



HIV and AIDS Prevention & Support Charities for African Communities in the United Kingdom

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empowering African communities affected by HIV



Foreword

The UK is home to approximately 500,000 black Africans (Census: 2001). Of that number, there are estimated to be 26,000 Africans living with HIV; the majority of whom reside in London (HPA: 2007).

The prevalence of diagnosed HIV in black African communities in England is estimated to be 3.7% compared to 0.09% among the white population. In 2007 there were 2,691 new HIV diagnoses among black Africans, representing 40% of all new diagnoses in the UK. The percentage of late diagnoses, that is after a point when treatment should have begun, among new diagnoses of HIV in 2007 was highest among black Africans (42%). (HPA: 2008)

African people living with HIV in the UK face significant and ongoing difficulties in relation to: employment and income, racism, immigration status, housing and living conditions. In addition, African people living with HIV experience anxiety, depression and low self-confidence. All these issues indicate that the needs of the UK African HIV community are complex and as such individuals are in need of a range of integrated health and social care services.

The issue of access to health services by Africans with HIV in the UK is a problematic one due to the current policy of dispersing asylum seekers, the restructuring of the NHS, and policies of not providing long-term treatment or care of HIV to overseas visitors. All these issues have placed undue pressure on HIV and AIDS prevention and support charities to fill the gaps in services despite their own difficulties with sustainability in an increasingly restrictive funding environment.

It is with this in mind that the African HIV Policy Network (AHPN) has commissioned a directory of organisations within the UK, which provide services to Africans.

This directory helps to map out: What services are being provided and indicates the geographical location of the HIV and AIDS prevention and support services.

If you would like your organisation or helpline to appear in the next edition of this directory or to amend the content about a specific listing, please complete the form in the appendix.



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Helplines



African AIDS Helpline

Services:

- Confidential advice and information on HIV and AIDS, confidential HIV testing, treatment and support and sexual health
- Written and audio resources information also available English, French, Shona Swahili and Luganda, Portuguese and Amharic

Telephone: 0800 096 7500

Free and confidential telephone service

Available: Monday to Friday, 10 am - 6 pm

English and French available at all times during Monday-Friday 10 am - 6 pm

Shona Tuesday and Wednesday 10 am - 6 pm

Swahili Thursday 10 am - 6 pm

Luganda Fridays 10 am - 6 pm

Managed by: Black Health Agency

Address: Zion Community Resource Centre, 339 Stretford Road Hulme, Manchester, M15 4ZY

Telephone: 0161 232 5393

Fax: 0161 226 9380

Email: aah@blackhealthagency.org.uk

Website: www.africaninengland.org.uk

National AIDS and Sexual Health Helpline

Services:

- Referral Advice about HIV and AIDS, sexual health, STD's, local services, clinics and support services

Telephone: 0800 567 123

Free and confidential telephone service (Calls may be charged if made from mobile phones).

Address: Sexual health line Freepost, Post box 4000, Glasgow, G3 X88

Available: 7 days a week, 24 hours a day

Website: www.condomessentialwear.co.uk

Body Positive North West

Services:

- Advice for anyone infected or affected by HIV in the UK

Address: 39 Russell Road, Whalley Road, Manchester, M16 8DH

Telephone: 0161 882 2200

Available: 7 days a week, 10 am - 10 pm

Switchboard: 0161 882 2200

Fax: 0161 882 2201

Email: info@bpnw.org.uk

Website: www.bpnw.org.uk

CWAC (Children With AIDS Charity)

Services:

- For the growing number of children in the UK living with HIV and AIDS. Provides information and advice about children and HIV and AIDS in the UK
- Provide direct financial support through a hardship and respite fund, day trips and group respite trips

Address: Calvert House, 5 Calvert Avenue, London, E2 7JP

Telephone: 0207 033 8620

Available: Monday to Friday, 9.30 am - 5.30 pm

Fax: 0207 739 3902

Email: info@cwac.org

Website: www.cwac.org

George House Trust

Services:

- Advice, support and information on anything about living with HIV
- Counselling
- Financial help

Address: 77 Ardwick Green North, Manchester, M12 6FX

Telephone: 0161 274 4499

Available: Monday to Friday, 9.30 am - 5 pm

Fax: 0161 274 4499

Email: advice@ght.org.uk

Website: www.ght.org.uk

HIV I-base

Services:

- For information and advice on HIV-related medication and treatment

Telephone: 0808 800 6013

Available: Monday to Friday, 10 am - 5 pm

Email: info@i-base.org.uk

Website: www.i-base.info

NAZ Project London

Services:

- Help and information on HIV and AIDS for South Asian, Middle Eastern, North African, Horn of African and Latin American communities, as well as Portuguese speaking communities

Address: Palingswick House, 241 King Street, London, W6 9LP

Telephone: 020 8741 1879

Available: Monday to Friday, 9 am - 5 pm

Fax: 020 8741 9609

Email: npl@naz.org.uk

Website: www.naz.org.uk

Positively Women

Services:

- Information on women and HIV to service users, staff, volunteers and the general public. Staffed by HIV positive women

Address: 347-349 City Road, London, EC1V 1LR

Telephone: 0207 713 0222

Available: Monday to Friday, 10 am - 4 pm

Email: info@positivelywomen.org.uk

Website: www.positivelywomen.org.uk

THT Direct

Services:

- A national gateway to HIV services, support and information

Telephone: 0845 122 1200

Available: Monday to Friday, 10 am - 10 pm; Saturday and Sunday, 12 pm - 6 pm

Email: info@tht.org.uk

England



LONDON BOROUGH

BARNET

Barnet African Health Organisation

Services:

- Training
- HIV prevention
- Advocacy
- Community care
- Youth development and training for African people with HIV and AIDS
- Community groups and workers

Address: 14 The Concourse, Graham Park, Colindale, London, NW9 5XA

Telephone: 020 8205 2060

Fax: 020 8205 5665

Email: info@baho.org.uk

BEXLEY

African Health for Empowerment and Development

(former names: AHEAD, Uganda Health Project)

Services:

- Prevention awareness, education and advice service regarding, HIV, AIDS and other sexual health issues
- Approachable and confidential walk-in HIV testing in the community every Tuesday evening
- Provide immigration advice for African people and asylum seekers
- Provide support to families of individuals infected or affected with HIV and AIDS
- Relieve sickness of those with HIV and AIDS via care, support and counselling
- Provides a supportive framework for African, Refugees and Black and Minority Ethnic groups within Greenwich, Bexley and Bromley Boroughs
- Provides advocacy/advice/information

Address: 1st Floor, 130 Powis Street, Woolwich, London, SE18 6NN

Telephone: 020 8317 0865

Fax: 020 8316 4042

Email: a.head@africanhealth.org.uk

Website: www.africanhealth.org.uk

Harbour Trust

Services:

- Support Groups for people living with HIV, women and gay men, carers and befrienders are available
- Advice and advocacy workers for people with HIV needing benefit advice or any other advice
- Help with hardship funds application
- Benefit advice
- Activity programmes for children who have a parent with HIV

Address: 9-11 Gunnery Terrace,
Royal Arsenal, Woolwich,
London, SE18 6SW

Telephone: 020 83018142

Fax: 020 83018149

Email: Harbour.trust@yahoo.co.uk /
edith_harbour.trust@yahoo.co.uk

Web Link: http://www.greenwich.gov.uk/cgi-bin/MsmGo.exe?grab_id=82&page_id=6383104&query=harbour+trust&hiword=HARBOUR S+TRUS+TRUSS+TRUSTED+TRUSTING+TRUSTS+harbour+trust+

BRENT

Hope Gate

(was HIV and AIDS Association of Zambia (HAAZ))

Services:

- Peer Support group activities and support for people living with HIV and AIDS
- Befriending and buddying for close personal and one-to-one support people living with HIV and AIDS
- Advice, advocacy and referrals services to assist in decisions involving treatment and available services
- Application assistance to Crusaid for hardship fund, referrals to solicitors for immigration, advice on social welfare issues, freedom pass etc

- Positive speakers group assist in campaigns for HIV primary prevention, sexual health awareness and education
- Training and seminars: assisting HIV positive people to plan and manage transition and realise their potential
- Positively Seniors Project: which is aimed at improving the quality of life of older people or senior citizens living with and affected by HIV

Address: Suite M17, Premier Business Centre, 47-49 Park Royal Road, London, NW10 7LD

Telephone: 020 8090 0424/5/6

Fax: 020 8181 4518

Email: info@hopegate.org.uk

Website: www.hopegate.org.uk

Community Health Action Trust

Services:

- Care and Support offered to Africans living with HIV and AIDS related diseases
- Meeting Room facilities available to hire
- Community link project, linking community HIV care services and support services to people living with HIV and AIDS
- Provides free HIV, diabetes, Chlamydia, and blood pressure test/screening
- Provide counselling for bereaved families and escorts to hospitals
- Provide advocacy
- Provide domestic duties such as general cleaning, laundry, dishwashing, kitchen cleaning etc

Address: Room 10-11 Moran House,
449-451 High Road, Willesden,
London, NW10 2JJ

Telephone: 020 8830 3392

Fax: 020 8451 0135

Email: William@chatrust.com /
admin@chatrust.com

Website: www.chatrust.com

Kenya Women's Association

Services:

- Poverty relief by providing advice and support on HIV and AIDS to Kenyans living in the UK
- To provide opportunity for Kenyans to associate into and obtain training in the areas of IT
- To provide advice and information to Kenyan refugees in the field of immigration, housing, education and training

Address: Worthington House,
229-451 High Road, Moran House,
London, NW10 2JJ

Telephone: 020 8459 4839

Email: kewa@btconnect.com

Website: www.kenyawomen.org.uk

The African Child

Services:

- Health promotion services for young people in NW London

Address: 449-451 Moran House,
Willesden High Road,
London, NW10 2JJ

Telephone: 020 8459 9033/9034

Fax: 020 8459 9078

Email: theafricanchild@ukonline.co.uk

Website: www.theafricanchild.org.uk

BROMLEY

Bromley Citizens Advice

Services:

- Advice and assistance for people with HIV and AIDS, their partners and families
- Money advice
- General legal issues
- Housing
- Workplace
- Home or hospital visits

Address: HIV and AIDS Service, Community
House, South Street, Bromley,
London, BR1 1RH

Telephone: 020 8315 1974

Fax: 020 8315 1969

Email: a.lawson@bromcab.org.uk

Great Lakes African Integration Network

Services:

- General sexual health
- Advice and support
- One-to-one counselling
- Group work
- Support groups
- Advice services
- Capacity building services such as:
IT, employment/career advice

Address: Suite 124B, 291 Kirk Dale,
London, SE26 4QN

Telephone: 020 8776 5781

Fax: 020 8776 6162

Email: amisbk@yahoo.co.uk

CAMDEN

African Communities Development Association

Services:

- Provide basic training in HIV prevention and sexual health
- Advocacy, adult guidance, peer support and advice
- Health promotion events
- Training and volunteering opportunities
- Social and cultural events

Address: Unit W2,
Metropolitan Business Centre,
Enfield Road, London, N1 5AZ

Telephone: 020 7254 7364

Email: acda3@yahoo.co.uk

Website: www.acda.org.uk

Africare

Services:

