

# Social & Local Impact Impact Report

April 2022 - March 2023



## Making a difference for parent carers

We seek to have a long term positive social impact upon our Parent Carer community through our actions and projects across North Somerset. Promoting positive change in local services and directly delivering support we aim to promote parent carer happiness, health and reduce inequalities.

## Training

**76 Training sessions**  
**1023 Parent carer attendees**

*"Very helpful thank you, lovely to have face to face accessible training and able to hear from other people experiencing similar."*

## Support

**4 Large scale events**  
**1330 Attendees**

*"I came away feeling much less alone and isolated, and more confident in my ability to advocate for and support my child."*

## Wellbeing

**Parent Carers with a positive wellbeing experience for 315 parent carers**

*"Getting the Wellbeing Box makes me feel part of a community of people, grateful that someone cares and understand how tough the summer hols can be"*

## Employment & Work experience

**10 Employees**

**1 Work experience**

Providing employees with flexible working and training opportunities with an employer who understands and adapts for their personal circumstances.

*“This was more than a job to me; it was an opportunity to provide for my daughter and ensure stability in our lives. It was a chance for me to find myself again after being lost for so long.”*

## Parent Carer Resource Hub

**OTR, SAY, Reset WSM, Babybank, Avon MH Partnership, Sendcas & many more**

Providing a safe place to help support the Parent Carer Community and work in partnership with many local organisations.

## Connecting with our community

**4800 Website visits**

**2400 FaceBook followers**

**1444+ Email membership**

## Online Community

**738+ Parent Carers**

Facebook group providing online support and an opportunity to share experiences and ask questions. Our wider social media presence helps connect the SEND community.

## Steering Group

Providing an opportunity for parent carers to actively engage with our oversight, development and representation of the parent carer voice.

## Funding

Having NSPCWT as an active Parent Carer Forum in North Somerset has helped attract significant additional investment in the area. The Forum has attracted over £100k additional grant funds to support our work and the Parent Carer community.

## Annual Survey

**346 Respondents**

Providing the community with an opportunity to share their experiences to help inform our work and Parent Carer priorities.

