# Vibrant & Healthy Communities Programme

Introduction to KCSC Meeting

18<sup>th</sup> April 2023





























### 1. VHC Intentions and Purpose

- 1. NHS and wider public services are under huge pressure. Our learning post pandemic underscores **primacy** and **power** of healthy communities: **90% of health** in our place happens in communities
- 2. Vibrant & Healthy Communities is a bi-Borough community driven approach and vehicle: population based, preventative and personalised community focus and approaches contributing to happier and fulfilling lives
- 3. Addressing Health Inequalities is our North Star

#### VHC principles we have established to develop the programme

- Contribution of VCS organisations and community assets is vital to health and wellbeing across our Bi-Borough
- When well supported and resourced, communities can provide preventative social and healthcare support and services from their own structures
- VHC will underpin our design and delivery from screening and immunisations, to our 'Connector' workforce and enabling community based solutions- as well as our overall Model of Care
- Partners work together and share resources with a consistent focus on delivering for residents and continuing the paradigm shift increasing trust in communities
- Prevention has value and importance equivalent to reactive work

2. VHC development is underway with partners in our bi-B place

VCS, Public Health, LA Communities, local NHS and Social Care and Housing- we are jointly owning and working together to shape direction programme

- Workshop 1 (Jan) defined why and what now working through the 'how'
- There is significant **strength and vibrancy** in our place to build on and a **strong conviction** this is our shared direction of travel
- We share strong conviction that communities are where 'health happens'
- VCSE sector will be supported to become a full delivery partner and equal footing
- ➤ We now need clear focus on the delivery channels and outcomes to achieve
- ➤ Alignment and strong mutual support with other WCC and Bi-borough initiatives and programmes- focusing on addressing inequalities:

Westminster 2035 Initiative

Bi-borough Health & Wellbeing Strategy

PBP Demonstrator and our Place Based Model of Care

Doing Things Differently – RBKC and WCC VCSE strategy

North Kensington Recovery



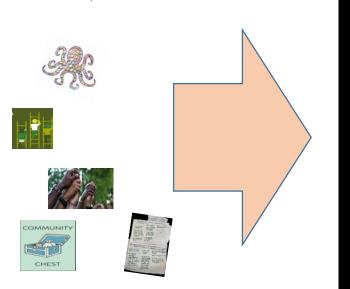
## 3. We are linking VHC to specific priorities for health inequalities

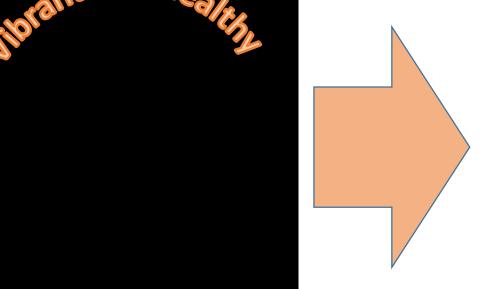
VHC tackles health inequalities across our bi-Borough - including

- thriving and resilient VCS
- Strengthening community opportunities
- 'Connector' workforce
- developing resources to build support in community organisations

 doing business differently across VCS, NHS, LA's and wider This approach and delivery builds on existing strengths- recognising community developed solutions support the 90% of health that is created across our place

We are getting insights on population health outcomes where inequalities exist and will focus on key measures including vaccinations, screening and Long Term Conditions - ensuring focus and tangible results





Potential outcomes	Example metrics
Effective secondary prevention for LTC's	<ul> <li>I feel more confident to manage my diabetes</li> <li>% hypertension BP readings in range</li> </ul>
Equitable take up of cervical screening	<ul> <li>Increased uptake in 25-49</li> <li>&amp; 50+ eligible women</li> </ul>
IAPT: Encouraging honesty and openness	<ul> <li>Reduced inequity in key indicators</li> </ul>
Adult vaccinations and Child immunisations	MMR second dose
Decreasing avoidable attendances at A&E	High Intensity User positive change