- Provide support group services for people living with HIV and AIDS
- Provide advocacy services for children and families affected by HIV and AIDS
- Provide information on treatments and HIV prevention
- Provide training of HIV service users to enable access of services
- Provide empowerment of people living with HIV to enable their involvement in the planning, development and delivery of services

Address: St. Paul's Church Centre,
Rossmore Road, London, N1 6NJ

Telephone: 020 7723 9283

Fax: 020 7723 0939

Email: info@africancarer.org

Website: www.africancarer.org

Body and Soul

Services:

- Provides a safe, supportive and confidential environment for children and families affected by and infected with HIV
- Provide Structured Support Session, allowing members to meet others affected by HIV and exchange vital support and information
- Provide after diagnosis counselling and support

Address: 99-119 Rosebery Avenue,
London, EC1R 4RE

Telephone: 020 7923 6880

Fax: 020 7278 370

Email: info@bodyandsoulcharity.co.uk

Website: www.bodyandsoulcharity.org

Congolese Action Group in the UK

Services:

- Information, advice, workshop on immigration
- Interpretation/translation
- HIV and AIDS health matters are referred to specialist outside the centre
- Housing, Welfare benefits, Education, Training and Employment

NOTE: Service is specific to French speaking Africans

Address: 11 Malden Road,
London, NW5 3HS

Telephone: 020 7485 8252

Fax: 020 7482 4763

Email: congostudent@aol.com;
info@assadep.org

Website: www.assadep.org

Ethiopian Health Support Association (ETHSA)

Services:

- Health promotion activities, including HIV and AIDS awareness
- Promotion of the mental well-being of Ethiopian refugees and asylum seekers in the UK

Address: Priory House, Kingsgate Place,
London, NW6 4TA

Telephone: 020 7419 1972

Fax: 020 7619 2385

Email: admin@ethsa.co.uk

Website: www.ethsa.com

Great Nile Trust

Services:

- Support and welfare in teenage pregnancy, health promotion, culture promotion and youth activities
- Help with advice and support for people living with or affected by HIV and AIDS
- Skills enhancement leading to employment including computer access, IT training, excursions and workshops

Address: Unit W004,
Metropolitan Business Centre,
Enfield Road, De Beauvoir,
London, N1 5AZ

Telephone: 020 7923 4356

Fax: 020 7923 9760

Email: greatniletrust@yahoo.co.uk

Plan International UK

Services:

- Assists children in poverty
- Education
- Emergencies
- Rights of children with HIV and AIDS

Address: 5-6 Underhill Street,
London, NW1 7HS

Telephone: 020 7482 9777

Fax: 020 7482 9778

Email: john.pinchard@plan-
international.org

Website: www.plan-uk.org

The CARA Trust

Services:

- The relief of sickness by the provision of pastoral care, support and advice for people living with or affected by HIV
- The promotion and facilitation of theological and spiritual reflection upon HIV and its impact on individuals and society
- Relief to people who have lost a loved one to HIV and AIDS
- The advancement of education and training for individuals and faith communities wishing to offer spiritual, emotional and practical support to people living with or affected by HIV
- Social, spiritual and emotional support
- Advice and advocacy
- Financial support applications
- Complementary therapies
- Retreats and social activities
- Counselling
- Home and hospital visiting
- Provides information library and information visits

Address: St. Andrew's Methodist Church,
240 Lancaster Road,
London, W11 4AH

Telephone: 020 7243 6147

Fax: 020 7243 5821

Email: mail@caralife.com

Website: www.caralife.com

CROYDON

African Culture Promotions (ACP)

Services:

- HIV health promotion through outreach & community projects
- Educational programs for young people
- Cross-cultural awareness courses for health/social practitioners
- Publications highlighting African issues
- Annual conferences for different client groups

Address: Grosvenor Suite 6, Justin Plaza
3, 341 London Road,
Mitcham, CRE 4BE

Telephone: 020 8687 0339

Fax: 020 8640 5728

Email: getrudeothieno@hotmail.com

African Health for Empowerment and Development (AHEAD)

Services:

- Access to primary HIV and AIDS prevention for Africans in London
- Provides health promotion advocacy and support services for Africans affected by HIV and AIDS

Address: 1st Floor, 130 Powis Street,
Woolwich, London, SE18 6NN

Telephone: 020 8317 0865

Fax: 020 8316 4042

Email: ahead@africanhealth.org.uk

Website: www.africanhealth.org.uk

Croydon Somali Community Association

Services:

- Advice and information on the prevention and treatment of HIV and AIDS
- Advice on welfare benefits, housing and immigration
- Escorts to hospitals
- Interpreting, translation and counselling
- Home care service
- General Health Care, Advocacy, Housing Information, Education, Advice, HIV awareness and Welfare advice

Address: Cornerstone House, 14 Willis Road,
Croydon, London, CR0 2XX

Telephone: 020 8665 0921

Fax: 020 8665 1972

Email: cscsa512@hotmail.com

Children With AIDS Charity (CWAC)

Services:

- Help children infected or affected by HIV and AIDS with the aim of ensuring that children and their families lead as near normal lives as possible
- Small Grant Scheme/Holiday
- Transport Service
- Education Service
- Workshops for schools, colleges and youth groups on HIV awareness
- Work experience for young people infected or affected by HIV and AIDS

Address: 5 Calvert Avenue,
London, E2 7JP

Telephone: 020 7033 8620

Fax: 020 7739 3902

Email: info@cwac.org

Website: www.cwac.org

South London Congolese Association

Services:

- Advice and information for African refugees and asylum seekers from French speaking countries, particularly those from the former Zaire
- Services include benefits, child protection, domestic violence, employment, and health, housing rights, finding accommodation, immigration/nationality and HIV and AIDS prevention. Translation and interpreting service
- Hospital and prison visits
- Mother tongue classes

Address: 118 Windmill Road, Croydon, Surrey, CR0 2XQ

Telephone: 020 8664 8657

Fax: 020 8665 5275

Email: solca95@yahoo.co.uk

Thornton Heath CAB HIV & AIDS Project

Services:

- Benefits
- Money problems
- Housing
- Employment and
- Legal information, advice and advocacy for people affected by HIV and AIDS

Address: Strand House, Zion Road, Croydon, CR7 8RG

Telephone: 020 8684 2236

Fax: 020 8683 5204

Website: www.croydoncab.org.uk

EALING

National Institute of African Studies (NIAS)

Services:

- Runs courses, regular seminars and workshops on HIV and AIDS
- Group work and outreach activities to raise awareness of HIV and its prevention
- Carries out and takes part in research
- Involved in consultancy on HIV policy work

Address: 12 Broomfield Road, London, W13 9AP

Telephone: 020 8579 7011

Fax: 084 5230 4855

Email: training@nias.info

Website: www.africanstudies.org.uk

West London Centre for Counselling

Services:

- Counselling to anyone working or living in Ealing, Hammersmith & Fulham or Hounslow who has been affected by HIV
- Drug and alcohol service
- Disability service
- Service for carers

Address: 137a Coningham Road, London, W12 8BU

Telephone: 020 8743 8060

Fax: 020 8743 8366

Email: wrcounselling@aol.com

ENFIELD

African Family Together Association

Services:

- Focused on developing project activities to respond to the needs of the community
- Care & counselling
- Provides advocacy/advice/information

Address: The Progress Centre,
54 Alexandra Road, Enfield,
Middlesex, EN3 7AY

Telephone: 020 8371 1755

Fax: 020 8443 4287

Email: aftassociation@yahoo.co.uk

Website: www.aftassociation.org.uk

African Francophone Community Association (AFCA)

Services:

- Support to African French-speaking people, mostly asylum seekers and refugees, who need assistance, advice and guidance to enable them to make a smooth transition into living in the UK
- AFCA also provides a translation and interpreting service
- Advocacy
- Home and hospital visits
- Education in HIV and AIDS awareness

Address: 3rd Floor The Irish Centre,
Pretoria Road, Tottenham
London, N17 8DX

Telephone: 020 808 0249

Fax: 020 8808 0999

Email: info@francophone.co.uk

Website: www.francophone.co.uk

African Women's Welfare Association (AWWA)

Services:

- Training
- Health
- Counselling, advice and information

Address: 41 North Square,
Edmonton Green,
Edmonton, London, N9 0HY

Telephone: 020 8884 3922

Fax: 020 8884 3922

Email: awwa@btconnect.com

Website: www.africanwomen.co.uk

African Women's Welfare Group

Services:

- Create opportunities for African/refugee women and families in the areas of health improvement, life skills, education and training, and personal development in order to facilitate their full integration into the wider community
- ESOL classes
- A group for women with children aged 0 - 4 years
- A Refugee Project and a Refugee Mental Health Project
- They also campaign to raise awareness of female genital mutilation and its health implications

Address: c/o 594 High Road,
London, N17 9TA

Telephone: 020 8885 5822

Email: awwg.org@btconnect.com

Angolan Advice and Information Centre

Services:

- Advice, information and assistance to Angolan Nationals and other minority ethnic communities in Greater London on matters such as immigration, housing, welfare benefits, employment and training, health and education
- Outreach work by visiting clients at home or in hospital, and by accompanying clients to welfare offices, doctors, solicitors, schools and the Home Office
- The Centre also provides an interpreting and translation service

Address: Imperial House,
64 Willoughby Lane,
Tottenham, London, N17 0SP

Telephone: 020 8808 1255

Fax: 020 8885 3471

Email: info@w-lac.org.uk

Website: www.w-lac.org.uk

Cabinda Community Association

Services:

- Advice and information on immigration buy telephone and drop in service
- Advice, guidance and information on health - in particular HIV awareness
- Distribute free condoms to service users
- Advice and referrals relating to drug and other substance abuse
- Advice and guidance to families and children on issues of child abuse
- Interpreting for clients in all situations
- Translation for all individuals as well as documentation

- Advocacy relating to clients with mental illness
- Explanation of contracts and other related legal matters related to everyday living in Haringey

Address: Selby Centre, Selby Road,
Tottenham, London, N17 8JL

Telephone: 020 8808 6115

Fax: 020 8808 7226

Email: jose.labila@yahoo.com

Website: www.cabinda.co.uk

Ethiopian Community Centre in the UK

Services:

- Information, advice and guidance on many issues, including: housing, education and training, welfare benefits, and health related issues
- They also provide IT and ESOL training and organise a variety of projects including an HIV project, youth support project, radio project etc

Address: Selby Centre, Selby Road,
Tottenham, London, N17 8JL

Telephone: 020 8801 9224

Fax: 020 8801 0244

Email: alimesfin@hotmail.com /
post@eccuk.org,

Website: www.eccuk.org

Enfield African Association

Services:

- Offers Africans living in the borough advice and assistance on matters such as welfare, health, housing, employment and education
- Acts as a referral agency for enquiries that the association cannot deal with themselves

Address: 161 Hertford Road,
Edmonton, London, N9 7EL

Telephone: 020 8803 2561

Fax: 020 8803 2561

Enfield HIV Centre - UMOJA

Services:

