

Back to work post COVID

The late arrival of some sunny weather, remarkably on a Bank Holiday Monday, isn't exactly conducive to thoughts of returning to the office; but work goes on and, with COVID restrictions gradually loosening, more people are planning to return to the workplace either full time or on a hybrid model.



Here at HDN we're hoping to return to our office later this month, and that will be quite an adjustment at the end of 15 months working at home.

So we have teamed up with our partners at 3sc to offer a support package to organisations who are looking to recover from Covid and get employees back into work or the workplace.



Delivered virtually, our dedicated and professional team can offer employers a way to support staff as we journey through the pandemic and support recovery post pandemic. Our service will provide organisational advice, support, toolkits and training on the practicalities of bringing staff back from furlough, opening up workplaces again and supporting people better at home.

The holistic approach ensures the needs of individuals are met through one to one coaching and confidence building to combat mental health issues, physical health issues, isolation and increase motivation.

Contact health@3sc.org for an initial discussion

Dave's perfect board

The fourth of our series of podcasts will go live over the next few days as straight talking David Procter, chair at Together Housing Group, speaks candidly on the subject of board diversity. Dave's passion is to see the profile of leadership teams change to reflect society in 2021.



You can download and listen on Spotify, iTunes, Apple Podcasts, Google Podcasts, Stitcher and TuneIn over the next few days.

If you enjoy the podcasts, please do leave us a review; and get in touch if you know anyone we should speak to, or any subject you'd like to hear us chat about.

Welcome to our New Members

**Golden Lane Housing
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Events



Our **Grenfell Tower Webinar**, due today Wednesday 2nd June has been postponed until July with a new date to be announced soon.

Northern Diversity Group Meeting

Tues 8th June
11am to 12:30pm

[Register Here](#)

Central Region Diversity Group Meeting

Wed 9th June
10:30am to 12pm

[Register Here](#)

Staff Mentoring Programme Virtual Celebration

Thursday 10th June 10am to 1:30pm

If you're not already booked in, then you are invited to join us at our **free** Virtual Celebration to mark the close of the 2020-2021 Staff Mentoring Programme, toast our mentees and acknowledge the hard work of our mentors, associates, member representatives and staff.

Mentors and mentees will be presenting along with key note speakers, while delegates can hop around tables. We aim to create the same vibe and energy of a face to face conference; but you'll have to bring your own coffee and biscuits!

[For details of ALL our events CLICK HERE](#)

Recruitment

Last week we announced four new vacancies...

[HDN Chair](#)

[Hundred Homes Chair](#)

[Together Housing trainees](#)

[Golden Lane trainees](#)

Follow each of the links above for more information or applications.

What We Do at HDN

Contact us to see if we can help

We work with organisations on a range of equality, diversity and inclusion issues. These include management and leadership training, board and executive team discussions on Black Lives Matter and/or the pandemic, and reviewing and helping on Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Action Plans and Strategies.

Contact [Mushtaq Khan](#) for further details.

What's the team been talking about?

Bank Holiday Monday meant no team meeting here at HDN as we all enjoyed a bit of overdue sunshine. But the emails are flying about again and the excitement is building, it's all about the virtual conference, just nine days away.

See you there and have a great week everyone!

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