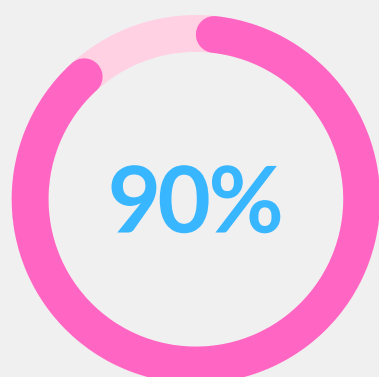
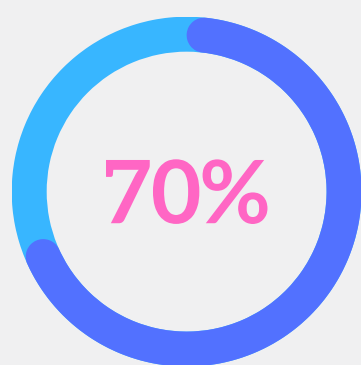


# SOCIAL PRESCRIBING SUPPORT VOLUNTEERS IN CAMDEN



One of the challenges Social Prescribers face is 'burn out' and feeling overwhelmed by the demand of the role.

Focusing volunteer roles into direct support to social prescribers made a significant impact in the last 6 months; 90% of retention as opposed to the 53% experienced in the last 3 years.



Target set was recruiting 10 volunteers within the 6 months period. 7 was successfully recruited.

2 actively supporting social prescribers  
1 trained - not yet started the role  
4 in training

#### Volunteer progression:

The volunteers received full training required for the Social Prescriber role and provided with experience that could lead to employment within the social prescribing field.



**TIME FREED UP TO  
SPEND WITH  
COMPLEX CASE  
CLIENTS**



#### CLIENT SATISFACTION :

Stress taken out of being able to attend hospital and GP appointments

Being able to exercise / gentle walking with the help of the volunteer

Being able to call on someone when in need of completing forms;

Receiving regular welfare calls.

Being connected to social activities.

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