- Drop in service for Africans living in Enfield who are infected or affected by HIV
- A range of facilities including presentations on HIV, African meals, a crèche and care and support

Address: 53 Lancaster Road, Enfield,
London, EA2 0AB

Telephone: 020 8363 2141

Fax: 020 8366 6650

Email: thehouse@dircon.co.uk

Nehanda Black Women's Organization

Services:

- Health awareness seminars
- Personal development workshops
- Parenting, career development, and Black history courses
- Counselling sessions
- Female friendly space

Address: The Portacabin, Knights Lane,
Edmonton, London, N9 0PD

Email: nehandabworg@aol.com

Website: www.nehanda.org.uk

O - BAY Community Trust For Nigerians

Services:

- Free, confidential and impartial advice
- Offers representation in matters such as debt, welfare rights, housing, health, education, training and employment
- Homework and after school club, a weekend tuition scheme, and crèche service
- ESOL in English and mother tongue, youth music and drama development and a City and Guilds certified course in PC maintenance

Address: Broad House, 205 Fore Street,
Edmonton, London, N18 2TZ

Telephone: 020 8807 6252/ 07940 596548

Email: ade_adeshina@hotmail.com

Website: www.o-bay.org

Samafal Somali Women's Association

Services:

- To help Somali women refugees and asylum seekers and their families
- Information and support on matters such as health and welfare, immigration and education
- Aims to bridge the gap between the Somali community in Enfield and service professionals

Address: Unit 9,
Claverings Industrial Estate,
Montagu Road, Edmonton,
London, N9 0AP

Fax: 020 8373 2679

Email: kaltunalec@yahoo.co.uk

Sierra Leone Family Welfare Association

Services:

- Advice and information for refugees and asylum seekers from Sierra Leone and other parts of West Africa on: welfare rights, housing, health and community care and immigration
- Translation and interpreting
- Befriending, outreach work and support for people who are ill, disabled, housebound and isolated
- Counselling, drop in service, and visits for detainees in detention centres
- Information on current political and social issues in Africa
- Seminars, conferences, signposting, referral, networking and partnership
- Project for unaccompanied minors, mentoring/life skills supports for unaccompanied asylum seeking children (15 - 18 years old)
- Basic literacy, IT and Numeracy skills (15 - 18 years old)

Address: Chestnut Art and Community Centre, 280 St Ann's Road, West Green, Tottenham, London, N15 5BN

Telephone: 020 8211 7001

Fax: 020 8211 7849

Email: slfwacharity@aol.com

Website: www.slfgwa.org.uk

Somali Enfield Community and Cultural Association (SECCA)

Services:

- Help in the resettlement of the Somali community living in the London Borough of Enfield
- They offer information and advice on matters such as welfare benefits, education, health and other community development related issues
- They have an established youth and sports project

Address: Community House, 311 Fore Street, Edmonton, London, N9 0PZ

Telephone: 020 8373 6207

Fax: 020 8373 6340

Email: seccalink@hotmail.com

Support for Children with HIV

Services:

- Works with families where a member of the family is HIV positive to deal with any immediate problems and to help the family plan for the longer term care of children

Address: Edmonton Centre, 36-44 South Mall, Edmonton, London, N9 0TN

Telephone: 020 8379 2483

Fax: 020 8379 2595

GREENWICH

African Welfare Organisation

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, diabetes, stroke, cancer & immigration advice
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work, support groups & advice services
- Written information produced such as newsletter & leaflets
- Capacity building by way of employment/ career advice

Address: 79 College Park Close, Lewisham, London, SE13 5EZ

Telephone: 020 8318 0888

Fax: 020 8297 0717

Email: g.oshevire@btinternet.com

Centre for Women's Career Development and Integration

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, general sexual health, teenage pregnancy, diabetes, coronary heart disease, parenting issues, immigration advice & provides services for women's career development and success
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work, support groups & advice services
- Written information produced such as leaflets
- Capacity building by way of IT services, employment/career advice business skills, creative arts, building career development & confidence in women

Address: Bilt Mansions,
4-16 Deptford Bridge,
Deptford, London, SE8 4HH

Telephone: 020 8691 8437

Fax: 020 8691 8437

ETTA Community Hall

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, general sexual health, teenage pregnancy, diabetes & stroke
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work & support groups
- Written information produced such as newsletter, leaflets & posters
- Capacity building by way of IT services

Address: Gosterwood St., London, SE8 5TP

Telephone: 020 8694 6065

Email: hinda@lewishamsomali.org

Somali Healthcare and Advocacy Services

Services:

- Healthcare and advocacy services mainly to people of Somali origin (not exclusively)
- Raising awareness of health issues, providing support, advice, care and health education
- The service has access to interpreters

Address: c/o 6 The Willows,
Cogleston Grove,
London, SE18 7LG

Telephone: 07905 277865

Email: info@somalihealthcare.org

Website: www.somalihealthcare.org

West African Network Initiative (WANI)

Services:

- Uptake of HIV testing services
- Partnership targeting outreach to West African communities via African business, social networks, workshops etc

Address: Bilt Mansions,
4-16 Deptford Bridge,
Deptford, London, SE8 4HH

Telephone: 020 8201 3265

Email: serckwani@hotmail.com

HACKNEY

Busoga Association UK

Services:

- To promote culture, health and social care, offer advice and representation on immigration and welfare benefit matters
- Training in IT, volunteering, skills towards employment, workshops and one to one work as well as outreach work

Address: Unit A003,
Metropolitan Business Centre,
Enfield Road,
London, N1 5AZ

Telephone: 020 7923 4147 / 077 1920 4454

Fax: 020 7923 4179

Email: busoga1@btconnect.com

Black Women's Health and Family Support (BWHAFS)

(formerly known as London Black Women's Health Action Project)

Services:

- HIV and AIDS & general sexual health
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work, support groups & advice services
- Written information produced such as leaflets & posters
- Provides information in English and Somali
- Support offered to other organisations include training, advice & written information

Address: 1st Floor, 82 Russia Lane,
London, E2 9LU

Telephone: 020 8980 3503

Fax: 020 8980 6414

Email: bwhafs@btconnect.com

Website: www.bwhafs.com

Congolese Youth Association

Services:

- Works to benefit Congolese and other speaking young people aged from 12 to 25
- Congolese Family Support Services Project which provides advice, assistance and support to selected Congolese parents and their children (aged 8 - 16) who are experiencing difficulties at school due to the language barrier
- Saturday homework assistance and tuition is also provided

Address: Unit C6, 3 Bradbury Street,
Dalston, London, N16 8JN

Telephone: 020 7923 0333

Fax: 020 7249 6888

Email: admin@congoyouthassoc.org.uk

Website: www.congoyouthassoc.org.uk

Generation Roots

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, general sexual health, teenage pregnancy & immigration advice
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work, support groups & advice services
- Written information produced such as posters
- Provided information on health and nutrition

Address: 19 Eastdown House, Amhurst Rd.,
London, E8 2AT

Telephone: 020 7275 8782

Fax: 020 7275 8782

Email: generationroots2@yahoo.co.uk

Ifteen Somali Women's Association

Services:

- Information on welfare benefits
- To provide advice & information on issues that are of concern to community members e.g. HIV and AIDS, education, health & training
- To provide interpretation services & free legal advice & debt counselling

Address: 14 Jacaranda Grove, Hackney,
London, E8 3BA

African Francophone Refugee Association in the UK

Services:

- To relieve poverty hardship and sickness of refugees and asylum seekers from African French and Portuguese speakers and to advance education of the public in particular refugees and asylum seekers

Address: Clapton Business Centre,
107 Downs Road,
Hackney, London, E5 8DS

Telephone: 020 8986 5255 / 020 8214 1474

Email: nzambemalamu@compuserve.com

West African Health Initiative

Services:

- HIV and AIDS & sexual health services for West Africans

Address: NHAP, City Gate House,
246-250 Romford Road,
Forest Gate, London, E7 9HZ

Telephone: 020 8221 4560

Fax: 020 82214561

Email: calebdafe@yahoo.com

HAMMERSMITH AND FULHAM

NAZ Project London

Services:

- Campaigning for more inclusive services
- Challenging myths and prejudices that exist about our communities and within our communities
- Educate and empower our communities to face up to the challenges of AIDS
- Mobilise family and support networks that exist to care for people living with HIV and AIDS
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: Palingswick House,
241 King Street,
London, W6 9LP

Telephone: 020 8741 1879

Fax: 020 8741 9609

Email: npl@naz.org.uk

Website: www.naz.org.uk

The River House

Services:

- Integrated range of services and holistic support to local individuals affected by HIV and AIDS
- AKAIRAH (African, Caribbean, Asian Issues Relating to HIV and AIDS)
- A drop-in centre for HIV positive Black communities incorporating cultural or genetic needs. Services include: healthcare, benefits, complimentary therapies, immigration etc
- Providing Sexual Health Screening every Wednesday evening

Address: Furnivall Gardens,
off Rutland Grove,
London, W6 9DJ

2nd Address: PO box 3343, London, W6 9FE

Telephone: 020 8753 5190

Fax: 020 8846 9745

Email: info@riverhousetrust.org.uk

Website: www.riverhousetrust.org.uk

HARINGEY

African Women's Welfare Group

Services:

- Provide health services for women in refugee communities in North London. This includes both advocacy and negotiating services
- Provide support and care service for women who have been circumcised. This is in addition to prevention work within communities who participate in the practise
- Provide informative and preventative information for HIV and AIDS within the African community

HOUNSLOW

Hounslow African Health Project (HAHP)

Services:

- Health promotion & health education
- Information, support, advice & advocacy
- IT skills
- Translation services
- Housing and Welfare Benefits

Address: Offices 7/8, Alexandra House,
241 High Street, Brentford,
TW8 8AH

Telephone: 020 8580 1046

Fax: 020 8758 1789

Email: hounslowafricahp@yahoo.co.uk

Zimbabwean Women's Network UK

Services:

- Facilitates the full integration and re-settlement of Zimbabwean women and their families in the UK
- To identify, collect and disseminate information and raise awareness among our community on: poverty, ill health, HIV and AIDS, mental health, domestic violence, and injustice being experienced by Zimbabwean communities in London and across England

Address: Suite 1.1 Coomb House,
7 St John's Road, Isleworth,
TW7 6NH

Telephone: 020 8847 2244

Fax: 020 8847 0077

Email: Info@zimwomenuk.org /
zimwomenuk@aol.com

Website: www.zimwomenuk.org

- Provide flexible and continual care for infected and affected families (as a unit) to lead as near a normal life as possible
- Provide support and language interpreting service to girls and young adults within the refugee community to adjust to new culture and make the transition into adulthood

Address: 594 Tottenham High Road,
London, N17 9TA

Telephone: 020 8885 5822

Fax: 020 8801 5266

Website: www.africanwww.nlpctd.org.uk

ZACCA – Zairean and Congolese Community Association

Services:

- Advice and information for refugees and asylum seekers on HIV and AIDS awareness and prevention as well as immigration, housing and education

Address: Selby Road,
London, N17 8JL

Telephone: 020 8365 1665

Fax: 020 8885 4008

Email: zaccalisanga@yahoo.co.uk

Website: www.zacca-lisanga.co.uk

HARROW

Ebika Bya Baganda E Bungereza

Services:

