

# The BME Women's Network

## Our Vision

**A network committed to providing Black and Minority Ethnic (BME) women's groups and organisations the opportunity for development, discussion and debate regarding the issues of BME groups in Tameside**

### **Tameside 3rd Sector Coalition (T3SC)**

is the development agency for voluntary, community and faith groups in Tameside. We are a registered charity and work throughout Tameside.

#### **What Do T3SC Do?**

T3SC help local voluntary, community and faith groups to:

- set up and apply for funding
- get support, advice, information and training
- have a strong, clear and independent voice to make changes locally through our networks

**To join the BME Women's Network,** or find out more information, please contact:

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**Are you a woman who is part of the Black, Minority Ethnic, Asylum and Refugee community in Tameside?**

**If so then join the...**

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**...listening to the voice and needs of the BME community**

## What We Do...

- Provide a space for clear and open discussion
- Build links with communities in Tameside
- Develop a stronger voice for BME community groups

## Benefits

- Regular meetings - a fantastic opportunity to meet others and make new friends
- Learn about other BME groups and find out what else is happening locally.
- Share good practice
- Be part of creating a voice on behalf of the BME community
- Specialist support when you need help

## Our Story So Far...

- Road Safety project in partnership with St Peters in providing road safety training to parents whose children attend madrassah.
- Recruitment events in partnership with Greater Manchester Police Positive Action Team.
- Organised celebration day for women for Eid and Diwali.
- Work with T3SC in supporting a women only conference.

## Partnerships

- Tameside Strategic Partnership
- Culture & Community Cohesion Partnership (Tameside)

## Members

Inclusive membership - BME communities from across Tameside including Pakistani, Indian, Bangladeshi, African and Polish communities.