



Mapping places and spaces (& people!)



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LWM21-a free digital/ printable map-shows 100s of places for health & wellbeing in Lewisham borough. See 3,216 views Published on October 23, 2023



SHARE



Basic needs, Helplines, Covid



- NHS,COUNCIL
- BOROUGH-WIDE COMMUNITY SUPPORT
- LEWISHAM MUTUAL AID GROUPS (MAGs)
- Beckenham
- ... 149 more



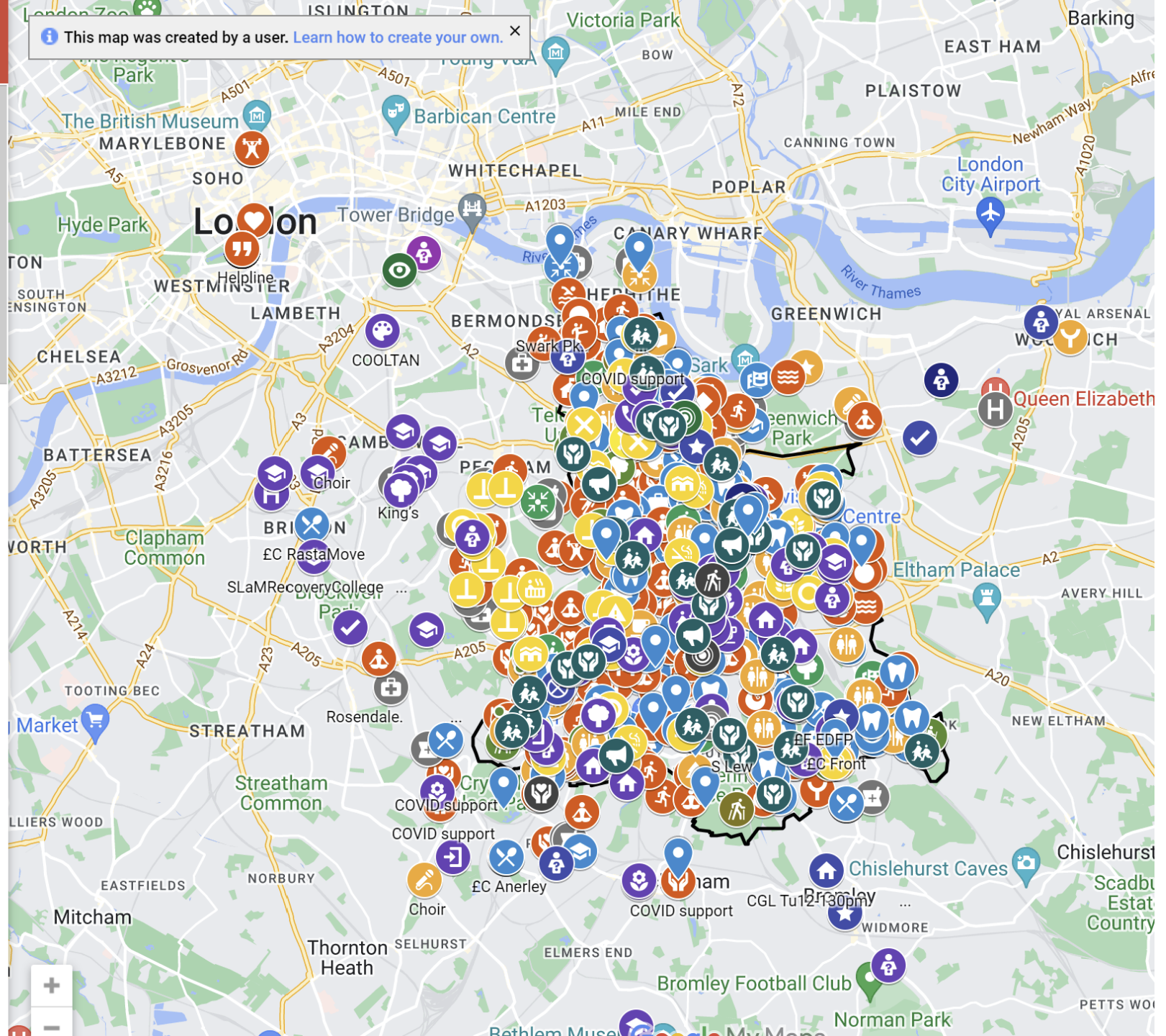
NHS, other medical services

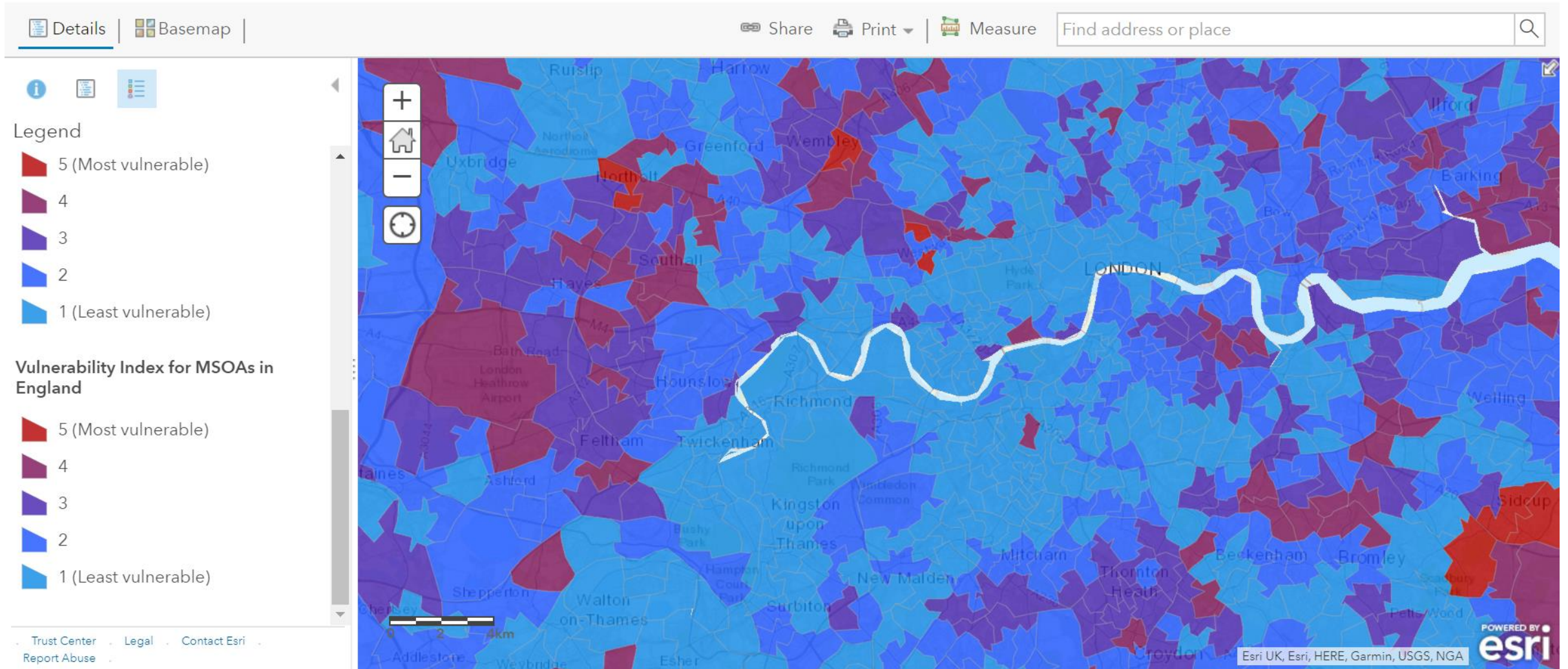


- PHARMACY (blue=inside borough)
- Amin Pharmacy
- Baum Pharmacy
- Bentley Chemist
- ... 133 more



