Council VAC has joined forces with the Ubele Initiative and All Ways Network to work alongside Camden's BAME sector organisations to strengthen and support them.

Board members Chikwaba Oduka and Kathy Elliott champion this work at board level.



Needs and Support



Activities



Voice



Intelligence and Data



SECTOR: Sharing and Linking Together

Supporting Residents and Groups

VAC is democratically controlled by its members and membership is free and open to all Camden voluntary and community sector organisations. Board elections take place at the AGM, which is a public meeting where all members have a vote.

Decisions are made by the trustees at minuted board meetings held every 6 weeks. VAC has 8 trustees and 2 observers who are Camden councillors.

VAC is on a number of boards and committees including 2 NHS Trusts, The Health and Wellbeing Board, Local Care Partnership Board, LCPB, Climate Change Alliance etc.

VAC holds regular forums with the Camden VCS in order to hear our members voices, gather their views to be taken to strategic meetings and also to feedback and account back to the members for our work.

Board renewal is an ongoing process in most charities and VAC has been joined by five new trustees in the last two years and actively encourages members to make nominations to the board.

Last year, Cass Austen became the new Treasurer. This year, Gaynor Humphreys completes her term of office as vice-chair to be replaced by Chikwaba Oduka and Kathy Elliott.

Our chair, Julie Christie-Webb, also steps down this year and the board have a process underway to choose a new chair.

We have a long history of working to overcome inequality and health inequalities in particular.

The long-term NHS plan envisions moving to a true community health system which will involve the VCS in prevention, recovery and supporting people to look after their health and wellbeing. It's a massive opportunity for the sector and VAC will work with members and public sector partners to ensure that the VCS is a full partner in the new integrated healthcare system.

We re-instated the Voluntary Action Forum. The next challenge will be to run forums blending real world meetings while keeping the benefits of online meetings.

We have ambitious plans for engaging more deeply with you, the members. We want to make sure that we are hearing your voice and connecting you with the strategic agenda and decision-making in the borough and beyond. And we want to involve you more in influencing, helping relevant members take a seat at the table and then sharing and pooling our knowledge to keep all members up to date.

We're in the middle of a major project to make our communications clearer and easier to use and we will be launching a new website and branding, with an improved directory, over the next 12 months. Let us know what you think.

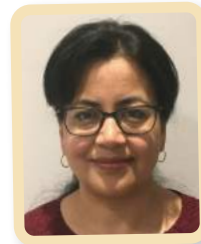
In the coming months we will support members to move back into buildings and navigate the emerging new normal. Our partnership with Google will help small groups afford space and learn to blend the best of online meetings with real world meetings.

We've moved from the Charlie Ratchford Centre (to be demolished). It was a chance to change the way we work, accelerated by Covid. So we've taken a small space at Greenwood, which will be our official base. But in future we will all be more mobile, mixing remote working with mobile working around the borough helping us get closer to our members (and cut our costs!).

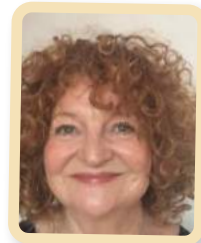
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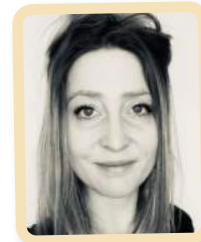
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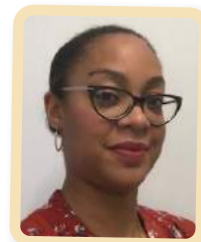
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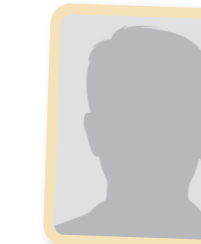
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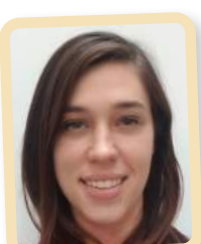
Sue Wilby
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Tim Holt
(joined November 2019)



Kathy Elliott
(joined July 2020)



Cassandra Austen
(joined July 2020)



Chikwaba Oduka
(joined July 2020)

Volunteers

Office Volunteers

- Ann Kearney
- Anna Joy (AJ)
- Runco-Farrands
- Bella Onwudile
- Debbie Ensor
- Ellen Nkomo
- Fatima Begum
- Hasel Hooshiar
- Margaret Ossei
- Thomas Crehan

