

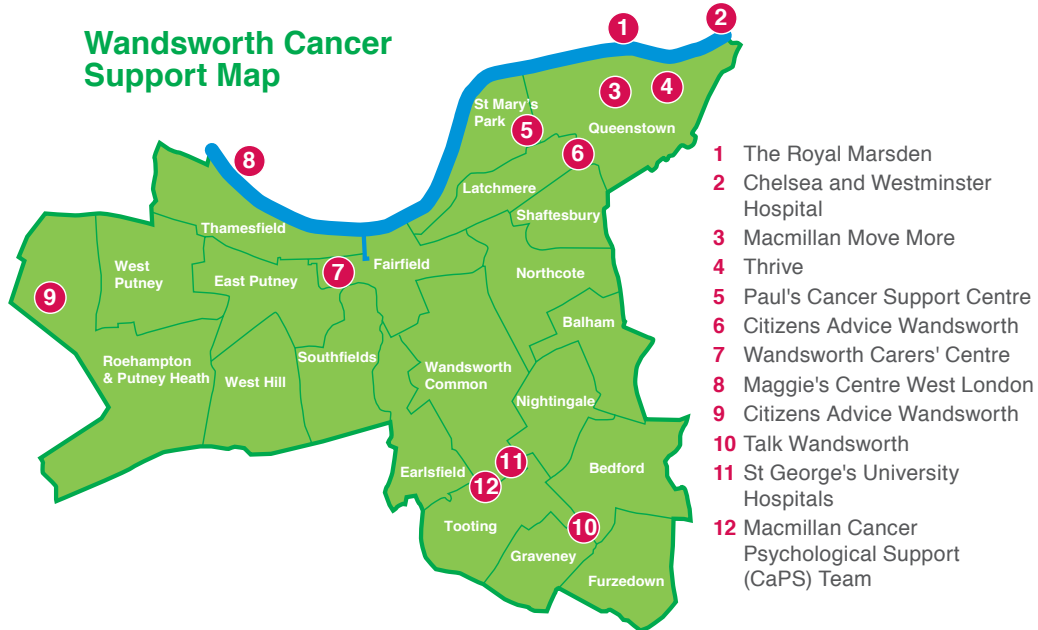
Get in touch

Macmillan Community Cancer Link Worker - Wandsworth

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Wandsworth Cancer Support Map



At Macmillan, we give people with cancer everything we've got. If you're diagnosed, your worries are our worries. We will move mountains to help you live life as fully as you can. And we don't stop there. We're going all out to find ever better ways to help people with cancer, helping to bring forward the day when everyone gets life-transforming support from day one.

We're doing whatever it takes. But without your help we can't support everyone who needs us. To donate, volunteer, raise money or campaign with us, call 0300 1000 200 or visit macmillan.org.uk

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Helping to improve your wellbeing and access to local cancer support services.

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Who we are

The Macmillan Community Cancer Link Worker Service is a free information and support service in Wandsworth.

If you are living with or beyond cancer (or a carer), aged 18+ and registered at a GP practice in Wandsworth, the Macmillan Community Cancer Link Worker can provide a range of non-clinical support.

The Macmillan Community Cancer Link Worker is part of the wider Enable Social Prescribing team in Wandsworth.

The service is here to support you at any point during your cancer – at diagnosis, through treatment and beyond.

We can help you by:

- Listening to you and helping you address any worries or concerns you may have. We can help you to access physical, emotional, practical, financial and spiritual support, as well as support for your carer.
- Providing you with free, practical, information to help you with the issues you may face during and after cancer treatment.
- Signposting or referral to local and national cancer support services – including courses, psychological support, complementary therapy, welfare benefits advice, and support groups.

How is support provided?

- Through a face-to-face or phone appointment that explores your needs; helping you to move forwards and improve your wellbeing. Throughout COVID-19, the service has been operating via telephone appointments.
- At the appointment, the Macmillan Link Worker will help you to identify any concerns you may have. Together you can discuss these concerns and create a plan to address them. This might include the Macmillan Link Worker making referrals to other services that can support you further.
- The Macmillan Link Worker will follow-up with you by phone and can book you in for further appointments if you feel this would be helpful.

How can I access the service?

- The service can be accessed via the Social Prescribing Link Worker at your GP Practice – please ask your practice for more information.
- Your GP might suggest you meet with the Cancer Link Worker when you are seen for your Cancer Care Reviews.

“My Macmillan Cancer Link Worker has been amazing - such a warm and caring person. She has put me in touch with the local cancer support centre and with an exercise programme that is very good. I have had so much help and I would highly recommend the service.”

Service User, 2021