CONNECT, Community







Getting Started with Geo Mapping

Top tools for visualising postcode data on a map

padlet

[Padlet](#) probably not known for mapping! There is a map padlet option enabling you to add posts and content to points on a map. Great for participatory crowd sourcing maps with communities.



[Batchgeo](#) is an easy to use point map creator. Copy and paste postcodes from Excel, along with up to 7 other pieces of data (optional), and visualise points on the map (colour coded by category accordingly). Share via a link or embed on your website. Nice 'limit Zoom' option for data privacy. [See our step by step guide.](#)



[Google MyMaps](#) allows you to plot point data as well as boundary shapes e.g. boroughs or wards. Add a maximum of 10 layers which can be visible or hidden, and contain points or shape files. There's also a good range of design customisation options and ability to add multi media. [See our step by step guide.](#)



[Community Lens](#) – go a step further with your point maps and overlay with open data sets. Just paste postcode data and choose the Indices of Multiple Deprivation (or specific domains) and analyse your postcode data. More data sets to follow.



[Data Wrapper](#) - tell your data stories with charts, tables and [3 kinds of map](#). Free to use - select from pre existing London borough / wards base choropleth maps (thanks for adding for us DW!)

[See our Round up of mapping tools resource](#)





Simplest map creation...



Paste data sets with postcodes & create a map:

- ✓ Blue existing volunteers
- ✓ Red new client referrals



Batchgeo Summary

- ✓ Paste data straight from Excel at www.batchgeo.com
- ✓ Free version – maximum 250 rows of data
- ✓ Choose how to group pins (max 7 categories)
- ✓ Customise design (limited)
- ✓ Limit Zoom in to anonymise data
- ✓ Save Map – Public or Unlisted (Private option in Pro account)
- ✓ Share via link or embed code
- ✓ [Superhighways step by step guide](#)





Google My Maps





Community Food Map ★

SFAA Coordinator

[This map was made with Google My Maps. Create your own.](#)

Community Food Map
signposting low cost and free
food services in Southwark

1,455 views

Published on August 9



Foodbanks/Parcels/Fridges



All items



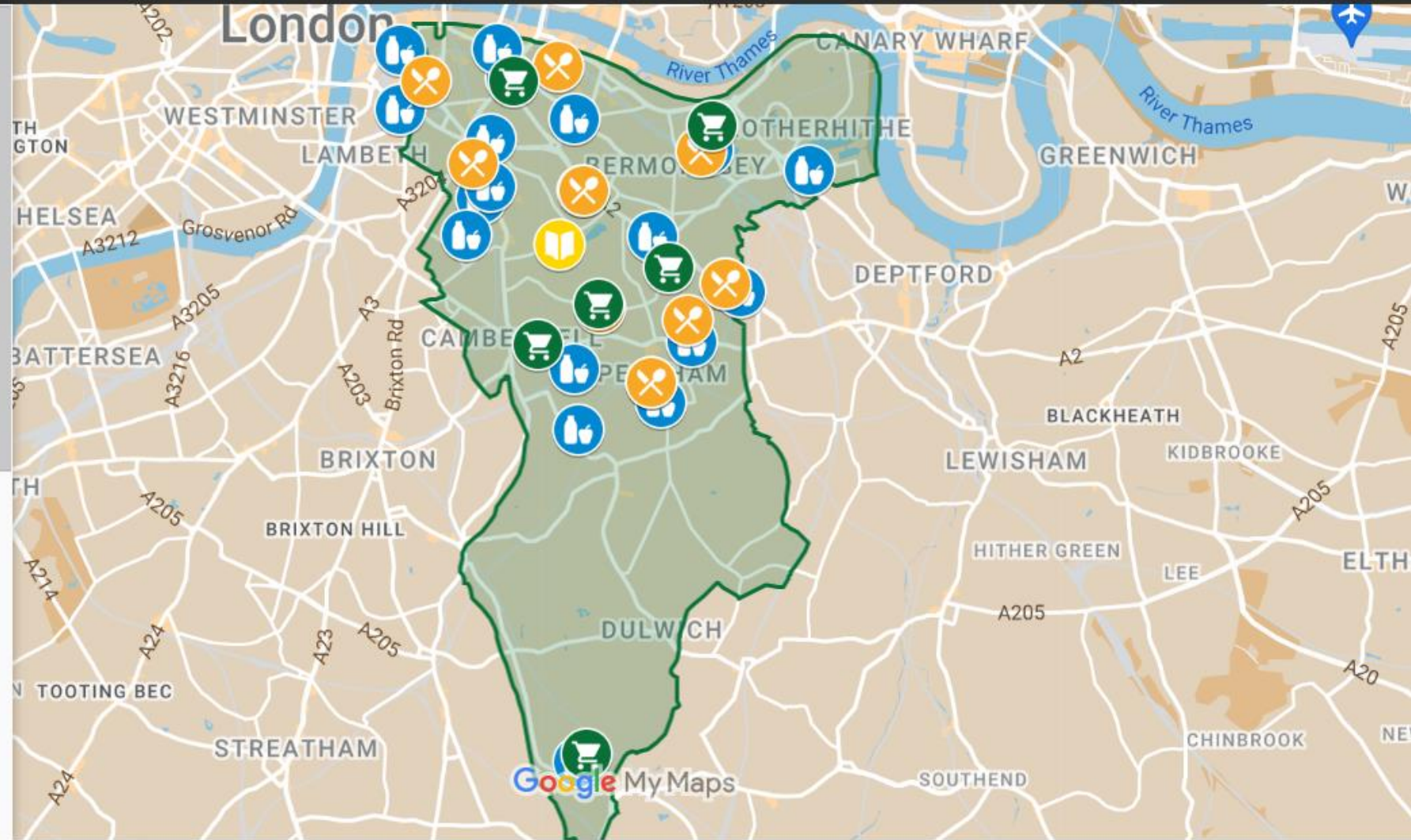
Community Cafes/Meals/T...



