



MARCH 2022

MEETINGS | Ealing Advice Forum Meeting

Wednesday 23rd March | 2pm - 4pm | Google Meet (Remote Only)

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Speakers

- Lourdes Colclough, Head of Suicide Prevention, Rethink Mental Illness
- Simon Riggs & Robert Leete from the Commissioning Alliance who manage Careplace

POWERPOINT PRESENTATIONS FROM PREVIOUS MEETING

[Help Through Crisis](#)

[LBE Council Tax Reduction Scheme Overview](#)

[The role of Advocacy in NHS complaints](#)

NEWSLETTERS

[DWP Partnership Newsletter - West London District. February 2022](#)

UKRAINE CRISIS

Ukraine Advice Project UK
<https://advice-ukraine.co.uk/>

Support for family members of British nationals in Ukraine and the UK
<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/support-for-family-members-of-british-nationals-in-ukraine-and-ukrainian-nationals-in-ukraine-and-the-uk>

Apply for a Ukraine Family Visa
<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/apply-for-a-ukraine-family-scheme-visa>

Free Movement
<https://www.freemovement.org.uk/>

Work Rights Centre
<https://www.workrightscentre.org/solidarity-with-ukraine>

Refugee Council
https://www.refugeecouncil.org.uk/information/information-on-ukraine/?doing_wp_cron=1646910949.5296540260314941406250

GP? Social worker? District nurse? Probation officer? Youth worker? Can you help?

Lots of generous people are offering to host refugees. We URGENTLY need volunteer home visitors to help us assess these new placements.

www.refugeesathome.org/hv-description



Home visitors urgently needed

GRANTS

Community Grants

We have funding available from North-West London ICS to support people around the areas of suicidal ideation, self-harm, and bereavement by suicide. We are asking voluntary and community organisations in North West London to consider innovative ways to address issues contributing to suicide or self-harm, or inequalities that have arisen because of the pandemic. Applications must demonstrate how the project will provide a social response to suicide awareness with co-production at its heart.

We welcome collaborations, multi-borough applications as well as smaller neighbourhood-based initiatives. Please use the following link [Community Grants](#) if you are interested in applying for funding, our first quarter deadline is 31st March. The application form is not too complex to encourage organisations of all sizes to apply.

If you would like us to hold a listening event with your group, please get in touch. This initiative is centred around co-production and working with people with lived experience. We value your expertise and knowledge on these issues and would love to help you facilitate a community listening event with your group. This would be a great opportunity to shed light on barriers facing specific groups and share ideas on solutions around suicide prevention and awareness.

If you are interested in discussing community listening events, community grants or simply sharing ideas about how to address suicide prevention in your local area, please feel free to get in touch with [@Cassandra Geisel](#) or [@Haajera Adil](#) (Co-Production Officers).

Lourdes Colclough, Head of Suicide Prevention, Rethink Mental Illness

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TRAINING

Free English and Maths courses at University of West London

The University of West London, where we've received funding to deliver [free Functional Skills courses in Maths and English](#).

Functional Skills courses give people the chance to earn a qualification that is the equivalent of a Grade C/2 at GCSE. Obviously, this makes these courses perfect for learners who do not have their GCSEs in Maths or English and are experiencing barriers in their lives because they do not meet the minimum requirements for a job, a promotion, or a university application.

To be eligible for our free Functional Skills courses, applicants need to:

Have been aged 19 or above on 31 August 2021

Live in London

Be a citizen of the UK or an EEA (European Economic Area) country

Have lived in the UK or an EEA country for the past 3 years.

For further information, please visit our [website here](#).

or Gwendolen Jones - Gwendolen.Jones@uwl.ac.uk

Community workshops

At Ealing IAPT we offer a free community workshop. We look at understanding and how to cope with symptoms of stress, low mood and anxiety.

We will also offer an introduction to Ealing IAPT and what you can expect from our service.

If you are interested, please register by scanning the QR code or filling out the details on the link below using your unique organisational code.

<https://gateway.mayden.co.uk/referral-v2/960b4a28-61e6-4eee-9b67-b12c0c552d05>

Organisation:
Access code:



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JOBS

HFEH Mind are recruiting for an information and advice caseworker as part of the Ealing Advice Service consortium. Deadline for applications is 31/3/22

<https://www.charityjob.co.uk/jobs/information-and-advice-advice-caseworker/811815?tsld=8>

For further support please visit our website
www.hfehmind.org.uk or visit our TV Channel for
helpful resources at:
My-Mind.TV

Scan the QR Code below using your camera on your
phone. This will take you directly there



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dutyadultservices@hfehmind.org.uk
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Solution Focused Therapy

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Hammersmith,
Fulham, Ealing
and Hounslow

RESOURCES

Keep Testing to Keep London Safe

Keep testing for Covid-19 regularly to help [#KeepLondonSafe](https://www.KeepLondonSafe.org). You can order
lateral flow tests online while they are still free.


HM Government





WE'VE BEEN BOOSTED

JOIN US LET'S GET PROTECTED

Over time, two doses do not give you
enough protection against Covid-19.

[NHS.UK/COVIDVACCINATION](https://www.nhs.uk/covidvaccination)



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