

# Mapping the Pathway to Equality

London Gypsy and Traveller Forum

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# About the project

## Why is this needed?

- Lack of robust data
- Lack of recognition of Gypsies and Travellers in policies, service provision and resource allocation
- Mayor of London's commitments to equality and fairness
- Opportunity to influence the Mayor's strategies and London Plan



# About the project

## What we will do

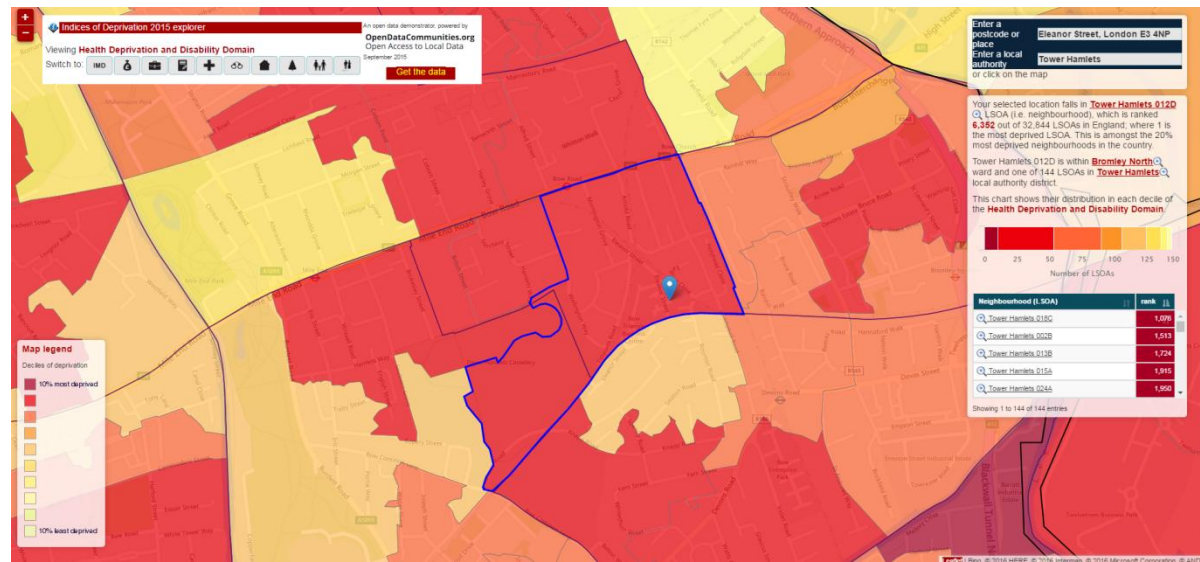
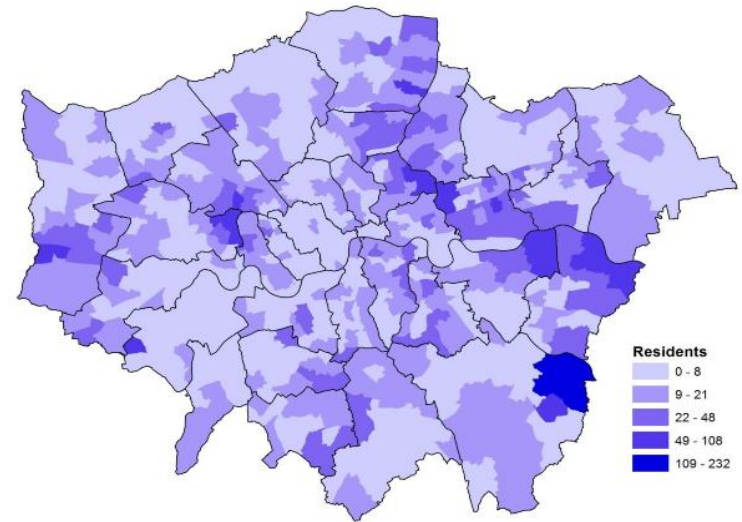
- Data gathering, analysis and visualisation
- Participatory mapping
- Engaging with policy makers, service providers, research organisations etc



