



Pandemic Stories: Information Sheet

We are a group of community researchers who live in London. We are supported by Toynbee Hall. We are doing research to understand how the COVID-19 crisis is affecting **low income** and other disproportionately affected households in London **like renters, disabled people, single parents and those from a BAME background.**

Through taking part in the research, you will help us to gather evidence to tackle the issues faced by households during the pandemic. Using the results of the research, we will work together to inform policy makers like the government about how to improve the financial situation and mental/physical health of households, immediately and longer term.

How can I take part in this project?

- ❖ Taking part in an interview
- ❖ Filming yourself (up to 2 mins)
- ❖ Writing a diary
- ❖ Writing a blog
- ❖ Completing drawings

What would I receive in return?

- ❖ A space to share your thoughts
- ❖ A contribute to make our society a better place
- ❖ An incentive to thank you for taking part: £10 for each interview, and £5 for each video/diary/blog/drawing.

The interview will be strictly confidential, and your name and any identifiable information will not be shared publicly. If you decide to take part in other aspects of the research such as filming yourself, completing drawings, blogs or diaries, you can decide whether you want to be identified. You can also withdraw from the research at any point without giving a reason.

If you have any further questions about the research you can talk to a member of our team on 02073922932 or Georgia.Herbert@toynbeehall.org.uk.

You can find more information about Toynbee Hall here: www.toynbeehall.org.uk

If you are happy to take part in this project, please register your interest here:

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