- Workshops and seminars on health issues, especially HIV and AIDS
- Develops and disseminates HIV and AIDS information in Luganda

Address: 39 Augustine, Harrow Weald,
Middlesex, HA3 5NS

Telephone: 020 8428 9553 or 07956 455133

Email: bikabyabaganda@aol.com

ISLINGTON

African HIV Policy Network (AHPN)

Services:

- Engages and challenges policies that are unresponsive of the health, potential and productivity of Africans living with or affected with HIV in areas such as HIV testing, access to HIV treatment, deportation of people living with HIV as well as stigma and discrimination
- Advocates for multi-sectoral collaboration involving local, regional and international organisations
- Leadership to its member organisations and forums on strategic thinking, setting up negotiations with primary care trusts and local authorities
- Showcases and promotes the local work and events of local organisations
- Information dissemination to and from people living with HIV, member organisations, the statutory sector, policy makers, funders and other organisations with an interest in HIV and sexual health

Address: 196 Old St., New City Cloisters,
London, EC1V 9FR

Telephone: 020 7017 8910

Fax: 020 7017 8919

Email: info@ahpn.org

Websites: www.ahpn.org,
www.nahip.org.uk,
www.doitright.uk.com

African Swahili Community Project

Services:

- Support, advice and counselling to the African through outreach and drop in services, thus raising awareness and their profile in the wide community
- Information and advice on health, HIV and AIDS, mental health, drug and alcohol abuse. It provides information, advice, support and referrals on housing, immigration, employment, welfare benefits, education and training

Address: 1b Waterloo Road,
London, N19 5NJ

Telephone: 020 7281 1859

Fax: 020 7281 9164

Email: unduguasrep@hotmail.com

Website: www.refugees-online.org.uk

African Women and Children Support Organisation

Services:

- HIV Prevention & workshops
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information
- Women's skills training, employment access, ESOL, IT

Address: Manor Gardens Welfare Trust,
6-9 Manor Gardens,
London, N7 6LA

Telephone: 020 7263 0318

Fax: 020 7263 0318

Email: awacco.s@btopenworld.com

Community of Malian Refugees

Services:

- Assistance for new arrivals with accommodation, health & welfare benefits
- Advice and information on immigration, housing & welfare benefits
- Services for refugees
- Advice or referrals for STIs, HIV and AIDS

Address: 92 Talbot House, Harvest Estate, Hornsey Road, London, N7 7LU

Telephone: 07903 411405

Email: hassandiabate@yahoo.co.uk

Congolese Community Council

Services:

- HIV prevention information
- Information on housing, benefits, employment, immigration and mental health

Address: 86 Durham Road, Finsbury Park, London, N7 7DU

Telephone: 020 7561 7480

Fax: 020 7561 7485

Email: izrg_coordinator@yahoo.co.uk

Links Community Development

Services:

- Education
- Capacity building
- To facilitate partnerships between European and African education sectors for mutually beneficial learning and development
- Provide information regarding HIV, AIDS and Sexual Transmitted Infections

Address: Unit 39 Kings Exchange Business Village, Tileyard Road, London, N7 9AH

Telephone: 020 7691 1818

Fax: 020 7209 4167

Email: link@lcd.org.uk

Website: www.lcd.org.uk

Organization of HIV Positive African Men (OPAM)

Services:

- To provide a secure, appropriate, culturally sensitive forum for men and their families from African backgrounds to meet and discuss matters of common concern, & to fight stigma resulting from HIV and AIDS with in the community
- To advance sound sexual health education to reduce the spread and transmission of HIV and STIs among African communities
- To liaise effectively and appropriately with statutory, local authorities, PCTs and voluntary health and social care providers to facilitate optimum care to African men and their families

Address: Manor Gardens Centre, 6-9 Manor Gardens, off Holloway Road, London, N7 6LA

Telephone: 020 7281 2254/ 020 7923 4744

Fax: 020 7241 1085

Email: opam.org@btconnect.com

Positively Women

Services:

- Peer support
- Support services for women and children affected by HIV

Address: 347-349 City Road,
London, EC1V 1LR

Telephone: 020 7713 0222 / 020 7713 0444

Fax: 020 7713 1020

Email: info@positivelywomen.org.uk

Website: www.positivelywomen.org.uk

The International Community of Women Living with HIV and AIDS

Services:

- Works to promote the voices and improve the situation of HIV positive women throughout the world
- Do not offer advice & information to women living with HIV and AIDS, refer enquiries to "Positively Women"
- Sponsors or undertakes research
- Acts as umbrella or resource body

Address: Unit 6, Building 1,
Canonbury Yard,
190a New North Road,
London, N1 7BJ

Telephone: 020 7704 0606

Fax: 020 7704 8070

Email: info@icw.org

Website: www.icw.org

KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA

Lighthouse West London

Services:

- African Day - every 2 months
- Complementary Therapies
- Welfare Rights Advice
- Drop-in activities and services & Community Support Service
- Job Placement Scheme and Adult Guidance Support
- HIV testing - results within 1 hour & Recently Diagnosed Course
- Gay men's group
- Recently diagnosed course

Address: 111-117 Lancaster Road,
London, W11 1QT

Telephone: 020 7792 1200

Fax: 020 7229 1258

Email: info@ttht.org.uk

Website: www.tthtlighthouse.org.uk

Organization for the Advancement of African Women

Services:

- Provide information and support to assist with Health care, Social promotion, Employment support and access to training

Address: Canalside House,
383 Ladbroke Grove,
London, W10 5AA

Telephone: 020 8964 8884 / 07932 005 235

Fax: 020 7352 6415

Email: orgaaw@aol.com

Website: www.orgaaw.co.uk

Youth Projects International (YPI)

Services:

- Advocacy, advice & information
- Provide outreach programs to university within Hammersmith & Fulham, and Westminster
- Make available condoms for distribution to individuals 16 years old and over
- Provide Chlamydia screen for young adults
- Provide health education and training to the target group as a means of creating more awareness and a healthier community
- Address, inform and advise on teenage pregnancy, housing and homelessness, immigration, legal advice drug use and issues related to drug use among young people

Address: 111-117 Lancaster Road,
London, W11 1QT

Telephone: 020 7727 6990

Fax: 020 7727 5255

Mobile: 0795 822 3911

Email: earoda@hotmail.com

KINGSTON-UPON-THAMES

African Families Support Services

Services:

- Provide one to one support to people and their families who are affected with HIV and AIDS. This is done through home, hospital; drop in visits and focus groups
- Provide support and focus groups to discuss issues relating to HIV prevention, sexual health and social care for people affected with HIV and AIDS and their families
- They accept referrals and sign posting from professionals, community people, families, and friends and self-referrals users to enable them address issues, get support and access to other services

Address: Unit 1 & 1a Endeavour House,
2 Cambridge Road, Kingston,
Surrey, KT1 3JU

Telephone: 020 8974 9993 / 020 8574 0993

Fax: 020 8547 3139

Email: sophie@afss.org / info@afss.org

Website: www.afss.org.uk

Kingston, Richmond, and Surrey African Positive Outlook

Services:

- Education in the subject of HIV and AIDS and its prevention
- Specialist facilities and support services not normally provided by statutory authorities
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: Rm. 20, United Reformed
Church, Eden St.,
Kingston-upon-Thames, KT1 1HZ

Telephone: 020 8546 1671

Fax: 020 8546 1671

Email: africanpositiveoutlook@yahoo.
co.uk

Website: www.krsapo.org

LAMBETH

ARCHRO (African Refugee Community Health and Research)

Services:

- Sexual health awareness
- Distributes condoms
- Advice, advocate and inform community regarding sexual health information
- Organise outreach programs for youths

Address: 365 Brixton Road,
London, SW9 7DA

Telephone: 020 7737 6019 / 020 7733 0125

Email: norbert@archro.org;
info@ archro.org

Website: www.archro.org

Gay Men Fighting AIDS

Services:

- GMFA is an organisation for all gay men which offers peer education, workshops and assertiveness training

Address: GMFA, Unit 43,
The Eurolink Business Centre,
49 Effra Road, Brixton,
London, SW2 1BZ

Telephone: 020 7738 6872

Email: matthew.hodson@gmfa.org.uk;
londonservices@gmfa.org.uk

Website: www.gmfa.org.uk

MDC Training and Consultancy

Services

- Organise training and seminars on sexual health such as assertiveness training for young people, and the Knowledge, the Will and the Power for practitioners and commissioners of HIV prevention work
- Disseminate HIV prevention information
- Consultancy in shaping HIV prevention campaigns in collaboration with the NAHIP partners

Email: mdc.training@hotmail.co.uk

SHAKA Services

Services:

- Provide training, education and advice to promote better sexual health awareness
- Provide seamless primary sexual health prevention services (e.g. providing condoms to the general public)
- Provide cultural and linguistic appropriate HIV and AIDS and Sexual Health prevention services
- Provide HIV and AIDS and STIs and their prevention through: Sexual Health Workshops/Training; peer education training programme for young people; community peer education and training; Outreach services, advisory literature and condom distribution; programmes on drugs and risky sexual practises; health advice, secondary infection prevention and peer education for those living with and affected by HIV and AIDS

Address: 38-40 Kennington Park Road,
London, SE11 4RS

Telephone: 020 7735 6744

Fax: 020 7091 0784

Email: info@shakaservices.org.uk

Website: www.shakaservices.org.uk

SOLUCIA

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, general sexual health, teenage pregnancy, parenting issues, housing advice, employment advice, immigration advice, mental health services
- Provide referral services
- Capacity building by way of employment/ career advice, creative arts
- Offers support to other organisations in the form of training, advice, written information

Address: 209 Clapham Road,
London, SW9 0QH

Telephone: 020 7737 7445

Fax: 020 7737 7445

Email: solution@solucia.org

Youth Matters Global Network

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, general sexual health, teenage pregnancy, diabetes, sickle cell, coronary heart, disease, stroke, cancer, parenting issues, housing advice, immigration advice
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work, support groups, advice services
- Written information produced such as leaflets, posters, and produces information in English & Swahili. Information on safe sex, education for adolescents, HIV and AIDS counselling, motherhood, family planning
- Capacity building by way of IT services, employment/career advice, business skills, creative arts

Address: 118a Cricklade Avenue,
Streatham Hill, London,
SW2 3HH

Telephone: 020 8678 5286

Email: marieproperty@btinternet.com

ZHANA Productions

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, diabetes, sickle cell, coronary heart disease, stroke, cancer, parenting issues
- Advice and support including group work, support groups, advice services, emotional support
- Offers support to other organisations in the form of training, advice, written information

Address: P.O Box 12156, London, SE5 8ZJ

Telephone: 020 7703 2526

Email: mailto:zhana2002@hotmail.com

Website: www.blacksuccess1.com

LEWISHAM

Anyadwe Children and Family Welfare Association

Services:

- The organisation's aim and objectives are to provide services and activities in the areas of Education, Health, Culture and Heritage to the Luo/African Refugees and Black Ethnic Minority living in the London Boroughs of Lewisham, Southwark, Lambeth and the surrounding Boroughs
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: 52 Deptford Broadway, Deptford,
London, SE8 4PH

