



# IMPACT IN BURNLEY

APRIL – JUNE  
2025



**BURNLEY PENDLE  
& ROSSENDALE**  
**COUNCIL FOR VOLUNTARY SERVICE**

Registered Charity Number: 1062446 Company Limited By Guarantee: 3328219



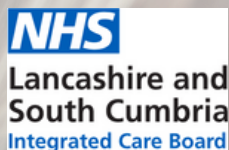
# GROUP SUPPORT SUMMARY

0  
New Members

0  
Support Sessions

0  
Support Hours

## FUNDING



£0  
Awarded

Number of  
groups funded  
in Burnley

0



£1,250  
Large Grants  
Awarded

Number of  
groups funded  
in Burnley

2



£0  
UKSPF  
Awarded

Number of  
groups funded  
in Burnley

0



Disclosure &  
Barring Service

13  
Enquiries  
received

21  
Applications  
processed

9  
Support  
hours

Children & Young  
People  
Personal Health Budget

£120  
Awarded

Number of  
families funded  
in Burnley

1

Adult  
Personal Health  
Budget

£1,327.85  
Awarded

Number of  
individuals funded  
in Burnley

5

The BPRCVS Group Support Team provides support to VCFSE groups and organisations with policies and procedures, governance, best practice, funding and grant bids, DBS checks and much more.

189  
Unique  
Groups  
Supported

90  
Group Support Sessions  
e.g. Governance, Policies,  
Safeguarding, etc.

2  
New  
Start-ups  
Supported

44  
Group  
Support  
Hours

255  
Funding Support  
Sessions

221  
Funding  
Support  
Hours

12  
Payroll  
Support  
Sessions

9  
Payroll  
Support  
Hours



# EVENTS & COMMUNITY NETWORKS

## COMMUNITY NETWORK



Burnley Linked

**42**

Number of  
Attendees

**24**

New Groups  
Registered

BPRCVS attends strategic and community networks regularly so that we can stay informed on future plans and developments, and in turn provide the relevant representation and support to communities and residents.

**6**

Community  
Networks  
Attended

**3**

Strategic  
Networks  
Attended

**81**

Partnership  
Meetings  
Attended

**23**

Events  
Attended

# SOCIAL PRESCRIBING

**Social Prescribing  
Link Workers**

**172**

New  
Referrals

**91**

Total  
Active Cases

**147**

Closed  
Cases

**Community  
Connectors**

**95**

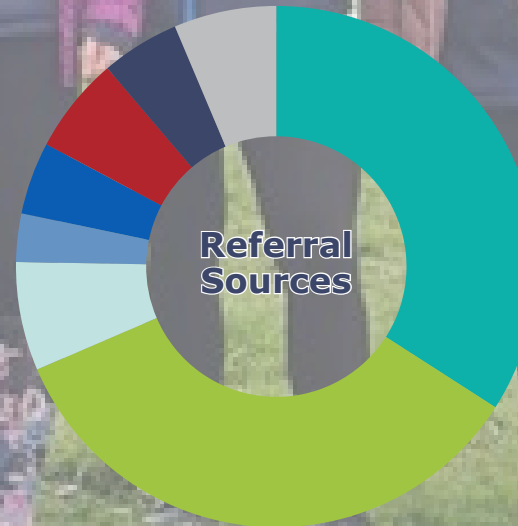
New  
Referrals

**31**

Total  
Active Cases

**79**

Closed  
Cases



Social Prescribing is a non-medical, community intervention that improves the health and wellbeing of local residents via the VCFSE sector. Link Workers assess and support clients with a large variety of needs from health to housing, and from debt to welfare, and many other needs too.



**Funded by:**



**Lancashire and  
South Cumbria  
Integrated Care Board**



# ADULT SOCIAL CARE



The project aims to utilise a model similar to that of Social Prescribing, but in an adult social care context.

The team provides support to people by linking them to activities and opportunities within the VCF (voluntary, community and faith) sector to address their non-medical needs.

