# DVA Navigator's Project

#### MULTIPLE DISADVANTAGE INCLUDES:

(But is not limited to)

- Mental health needs
- Physical health needs
- Neurodiversity
- Substance (mis)use
- Homelessness
- Contact with criminal justice system
- Migration needs
- Removal of children
- Care affected
- English as a second language
- Involved in prostitution/
  Safety sex

#### **EMAIL**

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#### OFFICE LOCATION

Camden

## PROJECT OVERVIEW

We provide individual support to people who identify as women or non binary who are impacted by gender-based violence/ violence against women and girls and multiple disadvantage in Camden.

By bringing service users' wishes and voices into the heart of everything we do, we try to enable them to lead on their on their own support and try to build up a wraparound support for them.

### SUPPORT PROVIDED

- 1 to 1 advocacy and holistic support
- Trauma and gender informed specialist support
- Bringing support to the service-user (assertive outreach)
- Wrap around support

### AREAS WE CAN SUPPORT WITH

- Housing
- Benefits
- Becoming financially independent and budgeting
- Building self-esteem and confidence
- Accessing work, education and training
- Engaging with other support services
- Feeling unsafe
- Building healthy relationships
- Setting short-term and long-term goals
- Having a cup of tea and a chat

## WHO WE SUPPORT

- Identifies as a woman, trans\* or non-binary
- Living in the borough of Camden at the point of referral, a meaningful connection to the borough may also be considered for some clients
- Experienced any form of violence against women and girls within the past 3 months
- Aged 16 and over
- If they are a woman of colour or ethnically minoritized they need to be experiencing at least 3 or more types of Multiple Disadvantage
- If they are a non-ethnically minortised woman they need to be experiencing 4 types of Multiple Disadvantage