Telephone: 07983 698342

Email: anyadwe@children.fslife.co.uk,
julielisa@fsmail.net

Lewisham Community Action For Integration

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, general sexual health, teenage pregnancy, parenting issues, housing advice, immigration advice, youth education and training programs, seminars, conferences, community development support
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work, support groups, advice services
- Written information produced such as newsletter, leaflets, posters
- Capacity building by way of IT services, employment/career advice, business skills, creative arts
- Offers support to other organisations in the form of training, advice, written information

Address: 4-16 Bilt Mansions,
Deptford Bridge,
London, SE8 4HH
2nd floor, showroom, HE Olby,
307-313 Lewisham High St,
London, SE13 6NW

Telephone: 020 8465 9690, 020 8690 6381

Fax: 020 8465 9690, 020 8690 6381

Email: florylumeka@hotmail.com,
lewishamphone@yahoo.co.uk

Website: www.lfarc.org.uk

Positive Place

Services:

- A range of high quality and relevant services that enable people living with or affected by HIV and AIDS to lead a rich and fulfilling life in society

Address: 52 Deptford Broadway, Deptford,
London, SE8 4PH

Telephone: 020 8694 9988

Fax: 020 8694 9900

Email: info@thepositiveplace.org.uk
alicemugabo@thepositiveplace.
org.uk, enquiries@
thepositiveplace.org.uk

Website: www.thepositiveplace.org.uk

The Ernest Foundation

Services:

- To carry out activities and projects that will bring support and relief to people living with HIV and AIDS and other related diseases among the Ghanaian community and others in England, Wales and Ghana

Address: 45 Cardiff House,
Peckham Park Road,
London, SE15 6TT

Email: theernestfoundation@
hotmail.com

NEWHAM

Congolese Refugee Women's Association

Services:

- Advice and information for Congolese and French speaking African refugees and asylum seekers
- Work with women and children, family support work. Advocacy and assistance in accessing services
- Health promotion work with an emphasis on HIV and drug misuse
- Vocational and careers guidance
- Translation and interpreting
- Children's activities, homework club and supplementary school

Address: Durning Hall Community Centre, Earlam Grove, Forest Gate, London, E7 9AB

Telephone: 020 8534 4222

Fax: 020 8534 4222

Email: crwa65@hotmail.com

CORECOG (The Community of Congolese Refugees in Great Britain)

Services:

- Provides counselling, advice and support for African people with HIV, with a focus on French speaking Africans
- Leaflets & ESOL training
- HIV testing
- Advocacy & support

Address: Stephen Lawrence House, 90 Greengate Street, Plaistow, London, E13 0AS

Telephone: 020 8541 5921 / 07939 121845

Fax: 020 8541 5921

Email: wgpambu@aol.com

Website: www.corecog.org.uk

Inter-African Women's Development Organisation

Services:

- To create opportunities for African women, supporting, empowering and making a difference in their lives

Address: Room 7, Durning Hall Community Centre, 14 St. Georges Road, Forest Gate, London, E7 9AB

Telephone: 020 8555 5017

Fax: 020 8221 4561

Email: iawdo@yahoo.co.uk

Website: www.iawdo.org

Newham HIV Advocacy Project

Services:

One-to-one advocacy services to African children and families living with or affected by HIV and AIDS, who live in Newham. Provide information and advice on:

- Health and social care services
- Representation and support at case conferences, review meetings, Social Services and the Housing department, hospitals, benefit agencies and other organisations
- They also provide outreach in homes and hospital, interpretation and translation services

Address: Durning Hall Community Centre, Earlam Grove, Forest Gate, London, E7 9AB

Telephone: 020 8534 9691

Fax: 020 8534 9918

Email: jacinto.dasilva@newham.gov.uk

One World Foundation

Services:

- Provide information regarding HIV and AIDS
- Education and create community support groups depending on demand at a given time
- Provide referral information

Address: Unit 114 Burford Business Centre, 11 Burford Road, Stratford, London, E15 2ST

Telephone: 020 8555 0788

Fax: 020 8522 6662

Email: info@oneworldfoundation.org.uk

Website: www.oneworldfoundation.co.uk

Positive East

Services:

- Provides a free and confidential counselling and psychotherapy service for people affected by HIV who live in or receive clinical care in East London
- Perform Community HIV Testing
- Provide African specific information and assistance, to assist with cultural differences
- Provide advice service in Welfare Rights, Housing, Asylum/Immigration Support and general client services
- Counselling for recently diagnosed individuals

- Gay men's services offer face to face consultations (by appointment), e mail and telephone information and advice on a number of issues including, sexual health, coming out, HIV and Hepatitis B/C testing as well as general sexual health & HIV advice and information

Address: 159 Mile End Road, London, E1 4AQ and/or 107/109 The Grove, London, E15 1HP

Telephone: 020 7791 2855

Email: info@positiveeast.org.uk

Website: www.positiveeast.org.uk

Reform Corporation

Services:

- Confidential HIV and AIDS counselling service
- Referrals to community and statutory provision
- General HIV prevention information, advice and assistance
- And promotes good sexual health ideas and other public health initiatives for the African Communities.
- Among other services that includes: Health promotion; Welfare rights & legal rights; Housing & education; Employment & training to BME communities

Address: 246 - 250 Romford Road, Stratford, London, E7 9HZ

Telephone: 020 8221 4563 / 0795 634 7622

Fax: 020 8522 7863

Email: corporationhouse@talk21.com

Website: www.reformcorporation.org

Salem Health Project

Services:

- Salem tries to provide information and advice on health matters to support and advocate for French speaking Africans
- Counselling, advice and information
- Educating young people, drop-in sessions & workshops
- Campaigns

Address: Saint Luke's Community Centre,
Unit 13, Tarlington Road,
Canning Town, London, E16 1HN

Telephone: 020 7366 6305 / 07949 932 177

Fax: 020 7476 6576

Email: salemhealthproject@yahoo.co.uk
/ paulbokelo121@hotmail.com

Somali Health Advocacy Project

Services:

- Advocacy services and information on HIV and sexual health to Somali communities.
- Advisor is available each Wednesday each week.

Address: Community House,
430 Barking Road, Plaistow,
London, E13 8HJ

Email: shap-uk@hotmail.com

REDBRIDGE

Redbridge and Waltham Forest African Communities Forum

Services:

- Refugee services for Africans and people from black and minority ethnic communities
- Language support and resources for refugee groups
- Support around HIV and AIDS and mental health
- Family support service

Address: Room 15, Zenith House,
210 Church Road, Leyton,
London, E10 7JQ

Telephone: 020 8509 0119/020 8988 9766

Fax: 020 8520 7180

Email: wfafricaforum@fsu.org.uk /
rwfacfltd@btconnect.com

RICHMOND

The African Pulse LTD

Services:

- To provide, develop and deliver educational and training resources to assist in the prevention of HIV and AIDS amongst young people and adults
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: 11 Manor Road, Twickenham,
London, TW2 5DF

Telephone: 020 8898 4333/020 8893 4482

Fax: 020 8286 0410

Email: pulse@theafricanpulse.com

Website: www.theafricanpulse.com

SOUTHWARK

Africa Advocacy Foundation

Services:

- Provide a verity of services which include Advocacy, campaigns, emotional and practical support, mental health support, education, mentoring for young people, family support, training and referral services all aimed at promoting informed choices and improving the welfare of disadvantaged individuals and communities that we serve

Specific to HIV, STIs and AIDS:

- Counselling and support services for positive individuals
- Provide testing and counselling services to newly diagnose
- Provide family network and support for individuals infected by and affected by HIV and AIDS
- Provide support to children affected by HIV
- Provide advocacy, counselling, training and support to Muslims affected by HIV and AIDS
- Provide volunteering and outreach service within the local area

Address: Ground Floor, Carver House,
38 Carver Road, London, SE24 9LT

Telephone: 020 7738 7238

Fax: 020 7738 6643

Email: info@a-af.org

Website: www.a-af.org

Bonaboto Union

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, general sexual health, teenage pregnancy, diabetes, sickle cell, coronary heart disease, stroke, lupus, parenting issues, housing advice, immigration advice
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work, support groups, advice services
- Capacity building by way of employment/ career advice, business skills, creative arts

Address: 5 Westminster Bridge Road,
London, SE1 7XW

Telephone: 020 7633 0860

Fax: 020 7633 0860

Email: bonaboto@yahoo.co.uk

Ethnic Health Foundation

Services:

- Provide awareness/information to the community, for example at Churches
- Provide support and assistance to those living with HIV to avoid stigma living or attaching
- To encourage HIV testing and signpost project participants to where and how to access these services. Example providing or referring people to proper immigration, housing or health
- To promote and explore safer sex options, to prevent HIV and STIs

- To challenge HIV related stigma and discrimination where it acts as barrier to uptake of services and safer sex messages
- Provide support and one-to-one counselling services, seminars, workshops, training and outreach work within the community

Address: Room 1,
Rockingham Community Centre,
Rockingham St.,
London, SE1 6PD

Telephone: 020 7407 6588 / 079 4682 3945

Fax: 020 7403 2680

Email: info@ehfl.org

Website: www.ehfl.org

E.A Health Concerns

Services:

- Health service provision: activities consist of the provision of information and awareness on available services access to culturally available services. For instance information and advice on accessing services on sexually Transmitted disease in particular HIV and AIDS. This includes workshops and seminars; referrals to specialist service providers; outreach work, one to one advice, social events which have proved to be a very successful form of disseminating information on STDs; working with religious and peer leaders of the communities
- Hold special sessions and workshops for African refugee Muslims women with cultural and religious restrictions

Address: 211 Clapham Road,
London, SW9 0QH

Telephone: 020 7274 8856

Email: info@healthconcerns.org.uk

Website: www.healthconcerns.org.uk

French African Welfare Association

Services:

- Pregnancy testing and advice
- Cervical smears
- Free condoms
- Testing and treatment for some sexually transmitted infections
- HIV testing
- Advice on all methods of contraception
- Emergency contraception
- Pharmacy-based or home chlamydia testing
- Outreach, workshops and training

Address: 537 Norwood Road,
London, SE27 9DL

Telephone: 020 8766 5849

Fax: 020 8791 1469

Email: fawauk@yahoo.co.uk/
mtameze@netscape.net

HeARS INT

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, diabetes, high blood pressure
- Advice and support including support groups, advice services
- Capacity building by way of health awareness
- Support offered to other organisations: advice, written information, partnership

Address: 23 Drayton House,
Elmington Road, Camberwell,
London, SE5 7HL

Telephone: 020 7703 5944

London Ecumenical AIDS Trust (LEAT)

Services:

- HIV awareness and training to reduce prejudice experienced by many living with HIV and AIDS
- Home support offers emotional, social and practical support to people living with and affected by HIV. Trained volunteers provide high quality and compassionate home care and support to individuals, their families, and caregivers
- Provide service for HIV positive women, mothers caring for children affected by HIV and pre-school children affected by HIV living in Lambeth Southwark and Lewisham. The project provides a safe meeting place; a time for sharing and the possibility for personal growth
- Provide a low-cost psychotherapy service for those affected by HIV