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**Lancashire**  
County  
Council



# COMMUNITY TRANSPORT

## COMMUNICARS & MINIBUS



<b>86</b> Unique Passenger Bookings	<b>8</b> Newly Registered Passengers	<b>6</b> Registered Drivers	<b>1</b> New Drivers
<b>416</b> Total Passenger Journeys	<b>1,028</b> Total Passenger Miles	<b>209</b> Volunteer Driver Hours	<b>£2,551.89</b> Volunteer Added Value



Communicars is a community transport service delivered by BPRCVS for people of Burnley, Pendle, and Rossendale. The service is reliant on volunteer drivers who use their own cars to transport passengers. The service helps the socially isolated, disabled and elderly get to groups, lunch clubs, trips into town, and much more.

The minibus is driven by volunteer drivers and is for hire by any of the small groups in Burnley, Pendle and Rossendale.

<b>5</b> Unique Group Bookings	<b>5</b> Total Journeys Taken	<b>22:30</b> Volunteer Driver Hours	<b>£274.73</b> Volunteer Added Value
<b>330</b> Total Miles Travelled			



# EMPLOYMENT SUPPORT

## UKSPF STEPS INTO EMPLOYMENT

### UKSPF Steps Into Employment

13	11
Clients Engaging	Increased Employability
16	6
Entry Forms Completed	Into Employment
26	0
Total Outcomes	Into Education
101	
Support Hours Delivered	

### Working With Thrive

5	0
Clients Engaging	Increased Employability
13	0
Number Referred	Into Employment
8	0
Support Sessions	Into Education
8	
Support Hours Delivered	

### Over 50s Employment Agenda

26	4
Clients Engaging	Increased Employability
26	4
Number Referred	Into Employment
48	0
Support Sessions	Into Education
53	
Support Hours Delivered	

### Women Into Employment Agenda

18	2
Clients Engaging	Increased Employability
19	2
Number Referred	Into Employment
25	0
Support Sessions	Into Education
32	
Support Hours Delivered	

BPRCVS supports the people of Burnley to find employment or if the individual is lacking employment-related skills, we can support them with writing a CV, volunteering for work experience, or improving skills and knowledge through suitable training courses.

This project is for those who are classed as economically inactive.



Funded by  
UK Government

# VOLUNTEERING FOR WELLBEING & COMMUNITY HUB

**2**  
Organisations Registered  
For Brokerage

**41**  
Brokerage Roles  
Filled With Volunteers

**56**  
Volunteer  
Enquiries

**43**  
Volunteers  
Recruited

**5**  
Total New  
Volunteers  
Recruited  
Into CVS  
Projects

## Volunteer Hours

**719:30**

Reception/Admin

**86**

Community Garden

**550**

Community Cafe

**365**

Foodshare

**0**

Front of House

**48**

Admin/Data Entry

**1,768:30**

Total Hours

**£21,593.39**

Added Value

The Volunteering for Wellbeing & Community Hub is a brand-new project funded by the National Lottery Community Fund which began in July 2023. BPRCVS is revitalising volunteering in Burnley, Pendle and Rossendale.

The Hub is the place to go for all things volunteering.



**VCQA**  
Volunteer  
Centre  
Quality  
Accreditation

**Funded by:**  
 **COMMUNITY  
FUND**



# BUILDINGS

# THE CVS CENTRE & GANNOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

**465**

Room  
Booking  
Sessions

**6**

Regular  
Groups

**5,321**

Centre  
Visitors

**34**

Number  
of  
Volunteers

**2,124:15**

Volunteer  
Hours

**193**

Community  
Cafe  
Visitors

**735**

Cafe  
Meals  
Served

**57**

Foodshare  
Parcels  
Issued

**68**

Families  
Supported\*

**1,310:45**

Room  
Booking  
Hours

**12**

Resident  
Groups

**47**

Visitors  
Signposted

**£25,937.10**

Volunteer  
Added  
Value

**47**

Individuals  
Supported\*

**123**

Burnley  
Together  
Food Parcels

The CVS Centre is based in the heart of Burnley and is open to all VCFSE groups and organisations.

Gannow Community Centre is a thriving community centre serving the local people of Gannow as well as residents from all over the borough and beyond. With a wide range of groups delivering activities and sessions, there is always something for everyone happening at Gannow Community Centre.

\*Not recorded at The CVS Centre for Burnley Together food parcels



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