All items



Pantries (Low-cost food sh...





CVA ABCD Asset Map



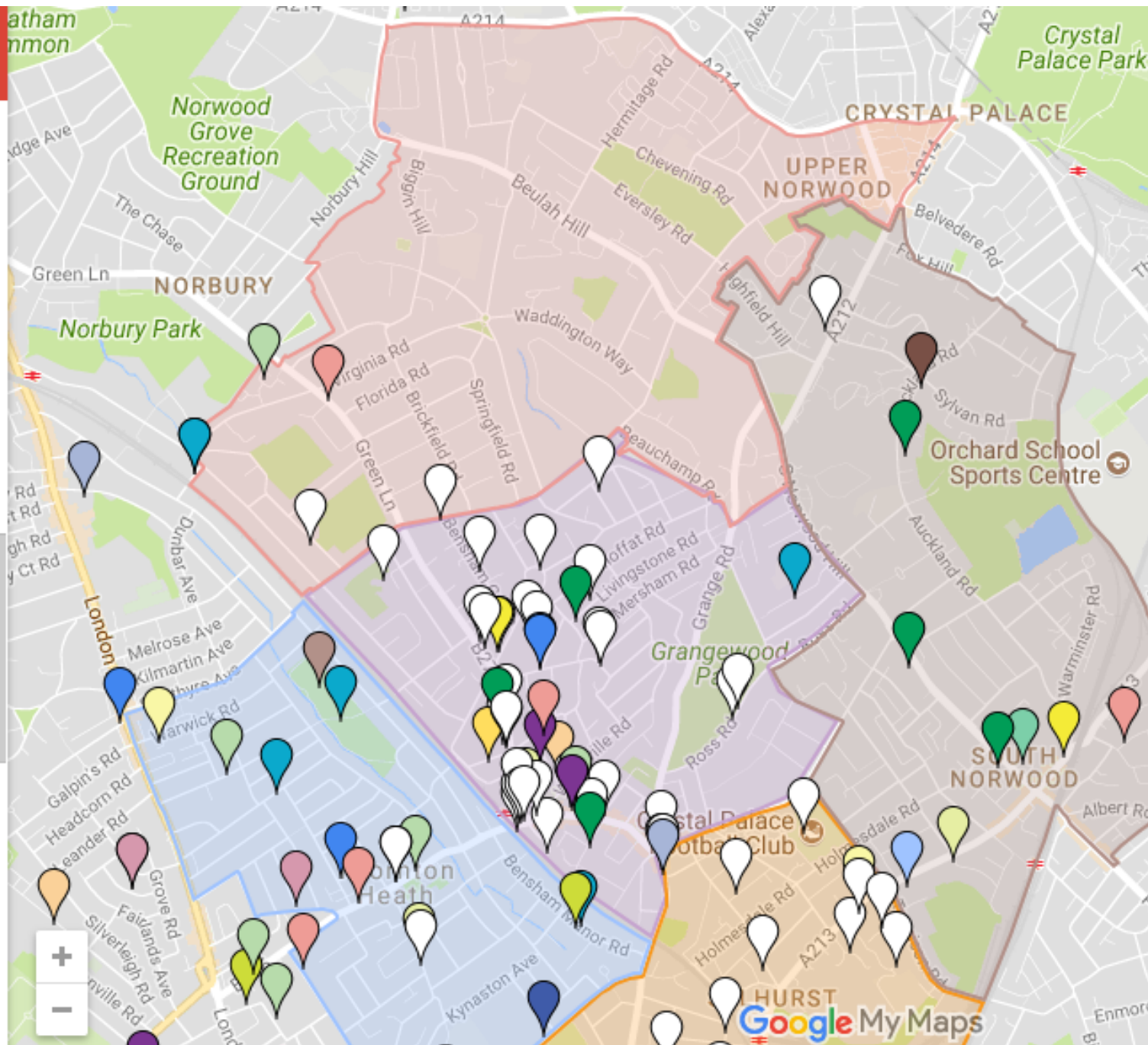
- Cooking
- Computing
- Physical Health
- Children, Parents, Family
- Community
- Dance/ Singing
- Fitness, Sport, Cricket
- Health
- Other / No data



