

## Pricing and subscription information

(Prices are valid until 31 March 2005.)

Users, survivors and carers	free	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unwaged	£5	<input type="checkbox"/>
Individuals	£15	<input type="checkbox"/>
NGOs and voluntary sector	£25	<input type="checkbox"/>
Statutory sector	£30	<input type="checkbox"/>

Cheques or Postal Orders should be made payable to "Mind" and sent, along with your application form, to Diverse Minds, 15-19 Broadway, London E15 4BQ.

## About you

Full name

Organisation name (if applicable)

Services provided

Address

Post code

Tel

Email

Ethnicity

**Note:** We encourage people to self-define their ethnicity as we believe that imposing fixed categories, where you must tick the box you fit into, are meaningless. We promise subscribers that Diverse Minds will use their personal information in a trustworthy manner in accordance with the provisions of Data Protection legislation.

## Work with Diverse Minds

Diverse Minds has an advisory panel, which helps us to decide how we work. Members of the panel are elected from our network, by our network.

You may also want to contribute, in your particular area of expertise or simply your energy and ideas. So, if you'd like to help change mental health services for the better, contact us on 020 8215 2220 or by email at [diverse minds@mind.org.uk](mailto:diverse minds@mind.org.uk)

## Diverse Minds on the web

A website dedicated to providing you with the most up to date, accurate and practical information on mental health, committed to making your voice heard: [www.diverse minds.org.uk](http://www.diverse minds.org.uk)

## Contact us

### Diverse Minds

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# Diverse Minds



Working to make mental health services more responsive to the diverse needs of Black and minority ethnic communities.



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Diverse Minds was set up in 1997 with support from the Department of Health in response to serious and sustained concerns raised by people from Black and minority ethnic communities about the circumstances surrounding their experiences of mental health care in this country.

People from these communities are more likely to be:

- in secure psychiatric provision. A survey showed that the most common form of treatment was in a psychiatric hospital or ward (85 per cent of cases, *Raised voices*, 1997)
- given physical coercive treatments like ECT or drugs rather than talking treatments (95 per cent, *Raised voices*, 1997)
- given little or no choice of treatment (74 per cent, *Yellow card report*, 2001).

### What is Diverse Minds doing?

We have created a comprehensive network of thousands of service users, voluntary organisations and carers who we keep informed through:

- the Diverse Minds quarterly magazine
- regular mental health briefings
- a website on mental health
- annual conferences
- our work with the voluntary and community sector.

We also work through national channels to:

- robustly present the views of our service users and networks
- campaign for changes in the law and in practice
- lobby Government to create good services that work.

### Join Diverse Minds

Membership of Diverse Minds is for anyone with an interest in Black and minority ethnic mental health. We particularly welcome service users, survivors and carers for whom, membership is free.

### What do I get as member?

Members receive:

- the only quarterly magazine dedicated to Black and minority ethnic mental health issues in the UK
- access to hundreds of organisations and practitioners working in the field
- up to 70 per cent off the cost of Mind's events including the Mind annual conference
- mailings on the big issues in Black and minority ethnic mental health
- 10 per cent off all titles available from Mind Publications
- free networking events and information on other key events in the sector
- a chance to influence Mind by becoming a national adviser.