Address: 8th Floor, Hannibal House,
Elephant & Castle,
London, SE1 6TE

Telephone: 020 7701 2200

Email: info@leat.org.uk

Website: www.leat.org.uk

Neovenator Community Organisation

Services:

- Provides health promotion and health education workshops, seminars and conferences, free condom distribution
- Provides counselling and advocacy services
- Provides advocacy/advice/information
- Provides placement opportunities for University Students

- Supports Various NHS and Department of Health Initiatives designed to address specific public health issues

Address: Room 107, Bilt Mansions,
4-16 Deptford Bridge, Deptford,
London, SE8 4HH

Telephone: (+44) 020 8469 8181

Fax: (+44) 020 8469 8188

Email: neovenatorcommuny@msn.com/
neovenatorcentre@aol.com

Peckham Voluntary Sector Forum

Services:

- Information and networking service: e-bulletins, newsletters, Forum meetings, and information on local groups, agencies, funding sources and training providers
- Customised capacity building service covering organisational development and fundraising. This is targeted at small minority ethnic groups
- Peckham Healthy Living Network, a partnership of 10 organisations and groups delivering health related projects
- Engage with neighbourhood renewal, community development, social cohesion and health agendas to ensure local involvement and maximise community benefits

Address: 48 Willowbrook Road,
London, SE15 6BW

Telephone: 020 7358 9777

Contact: David Reid

Email: dan@peckhamforum.org.uk

Pneuma Community Link

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, parenting issues
- Advice and support including group work, advice services

Address: Christ Church,
27 Black Friars Road,
London, SE1 8NY

Telephone: 020 7633 9800

Email: Pneumalink@aol.com

Terrence Higgins Trust (THT) National Office

Services:

- To reduce the spread of HIV & STIs and promote good sexual health
- To provide services, which improve the health and quality of life of those, affected by HIV
- To campaign for greater public understanding of the personal, social and medical impact of HIV and sexual ill health
- National Services:
 - Helpline, counselling and emotional support
 - Living well with HIV
 - Gay Men's Health Promotion
 - African Health Promotion
 - Specialist Advice Centre
 - Complementary therapies
 - HIV training courses

Address: 314-320 Gray's Inn Road,
London, WC1X 8DP

Telephone: 020 7812 1600

Fax: 020 7812 1601

Email: info@tht.org.uk

Website: www.tht.org.uk

Uganda AIDS Action Fund UK (UAAF UK)

Services:

- Delivering a range of Preventative interventions in the African communities, including workshops and other forms of awareness campaigns and health promotion programmes, aimed at the control of the spread of HIV and AIDS and Sexually transmitted Infections, promoting good sexual health and improving the lives of those affected by HIV and AIDS
- Producing and disseminate information on HIV and AIDS issues in order to promote awareness and the uptake of services
- Researching into the causes of HIV and related issues and to disseminate affected by HIV and AIDS on welfare and treatment issues
- Operating surgeries at designated hospitals & Genital Urinary Medicine clinics in order to support the work of the health professionals and to advise and assist clients to access appropriate services
- Running support groups for service users
- Running training courses for statutory and voluntary sector service providers on cultural competence in order to improve their knowledge of HIV needs of Africans and to contribute to service development
- Recruiting, training and supporting volunteers, who in turn support the work of the Outreach Project Workers
- Lead agency and fund holder of the South London African Health Initiative (SLAHI)

Address: Unit K 308-313 Tower Bridge
Business Complex,
100 Clements Road,
London, SE16 4DG

Telephone: 020 7737 4559

Fax: 020 7394 4447

Email: info@uaaf.org.uk/
uaaf@aol.com

Website: www.uaaf.org.uk

Youth Out of Poverty and AIDS (YOPA) LTD

Services:

- HIV and AIDS, general sexual health, teenage pregnancy, diabetes, sickle cell, coronary heart disease, stroke, cancer, parenting issues, housing advice, immigration advice
- Advice and support including one-to-one counselling, group work, support groups, advice services
- Written information produced such as newsletter, leaflets, posters (information provided in Swahili, Luo and English)
- Capacity building by way of IT services, employment/career advice, business skills, creative arts
- Support offered to other organisations: training, advice, written information

Address: 110 Elim Estate, Weston St.,
London, SE1 4DD

Telephone: 020 7207 4389

Fax: 020 7701 7324

Email: yopa32002@yahoo.co.uk

SUTTON

PACE (Project for Advocacy, Counselling and Education)

Services:

- Counselling & Family therapy
- HIV prevention group work service for lesbians and gay men
- Employment project for persons with mental illness

Address: 34 Hartham Road,
London, N7 9JL

Telephone: 020 7700 1323

Fax: 020 7609 4909

Email: general@pace.dircon.co.uk

Website: www.pacehealth.org.uk

TOWER HAMLETS

Black Women's Health & Family Support

Services:

- Provides advice/information on safer sex, support and prevention activities in the field of HIV and AIDS to young people from the Horn of Africa, particularly Somali youth. Provide outreach work within school and libraries

Address: First Floor, 82 Russian Lane,
London, E2 9LU

Telephone: 020 8980 3503

Fax: 020 8980 6314

Email: bhwafs@btconnect.com

Website: www.bhafs.org.uk

Positive Care Link

Services:

- Care and practical-help
- Information and advice
- Advance of public education on HIV and AIDS. A programme of educational seminars and training workshops is maintained in both for those who are directly or indirectly affected by HIV and AIDS, and for care professionals

Address: 243 Bethnal Green Road,
Bethnal Green,
London, E2 0AA

Telephone: 020 7613 7700

Fax: 020 7613 7709

Email: pcl@positivecarelink.org

Website: www.positivecarelink.org

WALTHAM FOREST

Waltham Forest Somali Welfare & Cultural Association

Services:

- Supporting children, young people and parents within the Somali and refugee community
- Providing education support in English Language and Mathematics, inclusive play opportunities and educational awareness workshops for parents

Address: Community Place,
806 High Road, Leyton,
London, E10 6EA

Telephone: 020 8279 2332

Fax: 020 8279 2496

WANDSWORTH

Grandma's

Services:

- Outings for children during school holidays
- Youth programme for 12-18 year olds who are aware of HIV diagnosis in family
- Regular visits including school pick up, activities out (swimming/cinema), playtime at home (games/crafts/baking)

Address: P.O. Box 1392, London, SW6 4EJ

Telephone: 020 3010 0014

Fax: 020 7610 3428

Wandsworth Congolese Community Association

Services:

- Provide information, advice and counselling regarding HIV and AIDS
- Provides training and seminars on HIV and AIDS

Address: 3 Wandle Way, London, SW18 4UJ

Telephone: 020 8870 8195/079 0401 5576

Fax: 020 8877 2867

Website: wccacha@yahoo.co.uk

WESTMINSTER

The Rain Trust

Services:

- Provide outreach and advocacy work. This involves support relating to sexual/reproduction, including HIV and AIDS and mental health
- Provide volunteering and support opportunities to people of diverse backgrounds, particularly those living with HIV and AIDS
- Provide monthly Peer Support Groups for men at the Lighthouse, West London
- Work closely with black majority faith-based groups on HIV awareness
- Provide and accept referrals from and to other service providers
- Education of the public, particularly local church communities and medical, professional and voluntary personnel involved in the care and treatment of such persons, in the causes and effects of HIV and AIDS
- The relief of the poverty of such persons and their carers, families and friends
- To provide practical care, pastoral support, & counselling
- To provide information concerning HIV and AIDS in order to reduce fear and alleviate stigma

Address: Canalside House,
383 Ladbroke Grove,
London, W10 5AA

Telephone: 020 8964 2727

Fax: 020 8964 1881

Email: mail@raintrust.fsnet.co.uk
info@raintrust.org.uk

DONCASTER

Pan-Afrique

Services:

- Support to our service users through referrals and signposting them to receive specialist health care
- Information and health education through raising awareness events and health workshops
- Development and implementing health campaigns
- Empowering community members through training and capacity building

Address: 26 East Laithgate,
Doncaster, DN1 1HZ

Telephone: 01302 343120

LEEDS

The Black Health Initiative

Services:

- Provides drugs education, prevention and harm reduction interventions to young people under the age of 25 who are affected by issues of substance use
- Provides a range of therapy sessions within specially equipped treatment rooms. Therapy sessions are 1 hour long and each client is offered between 4 and 6 weeks worth of sessions. Treatments range from Indian Head Massage to Aromatherapy

- Provides free sexual health advice and sexually transmitted infection testing for both men and women in Leeds. Also distributes free condoms and lubricants as well as providing sexual health education for schools, colleges and community groups

Address: Unit 10,
Chapeltown Enterprise Centre,
231-235 Chapeltown Road,
Leeds, LS7 3DX

Telephone: 011 3307 0300

Fax: 011 3307 0700

Email: bcat.sexualhealth@virgin.net

Website: www.bcathealthinitiative.co.uk

Leeds Skyline Services Yorkshire

Services

- Support and help for you, your family and friends in a culturally, sensitive and confidential way
- Work with individuals - providing one-to-one emotional and practical support, including referrals to other specialist services and agencies e.g. Housing, Refugee Council, Benefits and Immigration Agencies, National Asylum Support Service (NASS), Health and Social Care Services, Legal Aid, Children & Families' Services, etc
- Group work and outreach activities, in order to meet the identified needs of individuals, families, children and young people living with/affected by HIV
- Home and hospitals visits
- Provide information on HIV and Nutrition and referrals to Community Dieticians for advice
- Advocacy, information and support in relation to housing, welfare benefits and immigration issues

- Provide information and support around HIV treatments
- Advice and sessions for HIV positive pregnant women on baby feeding and breast feeding
- Complementary therapies available for those in greatest need e.g. message, etc
- Support and help for individuals and families to develop coping strategies and enhance their well-being
- Courses for positive people to develop skills and techniques to manage their health and well being
- Linking with volunteers for befriending and peer support services
- Children's play activities during group meeting and summer play activities
- Financial support by applying for (external charitable funds for small grants) HIV specific funds as well as helping with baby milk costs up to age of 12 months
- Work closely with hospitals to provide a linked service for people with HIV

Address: Leeds Skyline Service,
4th Floor, Gallery House,
131 The Headrow,
Leeds, LS1 5RD

Telephone: 0113 244 9767

Email: leedsskyline@thebha.org.uk

Web: www.leedsskyline.org.uk

Yorkshire MESMAC

Services:

- Outreach to the commercial gay scene, cruising areas and public toilets
- Information and resources
- Counselling

Address: 60 Upper Basinghall Street,
Leeds, LS1 5HR

Telephone: 0113 244 4209

Fax: 0113 245 8233

Email: leeds@mesmac.co.uk

Website: www.mesmac.co.uk

NEWCASTLE

Blue Sky Trust

Services:

- Promote health and improve quality of life through support, encouragement and education
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: P.O Box 638,
Newcastle upon Tyne,
NE99 2WW