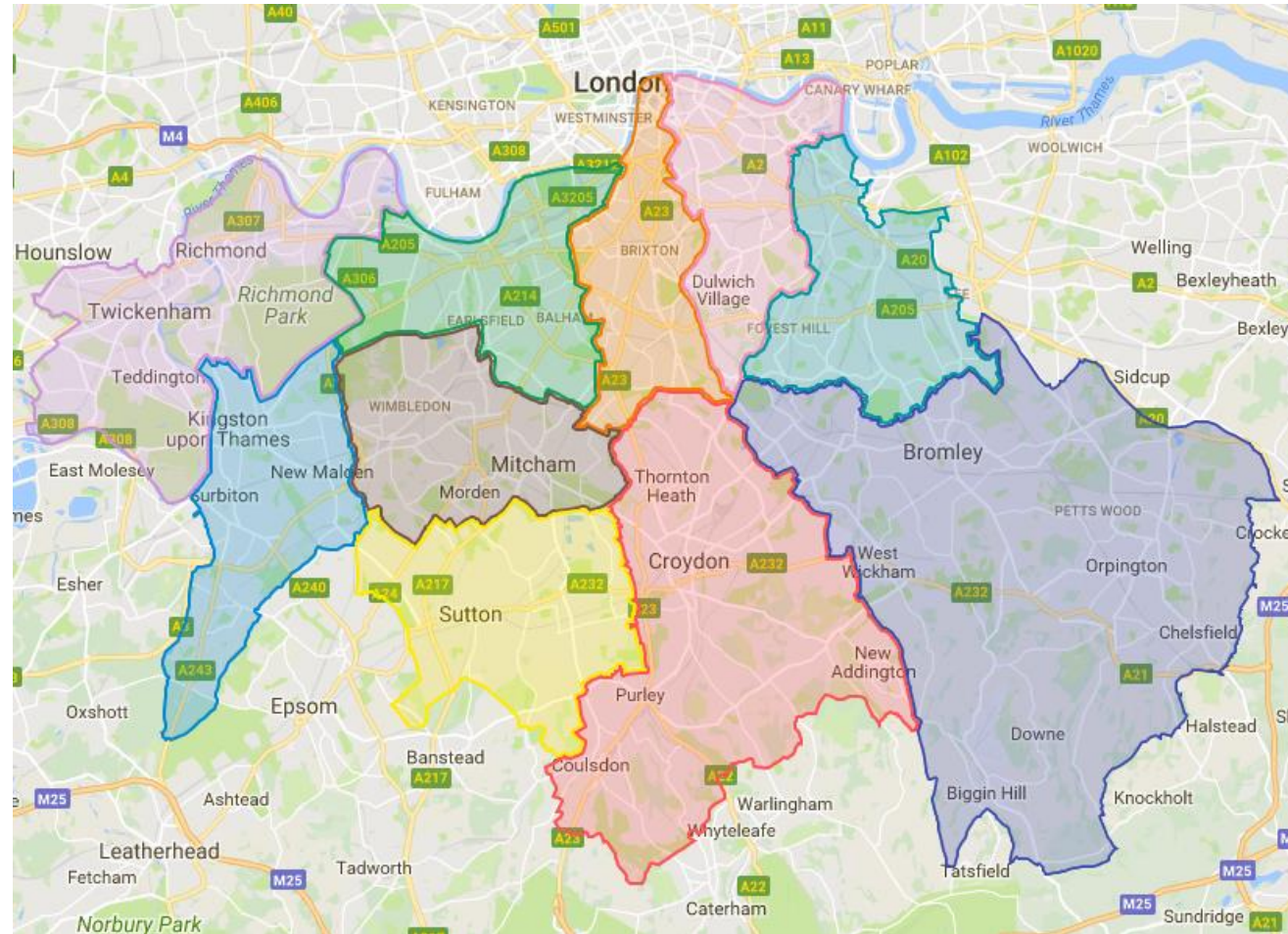
Community based groups



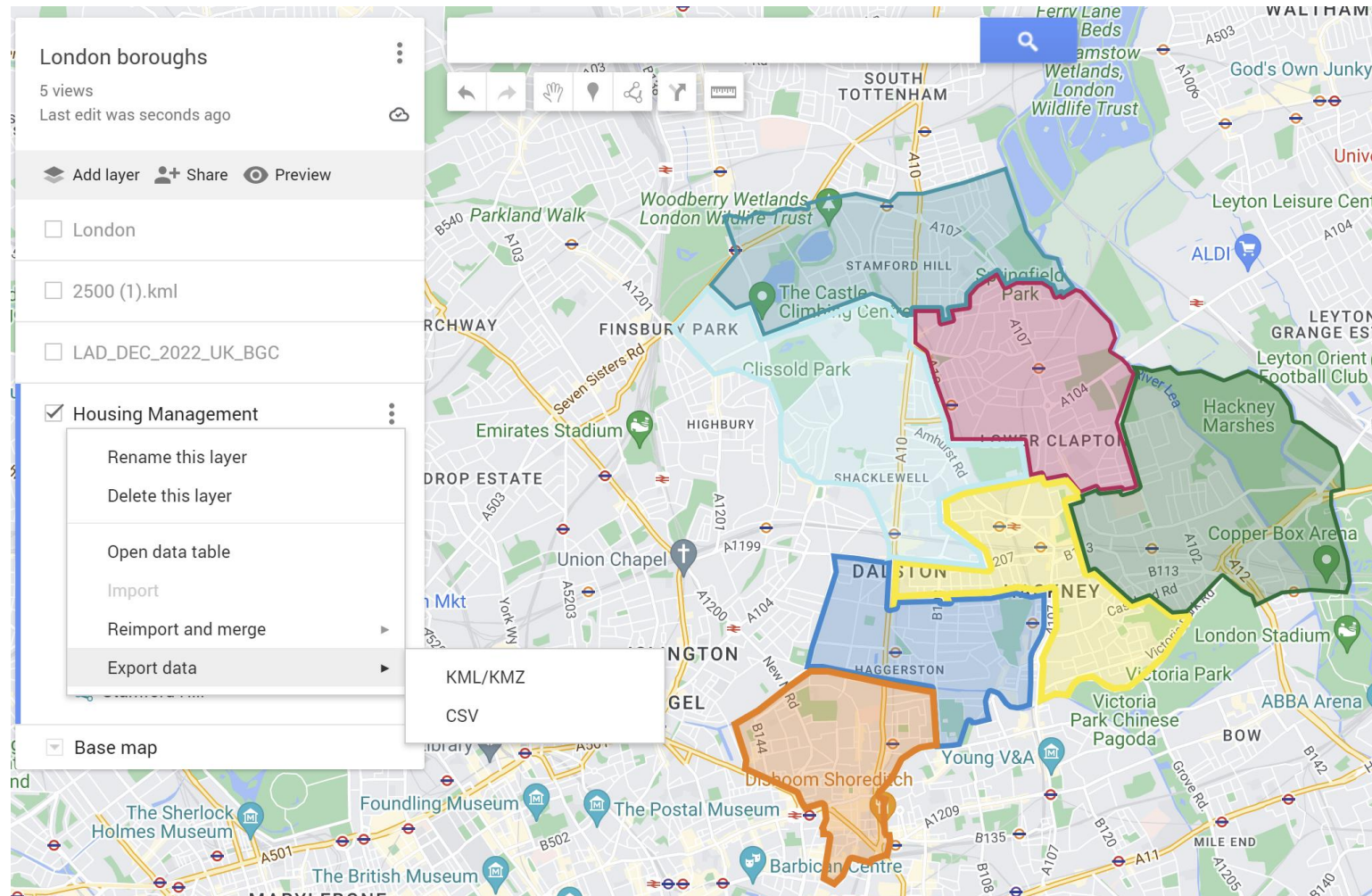
- Family, Community
- Music
- Residents Association
- Other / No data



