

## EALING MENTAL HEALTH FORUM

### AIMS:

- To improve partnership working on mental health services in Ealing between VCS and statutory organisations
- To develop better, more joined up mental health services for adults, children and young people in Ealing

FREQUENCY: 4 x 2hr meetings per year, plus lunch and informal networking

CHAIR: To be elected by the Forum- could be rotating or role- share

FORUM SUPPORT AND ADMIN: ECN

### MEMBERSHIP:

- VCS groups
- Ealing CCG
- West London Mental Health Trust
- LBE Adult Services
- LBE Children and Young People Services
- LBE Public Health
- LBE Adult Education
- LBE Employment Team
- Job Centre Plus
- Healthwatch
- Care Coordinators and Care Navigators
- Ealing Community Health Champions
- Representatives from mental health users

### DRAFT TERMS OF REFERENCE

To promote increased partnership working on local mental health issues

To develop better information, advice and signposting on local mental health support services

To develop better cross referrals for mental health users between VCS and statutory services

To support increased co-production and co-design of future mental health services for adults, children and young people

To support increased user involvement by local people with mental health issues

To develop Joint partnership work to address stigma issues around mental health (e.g. in some BME communities, older people, young LGBT people)

To organise joint information and outreach work (e.g. on Khat use)

To organise joint activities (e.g. for Mental Health Awareness Week)

To promote employment and volunteering by people with mental health issues

To develop joint training on mental health issues by statutory and VCS workforces

To develop new joint external funding bids around mental health support in Ealing

To coordinate referral of issues up to and down from the Mental Health Partnership Board