



consortium
of lesbian, gay, bisexual & transgender
voluntary and community organisations

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Insight Report



Membership Insight

Our Members report that the work they carry out across the UK benefits **4,868,245** LGBT people, their friends, families and allies.

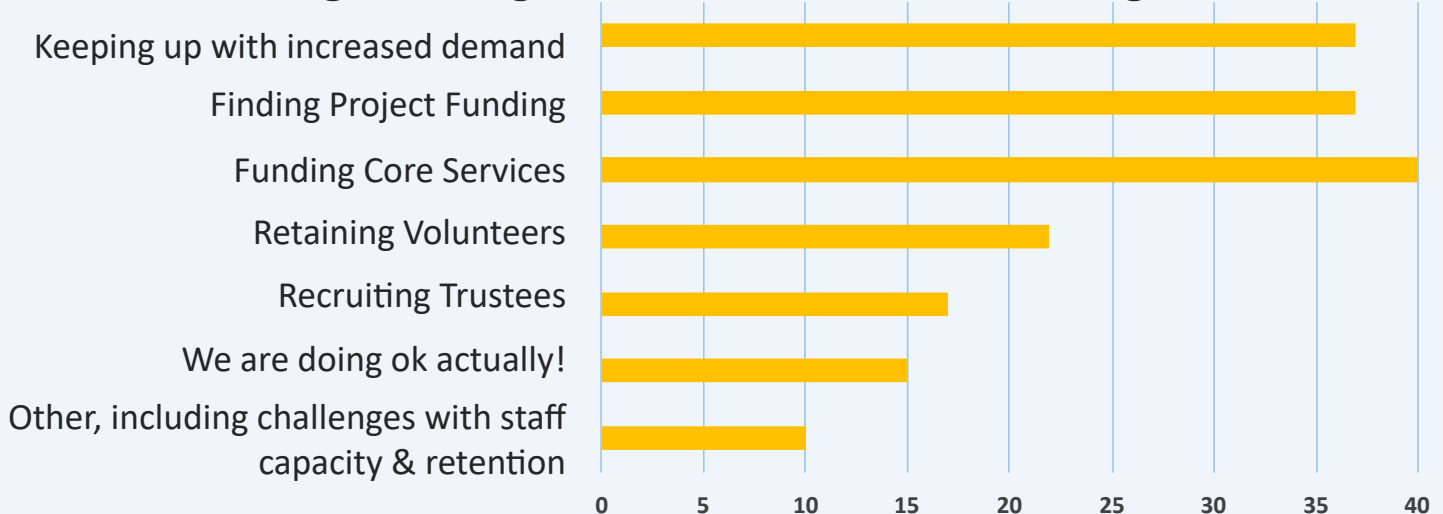
% of Members Reporting a Rise in Specific Service Users

- 28%** Refugee & Asylum Seekers
- 14%** LGBT people of Faith
- 63%** Trans people or people with a Gender History
- 55%** Non-Binary People
- 39%** Young LGBT People
- 25%** Black, Asian & Minority Ethnic LGBT people

Members hosted **799** full and part time **Job opportunities**, that's 92 less than last year.