Borough & Ward boundaries – KML files



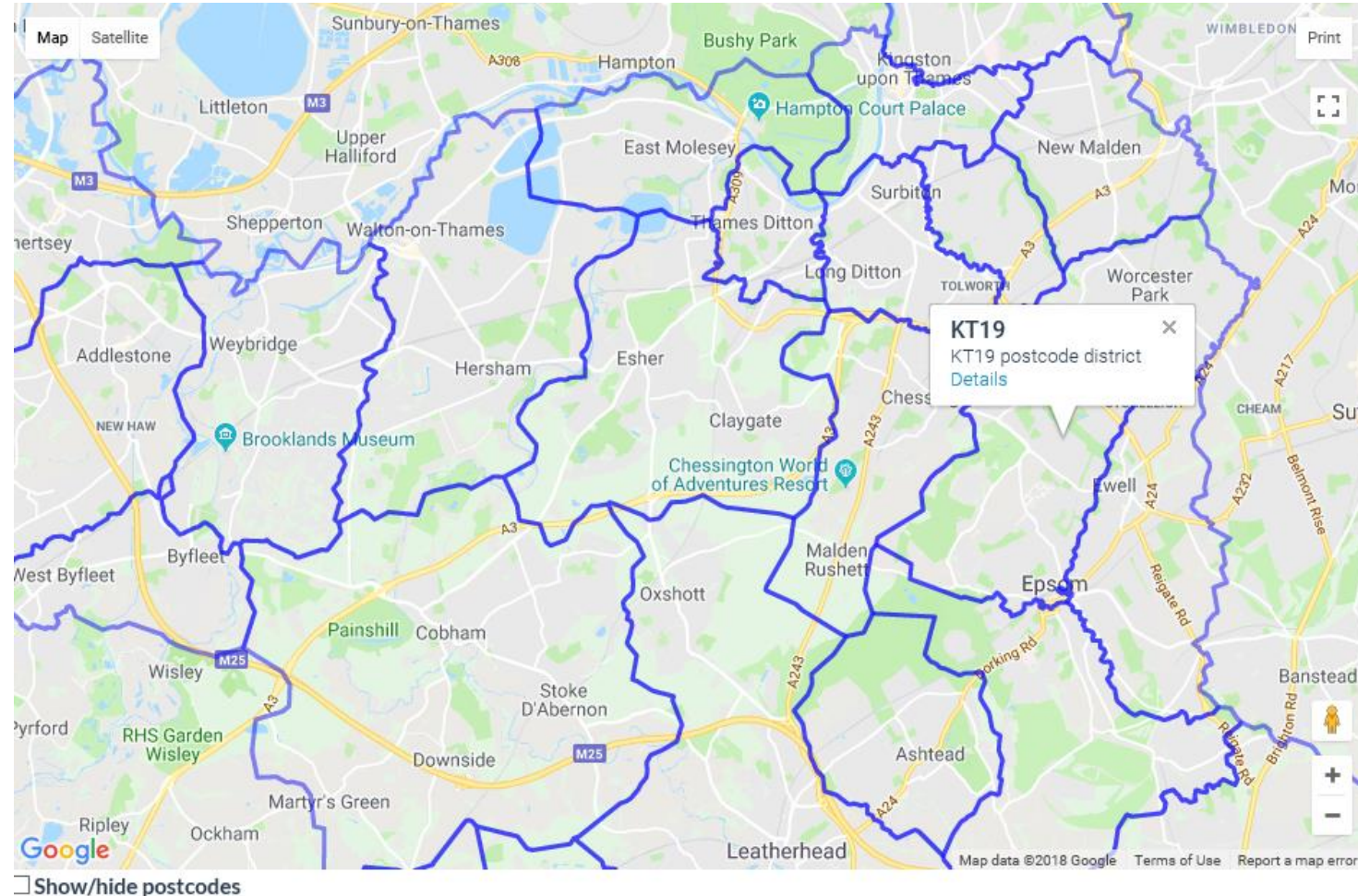
Or download & import from another map



Top level post code boundaries

[Doogal](#) —
download KML
shape files

(Also useful for
[batch
uploading
postcodes and
batch
downloading
wards](#))



Google My Maps Summary

- ✓ Import spreadsheet to plot points on a map
- ✓ Add multi-media
- ✓ Customise look and feel – range of icons
- ✓ Add different layers (max 10 – but there are workarounds)
- ✓ Update data table within the map
- ✓ Sharing – keep private, share with specific people, make public
- ✓ [Find out more](#)
- ✓ [Step by step guide](#)



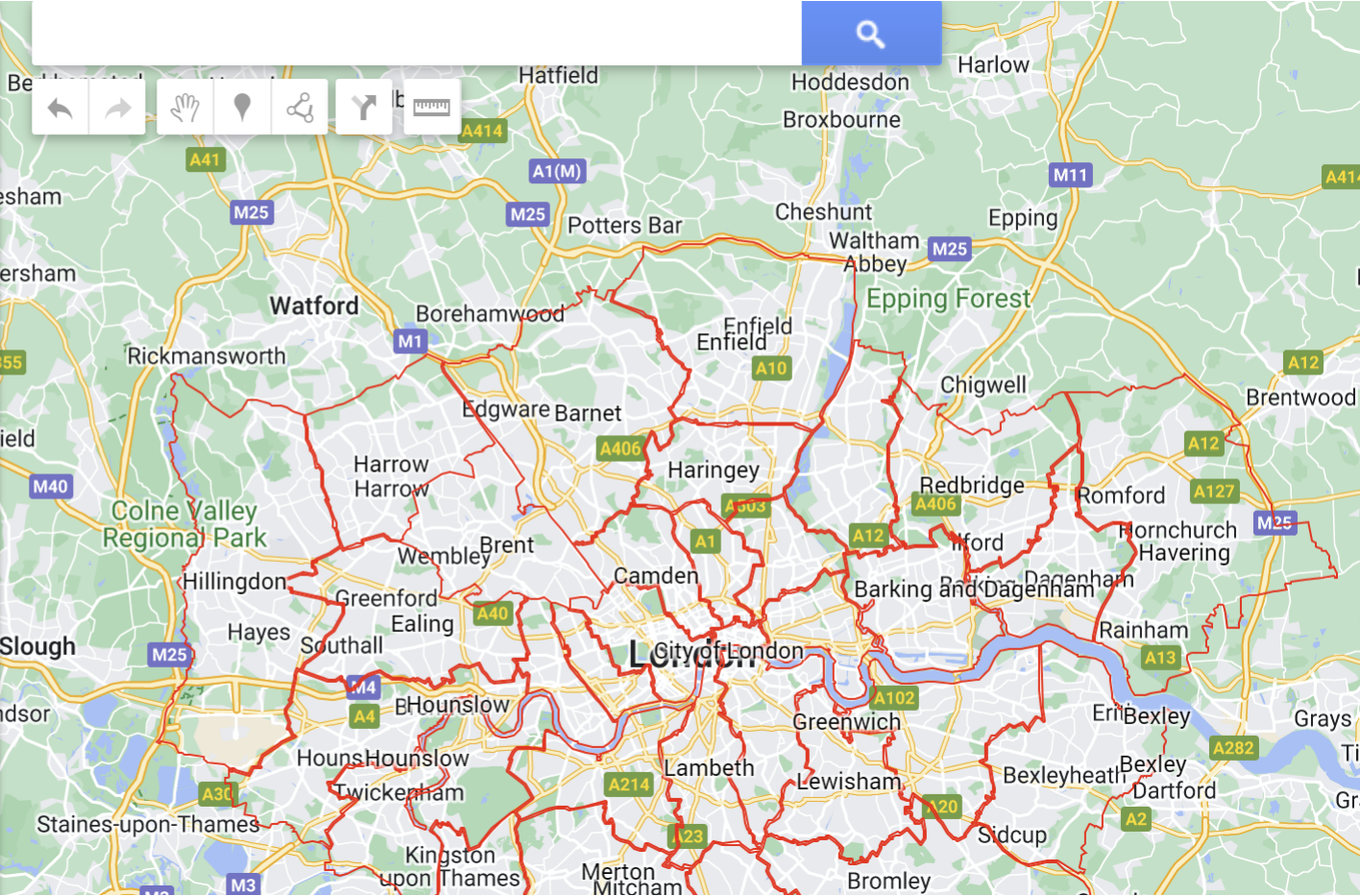
Adding a file with multiple boundaries

London boroughs

5 views
Last edit was seconds ago

Add layer Share Preview

- LAD_DEC_2022_UK_BGC
 - Individual styles
 - City of London
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The image shows a map of London with various borough boundaries highlighted in red. Major roads are shown in yellow, and the River Thames is visible. The map is part of a web application interface, with a search bar at the top right and a toolbar at the top left. On the left side, there is a sidebar with a list of layers, including 'LAD_DEC_2022_UK_BGC' which is currently selected. Below this layer, there are several 'Untitled' entries, suggesting multiple boundary files are being managed. The interface also includes options to 'Add layer', 'Share', and 'Preview'.



