

North London Partnership Consortium Ltd (NLPC)



The North London Partnership Consortium Limited (NLPC), has been in operation since 2001, and was formally incorporated as an independent company limited by guarantee (without share capital) in May 2003. In the past 4 years NLPC has developed and delivered employment and training SRB; ESF and Equal projects; designed to meet identified community needs. The organisation has also undertaken various community research consultations and needs analysis; representing BME organisations on various partnerships and forums; assisting local organisations to access funding streams; and providing capacity building assistance and programme management support to voluntary and community organisations.

The consortium has a strong and increasing membership of BME community and voluntary organisations working with diverse communities at grass roots level.

Objectives:

NLPC was established to:

Promote the physical, educational, employment, training, enterprise, social and economic well-being of BME communities, including refugees and asylum seekers; and Enhance the quality of life, sense of belonging and active participation in the community of BME communities.

Examples of Current Projects

Volunteer and Student Placement Bureau

NLPC has since 2004 been operating a volunteer brokerage through which it helps disadvantaged people to gain access into the labour market; as well as promote community participation and cohesion.

NLPC has recently completed an ERF funded project to get refugees into volunteering as route to paid work by providing UK work experience and an opportunity to improve language skills where applicable.

Examples of Current Projects

Leadership Training

NLPC currently delivers a BME community leadership project. The leadership project enables unemployed BME local residents to gain greater understanding of community development, and acquire leadership skills. The project is a pathway into employment as well as providing opportunity for local residents to receive training that will enable them to participate effectively in the regeneration and renewal of their neighbourhoods. The qualification attained is accredited by the Open College Network, and is funded through the Learning Skills Council London North (ESF Co: Finance).

Job Eco-Systems

Provision of pathways into employment through advice, employability support, volunteering and Job interview Guarantees for unemployed BME local residents.

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NLPC has achieved Matrix standard accreditation and provides advice, information and guidance to enable its member organisations and individuals to improve their socio-economic status, and gain access to mainstream services.