Telephone: 0191 281 5200

Fax: 0191 281 5200

Email: neac@blueskytrust.org

Website: www.blueskytrust.org

TYNE AND WEAR

Barnados Street Level Family Services

Services:

- Help those affected by HIV, their partners, families and carers
- Information and advice is provided to anyone concerned about HIV
- Assessment of needs, one-to-one support and assistance in accessing other services

Address: Streetlevel, Stanhope Parade,
South Shields, Tyne and Wear,
NE33 4BA

Telephone: 0191 455 3027

Fax: 0191 456 8009

Email: streetlevel@barnados.org.uk

LANCASHIRE

Drugline Lancashire LTD, Blackpool Office

Services:

- Immediate support on diagnosis: Someone to listen to your immediate needs and concerns
- Befriending service: A trained worker will support your personal welfare and help you develop and use your own resources
- Counselling: Helping you come to terms with what you are living through and empowers you to make any necessary changes in your life
- Group support: Mutual support, with the chance to ask questions and raise your awareness of issues that matter to you
- Complementary therapies: A holistic way of relieving depression, anxiety and insomnia, and building up the body's natural defences against stress
- Opportunities for volunteers: Meet people, gain accredited qualifications and increase your self-esteem
- Signposting to other agencies: Referral to other services that may also be able to help you

Address: The Corner House,
102 Dickson Road,
Blackpool, FY1 2BU

Telephone: 01253 311431 / 01253 311431

Fax: 01253 312226

Email: ktlalboys@druglinelancs.co.uk /
shiver@druglinelancs.co.uk

Website: www.druglinelancs.co.uk /
<http://www.druglinelancs.co.uk/shiver.htm>

Drugline Lancashire LTD, Preston Office

Services:

- Immediate support on diagnosis: Someone to listen to your immediate needs and concerns
- Befriending service: A trained worker will support your personal welfare and help you develop and use your own resources
- Counselling: Helping one come to terms with what you are living through and empowers one to make any necessary changes in one's life
- Group support: Mutual support, with the chance to ask questions and raise your awareness of issues that matter to you
- Complementary therapies: A holistic way of relieving depression, anxiety and insomnia, and building up the body's natural defences against stress
- Opportunities for volunteers: Meet people, gain accredited qualifications and increase your self-esteem
- Signposting to other agencies: Referral to other services that may also be able to help you

Address: 2 Union Court, Union Street,
Preston, PR1 2HD

Telephone: 01772 253840 / 01253 311431

Fax: 01772 887927

Email: ktlalboys@druglinelancs.co.uk

Website: www.druglinelancs.co.uk

Body Positive North West

Services:

- It is a user-led organisation. Aiming to support self-help, self-management, and self-development for people living with and affected by HIV in the North West
- They offer a professionally trained, registered and approved team of experts who can help guide individuals through any issues they may have, ranging from welfare benefits advice, social care, counseling, therapeutic services and training
- They are also one of the very few organizations to offer the Positive Self-Management course, which will help to empower individuals to manage their life with HIV
- The services are available to anyone living with or affected by HIV. This includes partners, family and friends of people living with HIV. Also people at risk of HIV. They aim to offer services that are appropriate for all regardless of gender, ethnicity or residency status

Address: 39 Russell Road,
Whalley Range,
Manchester, M16 8DH

Telephone: (+44) 0161 882 2200 /
0161 882 2216

Fax: (+44) 0161 882 2201

Email: info@bpnw.org.uk

Website: www.bpnw.org.uk

MANCHESTER

Black Health Agency

Services:

- Preservation and the protection of good health and well being in particular by advancing public education and awareness in all the areas associated with health and well being to include HIV and AIDS related issues amongst the African, Asian, Caribbean, Chinese and Vietnamese communities
- Care & counselling
- African AIDS Helpline - Advice and information on HIV and Sexual Health for African people on England (in English, French, Shona, Swahili and Luganda) including on testing and treatment services

Address: 464 Chester Road,
Manchester, M16 9HE

Telephone: 0845 450 4247

Fax: 0845 450 3247

Email: syson@blackhealthagency.org.uk
/ info@blackhealthagency.org.uk

Website: www.blackhealthagency.org.uk

George House Trust

Services:

- Promotion of the best quality of life to people living with HIV as well as their partners, carers, and families

Address: 77 Ardwick Green North,
Manchester, M12 6FX

Telephone: 0161 274 4499

Email: advice@ght.org.uk /
chris@ght.org.uk /
lynda@ght.org.uk

Website: www.ght.org.uk

BIRMINGHAM

FRESHWINDS

Services:

- Supports adults and children living with life threatening and life limiting conditions, or belonging to socially excluded groups
- Services around HIV and AIDS, one to one support, housing, legal issues, advocacy, mentoring, education, employment and training
- Local projects include "Bro-sis": This is a specialised support programme focusing on the needs of persons who are from African/Caribbean communities that are living with HIV as well as those with drug and alcohol misuse issues

Address: Prospect Hall,
12 College Walk, Selly Oak,
Birmingham, B29 6LE

Telephone: 0121 415 6670

Fax: 0121 415 6699

Email: office@freshwinds.org.uk

Website: www.freshwinds.org.uk

Mayisha

Services:

- A social and support group for Africans and African Caribbean gay and bisexual men and women
- It offers advice on sexual health, mental health, social and educational training and advice

Address: St. Patrick Centre for
Community Health,
Frank Street, Highgate,
Birmingham, B12 0YA

Telephone: 0121 446 1086

Mobile: 07976 744936

Fax: 0121 446 1070

Email: mayisha@hotmail.com

Terrence Higgins Trust Midlands - Birmingham

Services:

- Free condoms and lubricant scheme
- Leaflets and information
- Joint working with other prevention agencies
- Culturally appropriate counselling & advice
- Support for partner, families and carers

Address: Unit G7, The Arch,
48-52 Floodgate Street,
Birmingham, B5 5SL

Telephone: 0121 694 6440

Fax: 0121 694 6441

Email: infor.birmingham@ttht.org.uk

Website: www.ttht.org.uk

WARWICKSHIRE

Terrence Higgins Trust Midlands - Coventry

Services:

- Free condoms and lubricant scheme
- Leaflets and information
- Joint working with other prevention agencies
- Culturally appropriate counselling & advice
- Support for partner, families and carers

Address: 10 Manor Road,
Coventry, CV1 2LH

Telephone: 024 7622 9292

Fax: 024 7663 4248

Email: info.coventry@ttht.org.uk

Website: www.ttht.org.uk

SHROPSHIRE/STAFFORDSHIRE

Staffordshire Buddies

Services:

- Relief from sickness, poverty, distress and hardship caused by HIV and AIDS
- Education on HIV and AIDS
- Makes grants to individuals (includes loans)
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information
- Sponsors or undertakes research

Address: PO Box 474, Hanley,
Stoke-on-Trent,
Staffordshire, ST1 3HX

Telephone: 01782 201251

Fax: 01782 201251

Email: ask@staffordshirebuddies.co.uk/
andrew@staffordshirebuddies.
co.uk

Website: www.staffordshirebuddies.co.uk

Terrence Higgins Trust Midlands - Telford

Services:

- Free condoms and lubricant scheme
- Leaflets and information
- Joint working with other prevention agencies
- Culturally appropriate counselling & advice
- Support for partner, families and carers

Address: 4 Park Street, Wellington,
Telford, TF1 4AE

Telephone: 01952 221410

Fax: 01952 221410

Email: info.shropshire@ttht.org.uk

Website: www.ttht.org.uk

WOLVERHAMPTON

Terrence Higgins Trust - Wolverhampton

Services:

- Free condom scheme
- Information and leaflets
- Prevention work in colleges
- Support and counselling & advice
- Support for partners, families and carers
- African peer support groups
- Cultural awareness training

Address: 242-244 Bond House,
Bond Street,
Wolverhampton, WV2 4AS

Telephone: 01902 711818

Fax: 01902 711925

Email: info@tthtmidlands.org.uk

Website: www.ttht.org.uk

LINCOLNSHIRE

Positive Health

Services:

- Support for our clients, and the prevention of further infection via our education/ training and outreach work
- Makes grants to individuals (includes loans)
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: 25 Newland, Lincoln, LN1 1XP

Telephone: 01522 513999

Fax: 01522 514740

Email: admin@positivehealthlincs.com

Website: www.positivehealthlincs.com

NOTTINGHAM

African Institute for Social Development (AISD)

Services

- Group work and outreach activities to raise awareness of HIV and its prevention
- Support and help for individuals and families to develop coping strategies and enhance their well-being.
- Links with volunteers for befriending and peer support services.
- Support and help in a culturally, sensitive and confidential way including French speakers.

- Work with individuals - providing one-to-one emotional and practical support, including referrals to other specialist services and agencies e.g. Refugee Council, Benefits and Immigration Agencies, National Asylum Support Service (NASS), Health and Social Care Services etc
- Involved in consultancy on HIV policy work

Address: 385 Alfreton Road,
New Brook House,
Nottingham, NG7 5LR

Black and Ethnic Minority Sexual Health - Health Promotion Service

Services:

- Support
- Advice
- Consultation and training around sexual health issues

Address: Linden House,
261 Beechdale Road,
Aspley, NG8 3EY

Telephone: 0115 942 8655

Fax: 0115 942 8606

Email: vanes.mcfarlane@
nottinghamcity-pct.nhs.uk

LEICESTER

Himilo Relief & Development Association

Services:

- Education and awareness raising regarding the developmental needs among African communities
- Relief of need among the Somalia community in the UK

Address: Flat 69, Framland House,
Pluto Close, Leicester,
LE2 0UW

Address: 42 Maritoba Road,
Leicester, LE1 2FT

Telephone: 0116 251 0857 / 0116 251 2218

Website: www.hirda.org

Leicestershire AIDS Support Services

Services:

- A range of services for people affected by HIV and AIDS
- HIV prevention

Address: The Michael Wood Centre,
53 Regent Road,
Leicester, LE1 6YF

Telephone: 0116 255 9995

Fax: 0116 255 9979

Email: celia@lass.org.uk /
reception@lass.org.uk

Website: www.lass.org.uk

ESSEX

African AIDS Action

Services:

- Relief of sickness of people living with HIV especially people from Africa and the Caribbean
- Care and confidential mother tongue counselling and advice
- Improvement of access to HIV and AIDS treatment in Africa
- Makes grants to individuals & organisations
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: PO Box 303, Rainham,
Essex, RM13 8UW

Telephone: 07843 492210 / 01708 521047

Email: info@africanaidaction.org

Website: www.africanaidaction.org.uk

MS Development Corporation Ltd

Services:

- Determine the needs of Africans affected by HIV and AIDS in the area resulting in informed service planning and development in the area
- Advice and information services
- Employment support and training for volunteers

Address: Suite 216 Ballards Road,
Dagenham, RM10 9AB

Telephone: 020 8595 0198

Fax: 020 8595 0244

Email: info@msdc.fsnet.co.uk

Sahara Communities Abroad (SACOMA)

Services:

- Information, advice, guidance and support through outreach, awareness creation, workforce development and enterprise for the African migrant and BME community