Community Lens



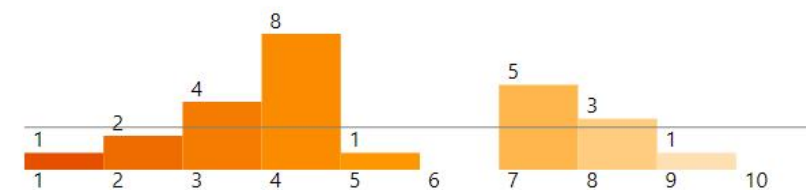
The Lens of Multiple Deprivation

Summary

The majority of the locations (64%) are in the bottom half of areas in England for IMD

Count By Decile

(Decile 1 = Most Deprived, Decile 10 = Least Deprived)



Average Rank Decile



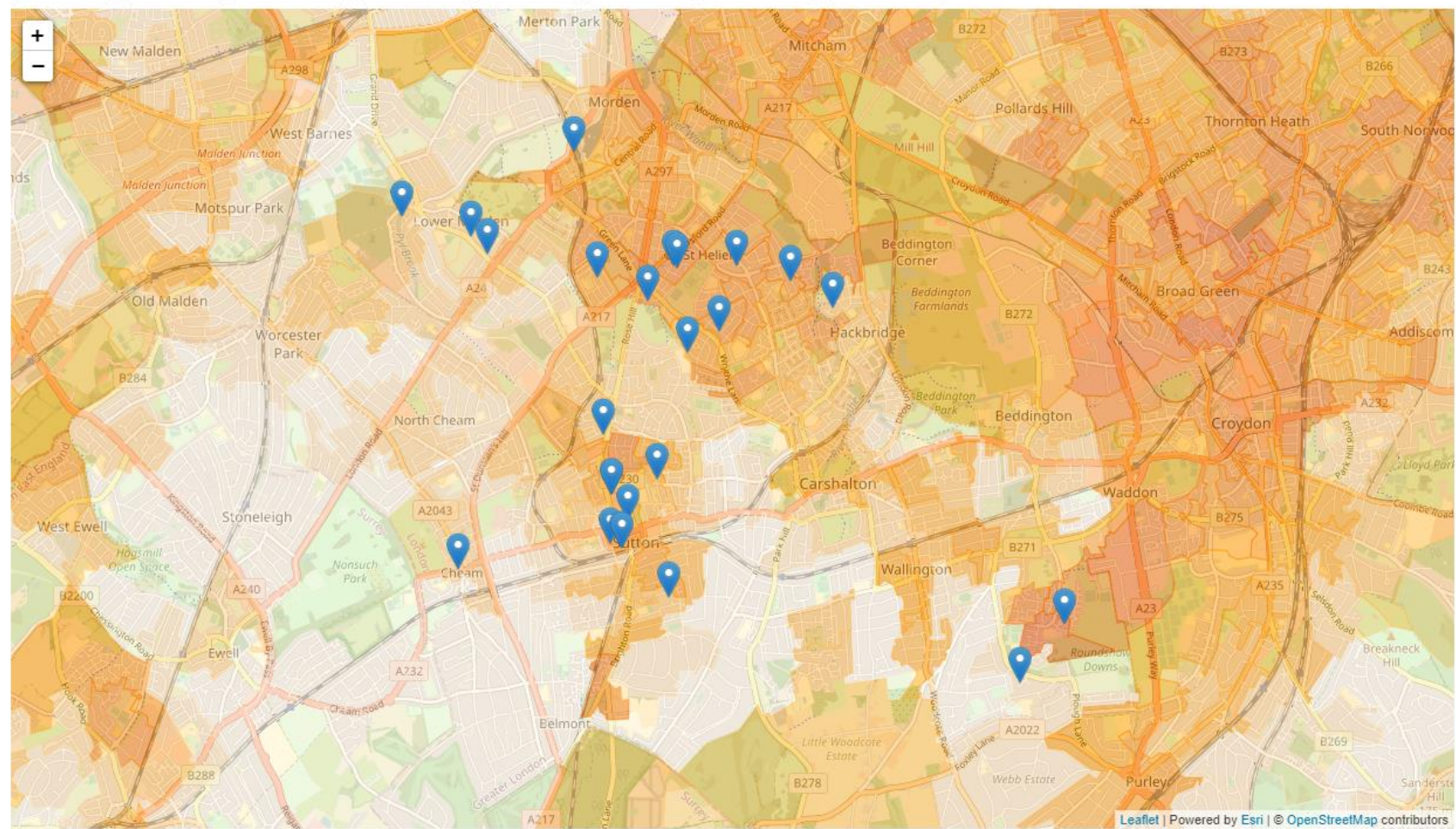
Definition

The overall Index of Multiple Deprivation 2019 is a measure of multiple deprivation based on combining together seven distinct domains of deprivation, Income Deprivation, Employment Deprivation, Education, Skills and Training Deprivation, Health Deprivation and Disability, Crime, Barriers to Housing and Services, Living Environment Deprivation.

Data Source

[Download Data](#)

- IMD 2019
- Income
- Employment
- Education +
- Health and Disability
- Crime
- Housing and Services
- Living environment



Community Lens Summary

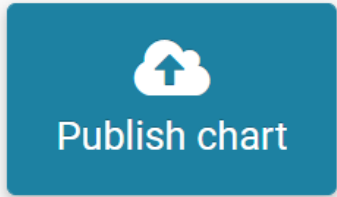
- ✓ Paste postcodes into the tool (can handle large numbers) and see them plotted on the map
- ✓ Choose which Indices of Deprivation you are interested in
- ✓ Understand how your postcodes correlate with the IMD data
- ✓ Take a screen shot and download the data table
- ✓ More open data sets to come (make your suggestions)
- ✓ [See a demo recording](#)



Datawrapper



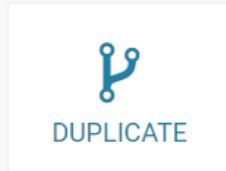
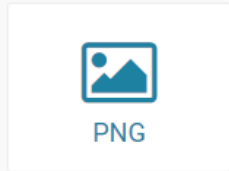
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◀ Click here if you want to embed your chart in your **website** or **CMS**.