Community Links Volunteers

- Aphra Garner-Purkis
- Cheryl White
- Jamila Heinecke
- Jane Hickson
- John Woodcock
- Julie Oram
- Larlan Davies
- Margaret Ossei
- Michele Priestley
- Noura Omar
- Sharon Wood
- Shirin Begum
- Susan Finnish

IT and Digital Workshop Volunteers

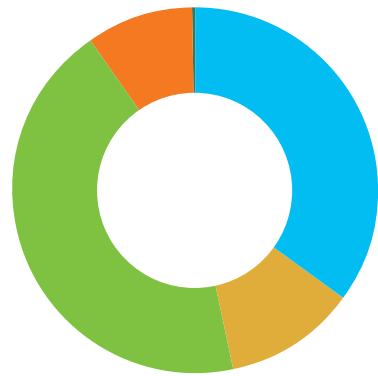
- Dom Aslan
- Gilbert Pant
- Katherine Church
- Kelly Davey
- Liz Thrussell

Honorary Advisors

- Albert Chu – Marketing

Cllr Nasim Ali and Cllr Richard Cotton Council Observers

Summary of SOFA 2019 – 2020



Income	£
● Capacity Building	147,086
● Information, co-ordination and partnerships	49,011
● Promotion, policy and projects	182,879
● Other trading activities	40,167
● Investments	242
Total income	419,385



Expenditure	£
● Capacity Building	240,539
● Information, co-ordination and partnerships	34,220
● Promotion, policy and projects	168,642
Total expenditure	443,401

Net income/(expenditure) for the year -24,016

Summary of Balance Sheet

	Accounts 2019 £	Accounts 2020 £	Estimated Accounts 2021 £
Current Assets	129,607	151,241	237,615
Current Liabilities	-50,978	-58,929	-88,439
Net Current Assets	78,629	92,312	149,176
Long Term Liabilities	-80,674	-89,374	-83,940
Total Assets	-2,045	2,938	65,236
Restricted Funds	6,876	15,491	36,877
Unrestricted Funds	-8,921	-12,553	28,359
Total Funds	-2,045	2,938	65,236

VAC Funders and Partners

- London Borough of Camden
- Cooperative Foundation
- Camden Clinical Commissioning Group
- National Lottery Community Foundation
- Age UK Camden
- Mind in Camden
- Trust for London
- Voluntary Action Islington, supported by volunteers from the Worshipful Company of Information Technologists

- 50 Plus Online Cafe
- Abbey Community Centre
- Action for Children
- Action Youth Boxing Intervention
- Ad Parnassum
- African Physical Training Organisation (APTO)
- Afro Congolese Women and Youth
- Age UK Islington
- All Saints Greek Orthodox Cathedral
- All Souls Local Action Network
- Ardhermeria Ltd
- Art Against Knives
- Asperger London Area Group
- Auden Place Community Nursery
- B True 2 You
- Bartholomew's Area Residents Association (BARA)
- Beauty4Ashes
- Bela Bartok Centre for Musicianship
- Bengali Workers Association
- Bisham Gardens Residents Association
- Black Women's Rape Action Project
- Brent Women's Advisory Resource Centre
- CADFA and Cafe Palestina
- Calthorpe Community Garden
- Calvary Church of God in Christ
- Camden Afghan Community
- Camden Arabic Association
- Camden Butterfly Trust
- Camden Chinese Community Centre
- Camden Civic Society
- Camden Collaborative Community
- Camden Cypriot Women's Organisation
- Camden Disability Action
- Camden Federation of Private Tenants
- Camden Giving
- Camden Town Methodist Church
- Caris Camden (C4WS Homeless Project)
- Castlehaven Community Association
- Central YMCA
- Centre 404
- CFUG
- Chadswell Healthy Living Centre
- Chalk Farm Foodbank – RCL
- Chalton Gallery
- Choices Islington
- Christ Apostolic Church (United Kingdom)
- Cosmetic Support
- Council of Ex Muslims of Britain
- Covent Garden Dragon Hall Trust
- Crossroads Women
- Crux
- Czech School Without Borders, London
- Dance Around the World (CIC)
- Deafblind UK
- Endangered Bodies
- English Folk Dance and Song Society
- Euston Foodbank
- Federation of Iraqi Refugees
- Firstrank Ltd
- Fitzrovia Neighbourhood Association
- Fitzrovia Youth in Action
- Fleet Counselling
- Friends of Highgate Library Charitable Foundation
- Future First
- Gingerbread
- Gloriana: Women in Harmony
- GOAL Youth Club
- Gospel Oak Action Link Youth Club
- Grove Terrace Association
- Hampstead Community Centre
- Hampstead Neighbourhood Forum
- Harmood, Clarence, Hartland Residents Association
- Healthwatch Camden
- Heath Hands
- Heath Street Baptist Church
- Hermes Consultants Ltd
- Hillside Clubhouse
- HNG Stress Project
- Holborn Community Association
- Holly Lodge Community Centre
- Holly Lodge Residents Association
- Home-Start Camden & Islington
- Hopscotch Asian Women's Centre
- Host Nation
- Icandance
- Inkerman Area Residents Association
- Innisfree HA
- Institute of Group Analysis
- Inter-Cultural Youth Exchange UK
- Jaffaria Academy
- Jumpforhealth
- Keats Community Library
- KEEN London
- Kelly Street Residents Association
- Kiamfu Panzu Kasongo Lunda
- Kilburn Older Voices Exchange
- Kings Cross and Brunswick Neighbourhood Association
- Kingsgate Community Association
- Kingsley Organisation
- Kordofan Development Foundation
- Lady Gould's Charity
- Latin American House
- Law Centres Network
- Life After Hummus Community Benefit Society
- Likewise
- Little Village Camden
- London Gypsies and Travellers
- London Independent Living Service
- London International Choir
- London Plus
- London Vision
- London West End Women's Institute