Volunteer numbers have risen from 5154 to **5448**

The Challenges facing our Members in the coming 12 months

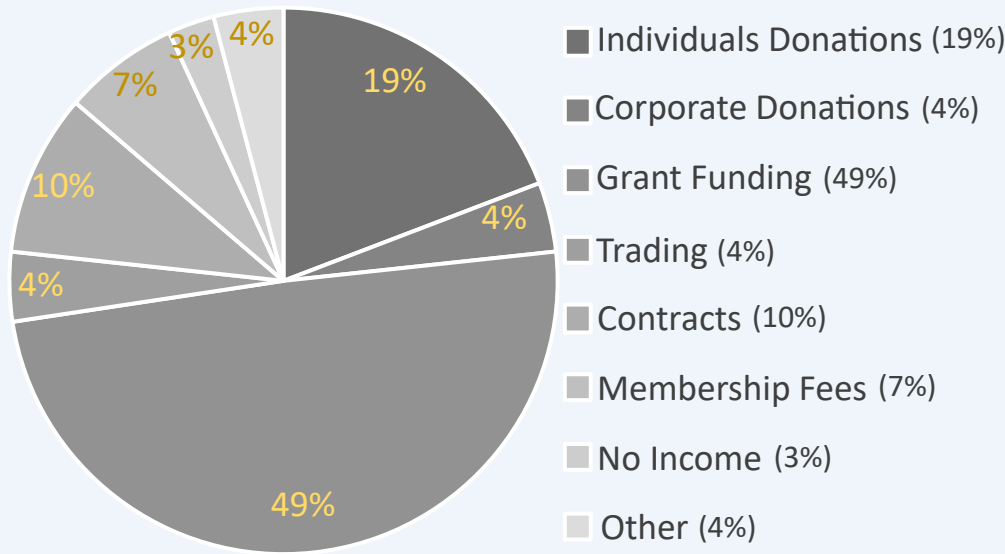


'We really value the work of the LGBT Consortium. They are transparent, friendly and we trust that as an infrastructure support organisation, they always have our best interests at heart' - Proud 2 Be CIC

Financial Insight

LGBT Consortium has brought **£253,000** into the sector for collaborative projects and partnerships over the last 12 months

How our Members are funded



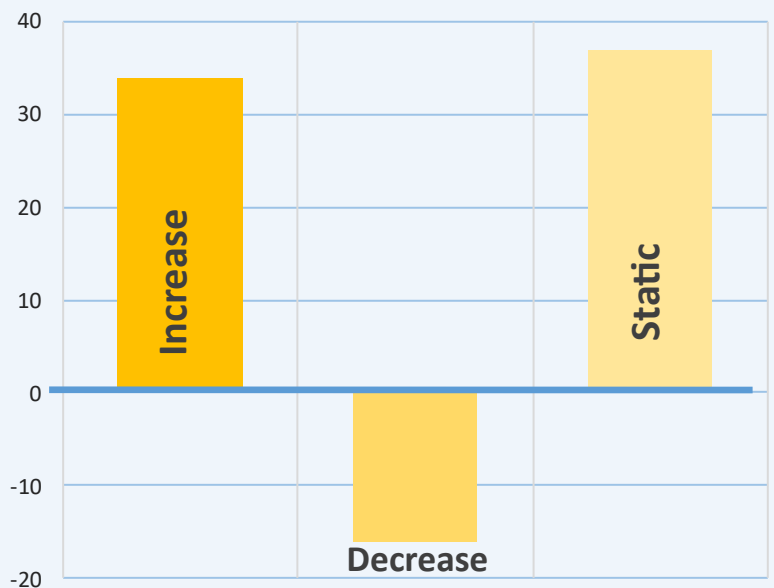
67% of Members operate on less than £10,000 a year

27% of Members asked reported a loss of core funding
23% of Members asked reported receiving less donations

69% of Members asked report an increase in demand but only **37%** reported an increased income to meet additional needs

34% of the Members who are seeing an increase in service users run on £1,000 and under per year.

Groups with a Changing Income



“From advice around choosing trustees and how to put together a constitution, to moving forward in times of difficulty 4 years later, I can't thank them enough for all of the guidance they provide” - Reach Out

LGBT Consortium

48% of Members asked accessed support from us with. A further **30%** of Members plan to access support from us over the next 12 months

57% Members asked said that they feel more confident knowing that they are part of the LGBT Consortium Network

71% of Members asked said that they felt part of something bigger than their own organisation through their Membership

25% of Members asked said that they have made new working relationships through their Membership

Room for improvement

Members want to know more about the voice & representation work taking place
Members would like to see more celebrative opportunities for smaller Members
Members want to see more work done with funders around supporting the sector

88% of Members asked felt that collaborative working is vital to the future success of the LGBT groups that make up the Sector

70% of Members asked felt that LGBT Consortium are the appropriate organisation to facilitate more sector collaboration

75% of Members asked read our monthly e-bulletin to keep up to date with news from the Sector & other Members

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Data used from the following sources:

LGBT Consortium Membership Data and 2017 Members Impact Survey