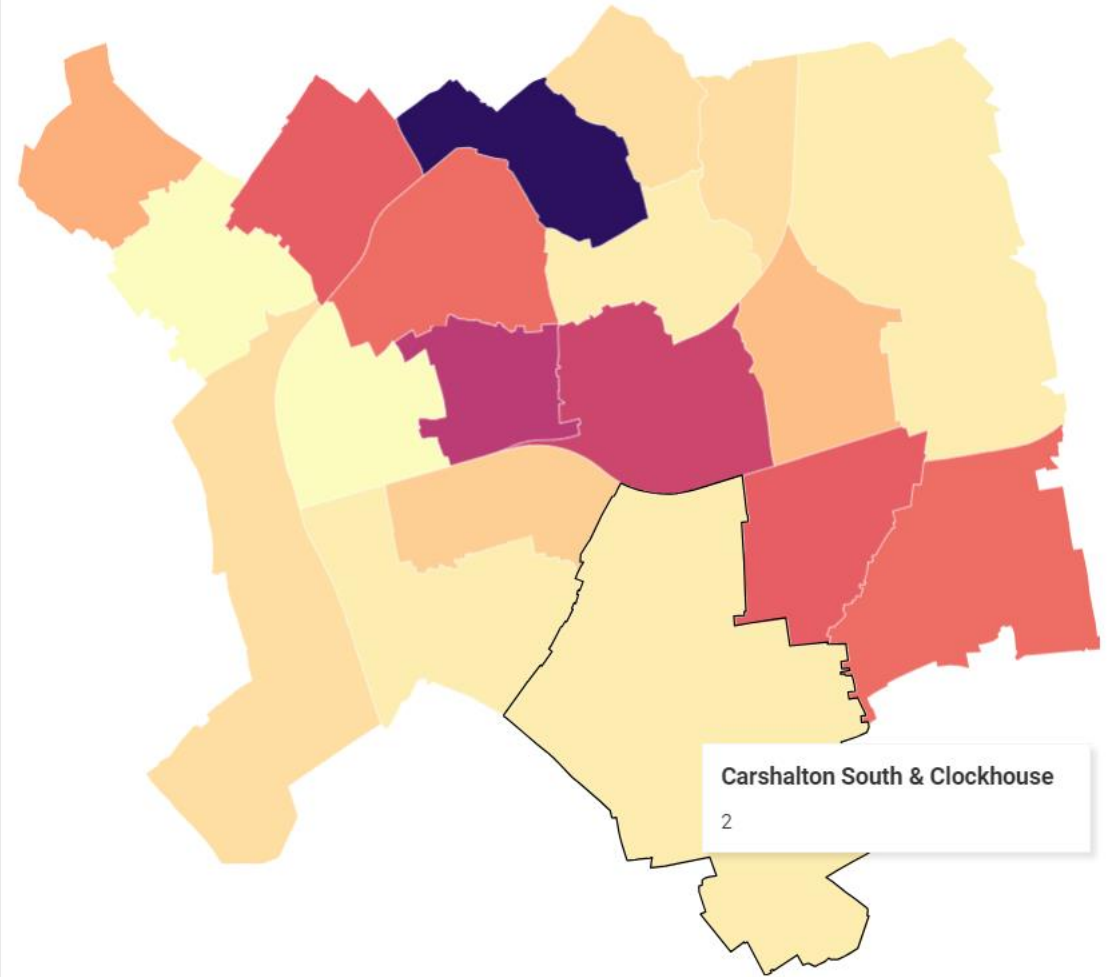
Export or duplicate chart

You can **duplicate** it to start editing a copy of the chart. Or export it into other formats.



Client's accessing advice by Sutton wards

Count

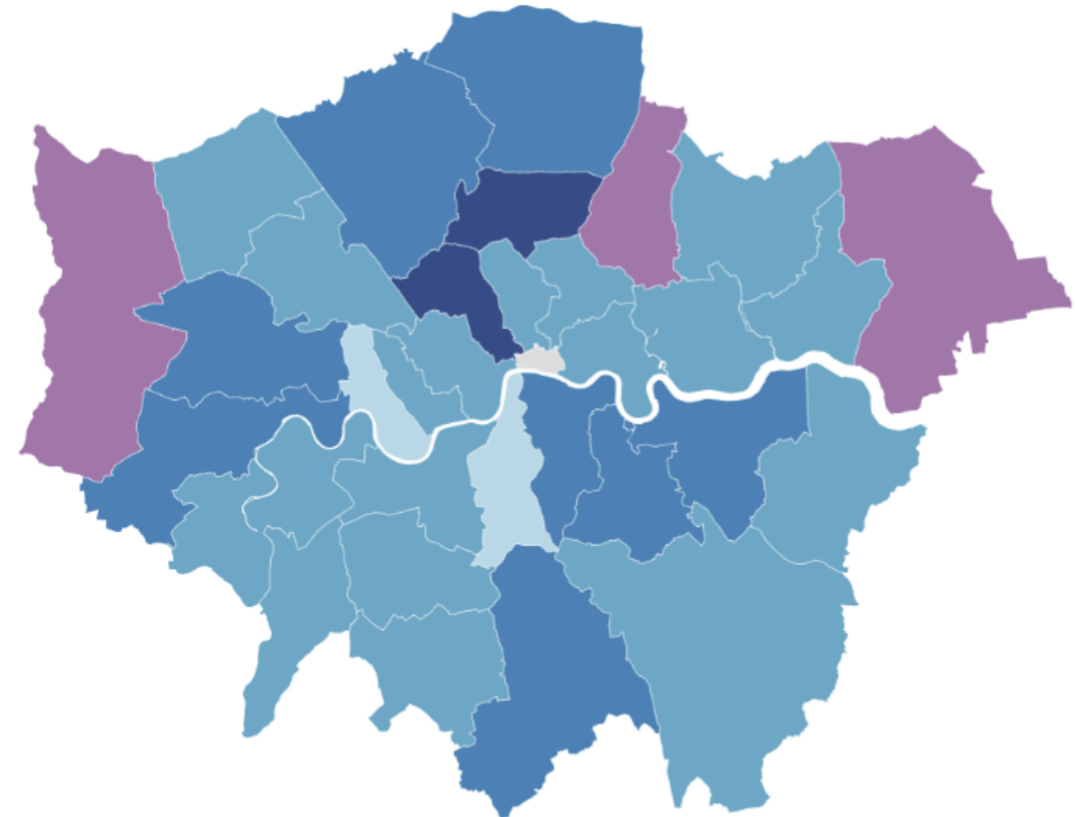


CVSs in London

CVSs are based in 29 London boroughs. The 3 boroughs which do not have a CVS are: Hillingdon, Havering and Waltham Forest.