VAC Member Groups continued

Maa Shanti – Empowering Single Asian Mums
Maiden Lane Tenants and Residents Association
Marchmont Association
Martsang Kagyu London Buddhist Centre
Meet the Parents
Middle Eastern Women and Society Organisation
Mind in Camden
Montessori Society AMI (UK)
Mosaic LGBT Youth Centre
My Living Will
New Horizon Youth Centre
North London Cares
Older Feminists Network
Old Mother London
Orchestras for All
Pan Intercultural Arts
Parish of Old St Pancras
Pascal Theatre Company
Pastoral & Environmental Network in the Horn of Africa
People's Centre for Change
Pilgrim's to Willoughby Residents Association
POhWER
Positive Action for Family and Youth
Pro Touch SA CIC
Ransackers Association
RCCG, The Cornerstone Parish
Real Life Events
Red Lion Tenant and Resident Association
Refugee Community Kitchen
Respond
Rhythms of Life
Rivers of Joy
Rosslyn Hill Unitarian Chapel
Royal Association for Deaf People
Royal Free Music Society
Rugby & Harpur Residents Association
Rush in Ballet
Rustam School
Rwanda Sisterhood Association
Samuel Lithgow Youth Centre
Santé Refugee Mental Health Access Project
SAS Martial Arts Academy
Scene & Heard
ScotsCare
SHP – The Camden Recovery Service
Shumei UK
Sidney Boyd Court TRA
Sing for Joy
Solace Women's Aid
Somali Community Centre
Somali Community Development Trust
Somers Town History Club
South Bloomsbury Tenants & Residents Association
South Camden Community Trust
SACFWA
Speak Up
Spectrum
St Pancras Community Association
St Pancras Welfare Trust
St Peter's Project
Stroke & Aphasia Minorities Support Group
Student's Union UCL
Sudanese Children in Need
Tai Ji Circle
Talk for Health
The Association of Jewish Refugees
The Bengali Education Centre
The Caraf Centre
The Cartesians Academy Supplementary School – CASS
The Community Support Project, Greater London
The Food Chain
The Glory of the Lord Choir
The Helen Bamber Foundation
The Kosmos Centre
The Lighthouse
The Littlehaven Nurser
The London Welsh Centre
The Pilion Trust
The Regency Training Foundation
The Sherriff Centre Charity Ltd
The Westminster Society
The Winch
Tonic for the Heart
Torriano Meeting House
Total Family Coaching & Parenting
Training Link
True Access
UKLFI Charitable Trust
Urban Community Projects
Visually Impaired in Camden
Volunteer Centre Camden
Webheath Tenants' & Residents association
West Euston Partnership
West Hampstead Event Association for Residents and Tenants
Willesden & St Marylebone Sea Cadets
Winchester Road Residents Association
Wise About Food CIC
Women and Health
Women's Association for Networking and Development

There are 211 Member Groups and 52 Individual Members



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