Address: 108 Cranbrook Road, Ilford, Essex, IG1 4LZ

Telephone: 020 8554 9444

Fax: 020 8554 9444

Email: sam@sacoma.org.uk

Website: www.sacoma.org.uk

Widows and Orphans International

Services:

- HIV and AIDS & general sexual health
- Advice and support including support groups
- Capacity building such as IT services, employment/career advice

Address: 93a-99a New Road, Dagenham, Essex, Dagenham, RM10 9NL

Telephone: 020 8593 3100

Fax: 020 8526 7600

Email: woi@btconnect.com

CAMBRIDGESHIRE

DHIVERSE

Services:

- Seeks to improve the health, welfare and quality of life of those living with and affected by HIV; and to challenge the stigma, ignorance and discrimination surrounding HIV and AIDS through the promotion of greater public awareness and understanding
- Care & counselling
- Makes grants to individuals & organisations

Address: Office B, Dales Brewery, Gwydir Street, Cambridge, CB1 2LJ

Telephone: 01223 508805

Fax: 01223 508808

Email: info@dhiverse.org.uk / phindile@dhiverse.org.uk

Website: www.dhiverse.org.uk

HERTFORDSHIRE

Crescent Support Group

Services:

- Support and care for people living with and affected by HIV
- Emotional support and counselling
- Training
- Condom distribution
- Alternative therapies

Address: 19 Russell Avenue, St Albans, Herts, AL3 5ES

Telephone: 01727 842532

Email: info@thecrescent.org.uk

Website: www.thecrescent.org.uk

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE

Centre for African Families Positive Health

Services:

- Providing a support network to families affected by HIV and AIDS providing:
- Weekly Support Groups with crèche
- Hospital Visits and accompanying
- Home Visits
- Therapies
- Information
- Internet access
- Children's activities
- Training
- Health Promotion
- Positive Speakers Programme
- Workshops

Address: Kingham House, Unit 1,
Kingham Way,
Luton, LU2 7RG

Telephone: 01582 726061

Mobile: 07944 406270

Fax: 01582 726026

Email: info@cafph.org

Website: www.cafph.org

Community Empowerment Trust (COMMENT)

Services:

- Education and training of the African community in the UK and Africa
- Provides HIV and AIDS sexual health services as well as all aspects of HIV and AIDS prevention to the African community in the UK and Africa
- Care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: 36 Codicote Drive,
Watford, WD25 9QY

Telephone: 01923 446 611 / 01781 583 3060

Fax: 01923 446 611

Email: tashazoio@yahoo.com

Website: <http://www.thecommentonline.org/>

Opportunity for All

Services:

- Promote's health and relieve need amongst members of the African community by providing suitable and culturally sensitive HIV and AIDS prevention services
- Activities which improve mental and physical wellbeing
- Education on HIV and its prevention
- Facilities for leisure
- Counselling, advocacy, advice & information

Address: 14 St. Olams Close,
Luton, LU3 2LD

Telephone: 01582 592767

Mobile: 07957 621687

Email: soagola@yahoo.co.uk

SURREY

Addington Afro-Ethnic Health Promotion Group

Services:

- Provide culturally appropriate care and support services
- Advice and information on the causes and prevention of infection of HIV and AIDS
- Education, in particular with the provision of ESOL classes. African language and African music, dance and drama, and the provision of information and advice to those who are in charitable need
- Care & counselling

Address: Promotion Group,
Cornerstone House,
14 Willis Road,
Croydon, CR0 2XX

Telephone: 020 8684 3208 / 07949 799653

Fax: 020 8655 1972

Email: aaegro2000@yahoo.co.uk

African Families Support Services (AFSS)

Services:

- Outreach Work - AFSS provides one to one support to people and their families who are affected with HIV and AIDS. This is done through home, hospital; drop in visits and focus groups
- Support Groups - AFSS support and focus groups are organized to discuss issues relating to HIV prevention, sexual health and social care for people affected with HIV and AIDS and their families
- Referrals And Sign-Posting - Referrals are accepted from anyone, e.g. professionals, community people, families, friends and self referrals Users are referred and Sign-posted into other services and programmes to enable them address issues, get support and to access a variety of services

Address: 2nd Floor, Day Lewis House,
324-340 Bensham Lane,
Croydon, Surrey, CR7 7EQ

Telephone: 020 8665 6936

Email: info@afss.org

Website: www.afss.org

Golden Hearts for African Families

Services:

- Preserve and protect health, the advancement of education and to relieve suffering of African persons living in Croydon and elsewhere in South East England particularly those affected by HIV and AIDS

Address: 61 Frimley Close,
New Addington,
Croydon, CR0 0RD

Telephone: 01689 847 639

Mercies of David

Services:

- Their aim is to serve all those who are in need because of their exposure to HIV while maintaining a concern for their physical, mental and spiritual welfare. This included: bible study once a week, personal prayer, peer support hospital & home visits

Address: PO Box 356, Redhill,
Surrey, RH1 2DG
OR
87 Radstock Way,
Merstham, Redhill, RH1 3NF

Telephone: 01737 644528 / 07984 079461

Email: merciesofdavid@aol.com

Website: www.merciesofdavid.com

KENT

Health Action

(formerly HACO Health Action)

Services:

- Presents information and available options to local African people about sexual health and HIV
- Provides one-to-one support to individuals, accompanying people to testing clinics, hospital and prison visits and going with clients to solicitors and MPs' surgeries to sort out immigration issues
- Works with African and other black and ethnic minority groups around events associated with World AIDS Day, Black History Month and Independence Day
- Works with statutory health services such as genito-urinary medicine clinics (GUMs), primary care trusts (PCTs) and hospitals

Address: 1B Northgate,
Rochester, Kent, ME1 1LS

Telephone: 01634 844044

Fax: 01634 853452

Email: info@healthaction.co.uk

Website: www.healthaction.co.uk

OXFORDSHIRE

African Children's Fund LTD

Services:

- Providing culturally appropriate HIV and AIDS care and support services
- To advance education and training of the public in particular people from sub-Saharan Africa in the UK and overseas

Address: Silver Birch House, Cow Lane,
Longworth, Abingdon,
Oxfordshire, OX13 5EJ

Telephone: 01865 820570 / (0)7999 539075

Email: peter@africanchildrensfund.org

Website: www.africanchildrensfund.org

SOUTHAMPTON

The Ribbons Centre

Services:

- Provide support, assistance and welfare to individuals and their families, partners, friends and carers affected by and living with HIV and AIDS
- Assist in physical, mental or financial deprivation caused by HIV and AIDS infection
- Educate persons with AIDS and in the better understanding of AIDS
- Provide care & counselling
- Advocacy, advice & information

Address: 113a East Street,
Southampton, Hants, SO14 3HD

Mobile: 07802 426005 / 0238 033 5511

Email: info@ribbons-centre.co.uk

Website: www.ribbons-centre.co.uk

Wales



CARDIFF

Terrence Higgins Trust Cymru

Services:

- Raising awareness of HIV within schools and colleges and offers training programmes for teachers as well as a THT school speaker visiting scheme
- African Services Development

Address: Cardiff Branch, Canton House,
435-451 Cowbridge Road East,
Canton, Cardiff, CF5 1JH

Telephone: 02920 666465 or 0845 1221 200

Fax: 02920 666465

Email: info.cymru@tht.org.uk

Website: www.tht.org.uk

CREWE

Body Positive Cheshire & N Wales

Services:

- Provide a safe comfortable space to meet other people, and access complementary therapies, the internet and our library of information. Our Client Support Workers also regularly attend the Sexual Health/ GUM clinics in Chester, Crewe and Warrington

Address: P.O Box 321, Crewe, CW2 7WZ

Telephone: 01270 653150

Fax: 01270 653158

Email: contact@bpcnw.co.uk

Website: www.bpcnw.co.uk

Scotland



EDINBURGH

Church of Scotland HIV and AIDS Project

Services:

- Help to break the silence on HIV and AIDS
- Stand together with partner churches
- Offer practical support
- Speak up for the voiceless
- Involve every member of the Church

Address: 121 George Street,
Edinburgh, EH2 4YN

Telephone: 0131 225 5722

Fax: 0131 226 6121

Email: hivaidsc@cofscotland.org.uk

Website: www.churchofscotland.org.uk

HIV Scotland

Services:

- To encourage collaboration by the HIV and AIDS voluntary sector through seminars, web-based information updates and information exchange
- To consult, formulate and submit policy positions to the Scottish Executive, local government, and relevant agencies
- Provide Agencies with national strategic advice and direction on the development of voluntary sector responses to HIV
- Co-ordination of activity across Scotland
- Projects such as: Healthy Gay Scotland & African BME Project

Address: Suite 2, Beaverhall House,
27 Beaverhall Road,
Edinburgh, EH7 4JE

Telephone: 0131 558 3713

Fax: 0131 558 9887

Email: info@hivscotland.com

Website: www.hivscotland.com

Waverley Care

Services:

- Information and support
- Individual, group and peer support
- Referral on: housing, immigration, health, finance, employment and training

Address: 2-4 Abbeymount,
Edinburgh, EH8 8EJ

Telephone: 013 1661 0982

Fax: 013 1652 1780

Email: Africanoutreach@waverleycare.org
mildred.zimunya@waverleycare.org

Website: www.waverleycare.org

Northern Ireland



BELFAST

HIV Support Centre

Services:

- Counseling service
- Outreach work & home support service
- Support groups
- Range of therapies including aromatherapy massage, reiki, reflexology and acupuncture
- Training and education

Address: The Centre at the Warehouse,
Floor 3, 7 St James Street South,
Belfast, BT2 8DN

Telephone: 028 9024 9268

Fax: 028 9032 9845

Email: info@thehivsupportcentre.org.uk

Website: www.thehivsupportcentre.org.uk

The Rainbow Project

Services:

- Volunteer led gay men's organisation aiming to reduce the spread of HIV in Northern Ireland
- Information, education & prevention
- Advocacy, counselling & support
- Research

Address: 2-8 Commercial Court,
Belfast, BT1 2NB

Telephone: 028 9031 9030

Fax: 028 9031 9031

Email: info@rainbow-project.org
manager@rainbow-project.org

Website: www.rainbow-project.org/

DERRY

The Rainbow Project

Services:

- PLEASE SEE "The Rainbow Project - BELFAST"

Address: 12A Queen Street,
Derry, BT48 7EG

Telephone: 028 7128 3030

Email: manager@rainbow-project.org

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ACRONYMS and ABBREVIATIONS

AIDS	Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome
ARV	Anti-retroviral Drugs
ESOL	English for Speakers of Other Languages
GUM	Genito Urinary Medicine
HIV	Human Immunodeficiency Virus
NAHIP	National African HIV Prevention Programme
PCT	Primary Care Trust

APPENDIX: ABOUT YOUR ORGANISATION

Please complete the form below if you would like to amend the content about your organisation or to appear in the next edition of this directory.

Organisation name:

Address including postcode:

Telephone:

Fax:

Email:

Website:

Contact person:

Contact details if different from above:

If your organisation is a charity, what is the charity number?

Does your organisation provide support services to Africans living with or affected by HIV in the UK?

Please outline your services (include any language translation services if offered):

Please post this form to:

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196 Old Street, London
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