There are 30 CVSs in total, with some boroughs having more than one CVS, and some CVSs working across more than one borough.

[Open the CVS reach map in your browser to learn more about the CVS in each borough. You can click through to their website or impact report.](#)



London CVSs and reach (the number of VCSEs in their databases)

■ No CVS ■ No data ■ 1 - 750 ■ 750 - 1500 ■ 1500+

Map data: © Crown copyright and database right 2018 • [Get the data](#) • Created with [Datawrapper](#)

Data notes

- 2 boroughs are missing data about reach (Lambeth and Hammersmith & Fulham)
- 2 boroughs have more than one CVS (Barnet and Newham)
- Hackney CVS has City of London within its remit
- Some CVS's work across more than one borough (e.g. Ealing & Hounslow CVS)

- Each borough has different proportions of charities
- CVSs have different methods of recording VCSE numbers in their databases (comparisons are not exact)



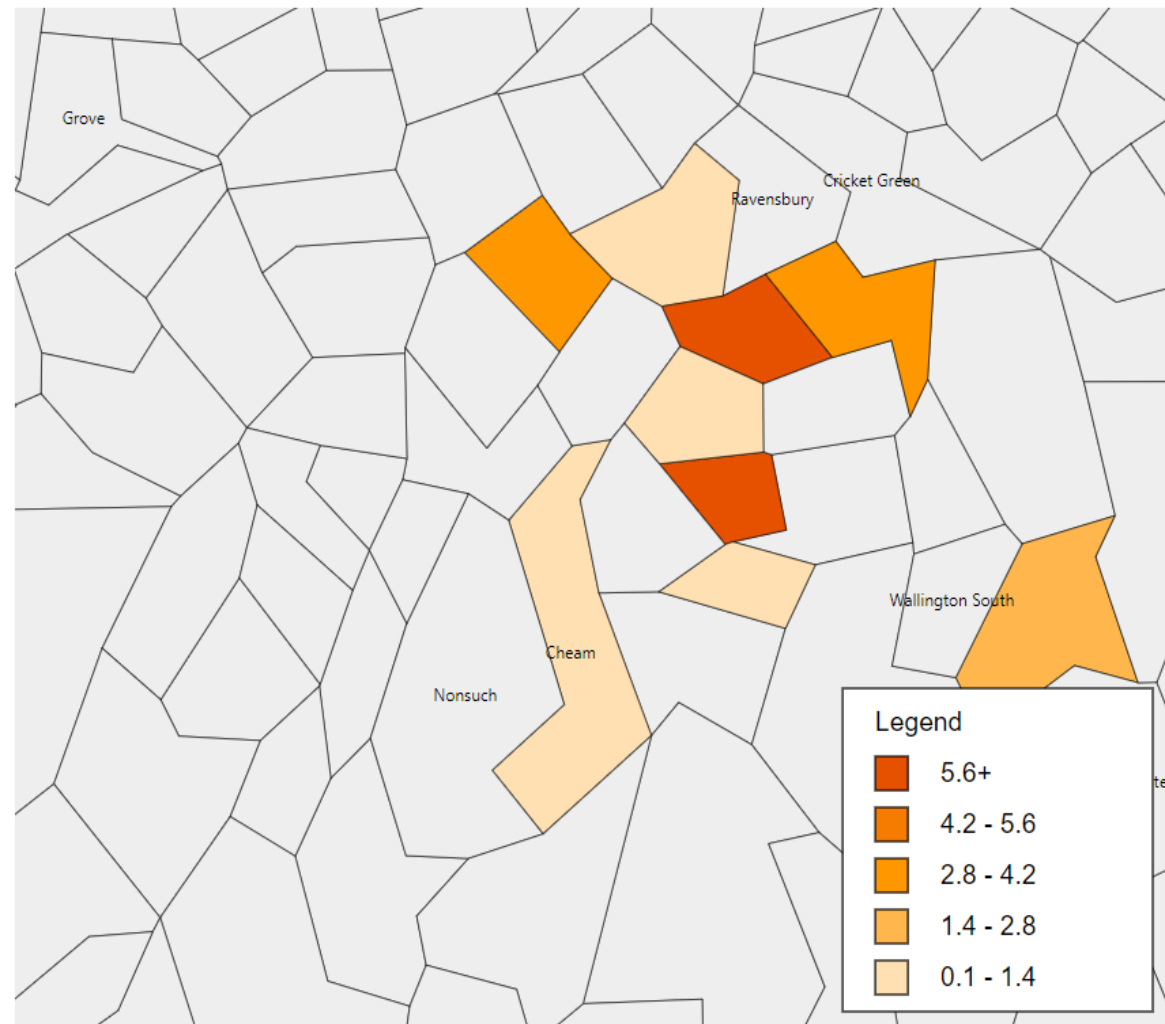
Datawrapper Choropleth Map Summary

- ✓ Create a range of maps in this free online mapping tool
- ✓ Optional to create an account to edit / copy your maps in future
- ✓ Select [Create map](#) and then the Choropleth map option
- ✓ Quickest to search for London maps, see what's available, then choose the right geography for you
- ✓ Paste in your Borough or Ward count data from a spreadsheet (check it's alphabetical & matches the list shown)
- ✓ Change the map design, display features, and add useful narrative
- ✓ Share via a link, embed in your website (it's interactive 😊) or download as an image file



AutoGeoMapper





Ward Name	LA Name	Ward Code	LA Code	Value
St Helier	Merton	E05000470	E09000024	1
St Helier	Sutton	E05000562	E09000029	6
Sutton Central	Sutton	E05000564	E09000029	7
Cheam	Sutton	E05000560	E09000029	1
Beddington South	Sutton	E05000556	E09000029	2
Sutton South	Sutton	E05000566	E09000029	1
Wandle Valley	Sutton	E05000571	E09000029	3
Lower Morden	Merton	E05000465	E09000024	3
Sutton North	Sutton	E05000565	E09000029	1

Wards

Local Authorities

File Name:

[Download Image](#)

[Download Data](#)



AutoGeoMapper Summary

- ✓ Paste in postcode data (can handle large numbers)
- ✓ The tool converts to wards and local authority areas and counts numbers of postcodes in each
- ✓ These are then visualised on a choropleth map – switch between ward / local authority
- ✓ Zoom in / out and download the image
- ✓ Download the data table with count values
- ✓ Alternatively paste in table data if you already have count values
- ✓ [See a demo recording](#)



Mapping best practice

Questions to ask yourself...

- ✓ Is the map for internal planning / operations?
- ✓ Or will you be sharing externally?
- ✓ Is the data personal and/or special categories?
- ✓ How can you ensure you're not identifying people? And complying with GDPR?
- ✓ Does mapping fit the purpose for which you collected the data?
- ✓ What will you do when the project's finished?





Thank you for listening

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