## Vaccs Imms & Screening: adding the community dimension

### > Trusted people in trusted places

- ✓ Bringing services to where residents live and work
- ✓ Adding assurance of faith leaders and other trusted local figures
- ✓ Delivering services in familiar and reassuring settings
- ✓ Local resources and places : Family Hubs, Community Halls, Parks and Outdoor Gyms
- ✓ Resident facing 'Connector Roles'

### > Seizing the moment

- ✓ Services instantly available in conjunction with community events
- Language and terminology
  - ✓ Own language communication
  - ✓ Jargon free language that residents relate to
- Culturally sensitive approaches
- Encouraging registration with GP practice

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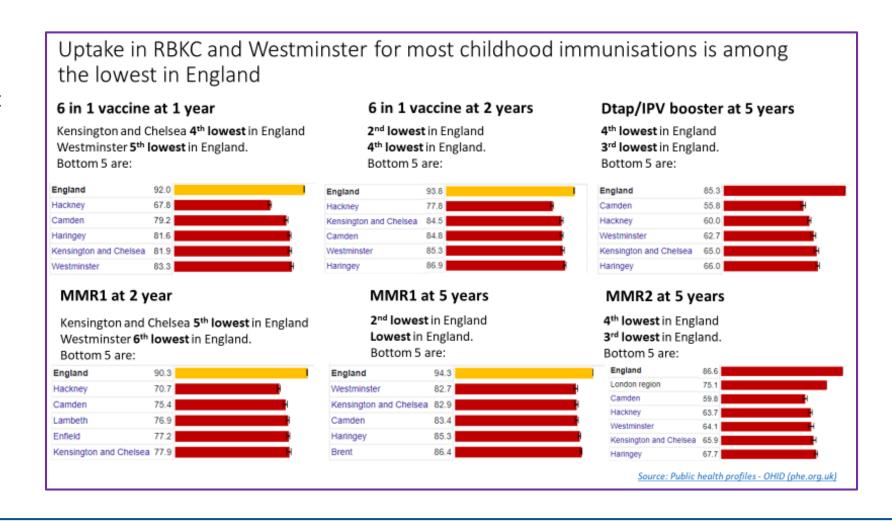


## Vaccs Imms & Screening: our pathfinder project

- Agreed a pathfinder project will **showcase how the VHC approach** will add value and impact and also smoke out challenges and hurdles to our concept
- Our boroughs consistently struggle to match London targets for uptake of Vaccs Imms and Screening across a range of indicators huge investments of clinical investment and time have not been matched by returns
- Collaboration with community resources was a game-changer in delivery of COVID vaccinations during the pandemic.
- We see Vaccs Imms & Screening through an Inequalities lens: the residents most at risk are the ones least likely to take up the offer
- Challenge where addition of community resource may be more effective than more and more clinical resource

## Vaccs Imms & Screening: Challenge to build uptake

Our boroughs struggle to match London and national targets in spite of substantial clinical effort and input.



## VHC Community Chest — emerging news and dynamics

- New funding pot for community delivered projects supporting VHC Programme objectives
- Funds allocated from NHS NWL Inequalities Fund and jointly administered by Biborough PBP and Public Health
- Consultation with VHC partners in May to build **Prospectus** and set objectives, parameters, and processes for application



- Projects within scope of VHC Programme can receive direct funding
- For projects outside this scope assistance and advice to find other sources of funding

## Vibrant & Healthy Communities: Next steps

- Third Build & Development Group, April 20<sup>th</sup>, to establish principles of 'mini demonstrator' approach
- Planning second VHC workshop to gather voice and views of resident facing organisations and leaders, June 2023 tbc
- Finalise structure and governance
- Theory of change and road map
- Determine membership of VHC Programme Group and set first meeting date
- Supporting second Octopus Workshop, May 24<sup>th</sup>
- Identify and remedy missing voices/cohorts from development process

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Thankyou!

Any Questions?

























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