# Components

## 1. Profile of the community in London

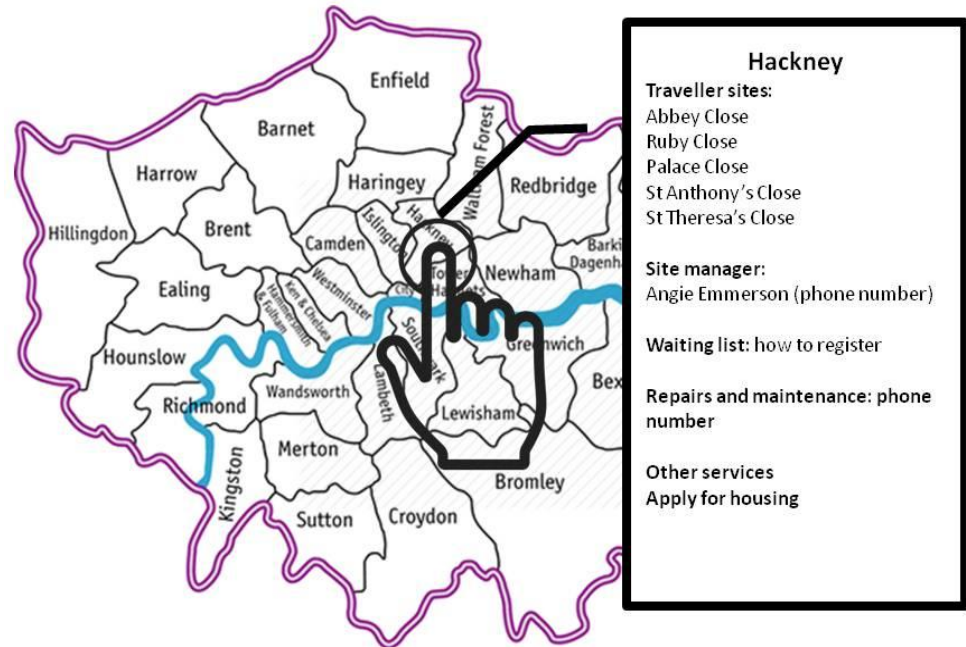
- Demographic data
- Work and economic activity
- Inequality (health, education etc)
- Accommodation need and housing provision



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## 2. Service directory

- Targeted and mainstream services accessed by Gypsies and Travellers
- Collaborative mapping with community members, local authorities and service providers
- Identify experiences and unmet needs

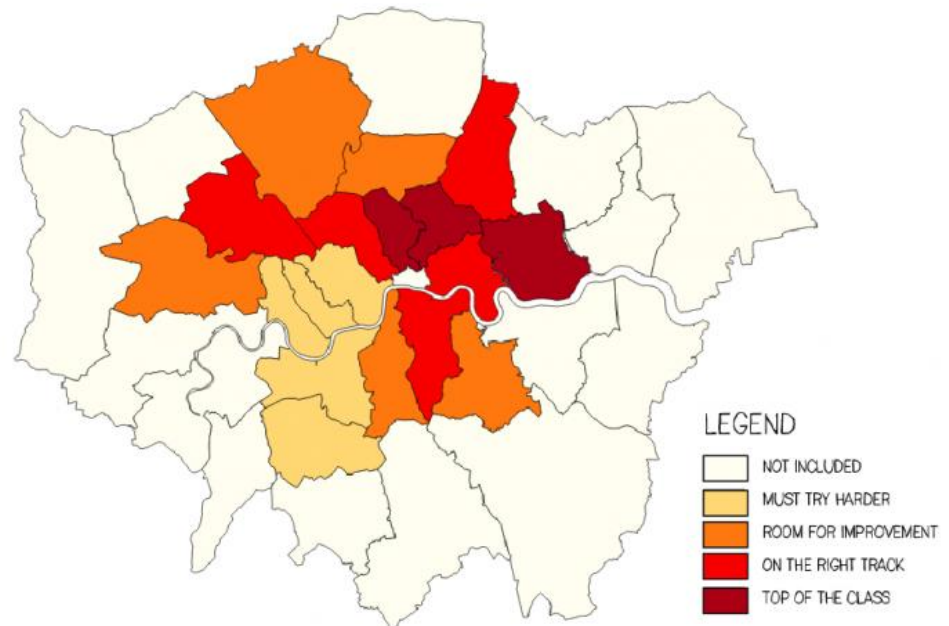




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## 3. Gypsy and Traveller Services Borough Index

- Quality and inclusiveness of services in each Borough
- Measure how local authorities score against these criteria
- Resource for local campaigns



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## 4. Gypsy and Traveller heritage

- Participatory mapping with Gypsies and Travellers to reveal history and heritage
- Traditional stopping places, lost caravan sites, places of community value
- Photos, recordings, memories and stories



# Timeline

- Phase 1: Demographic data, data on exclusion and inequality, and data on housing, planning and regeneration – complete **October 2017**
- Phase 2: Gypsy and Traveller Services Index (accompanied by directory of services for use by the Traveller community) – complete **April 2018**
- Phase 3: Gypsy and Traveller heritage – complete **October 2018**