

# Community Wealth Building Maps- Community Solutions Funds 23/24



**COMMUNITY  
SOLUTIONS**  
Building Community Capacity  
and Carer Support



## Total Spend 23/24

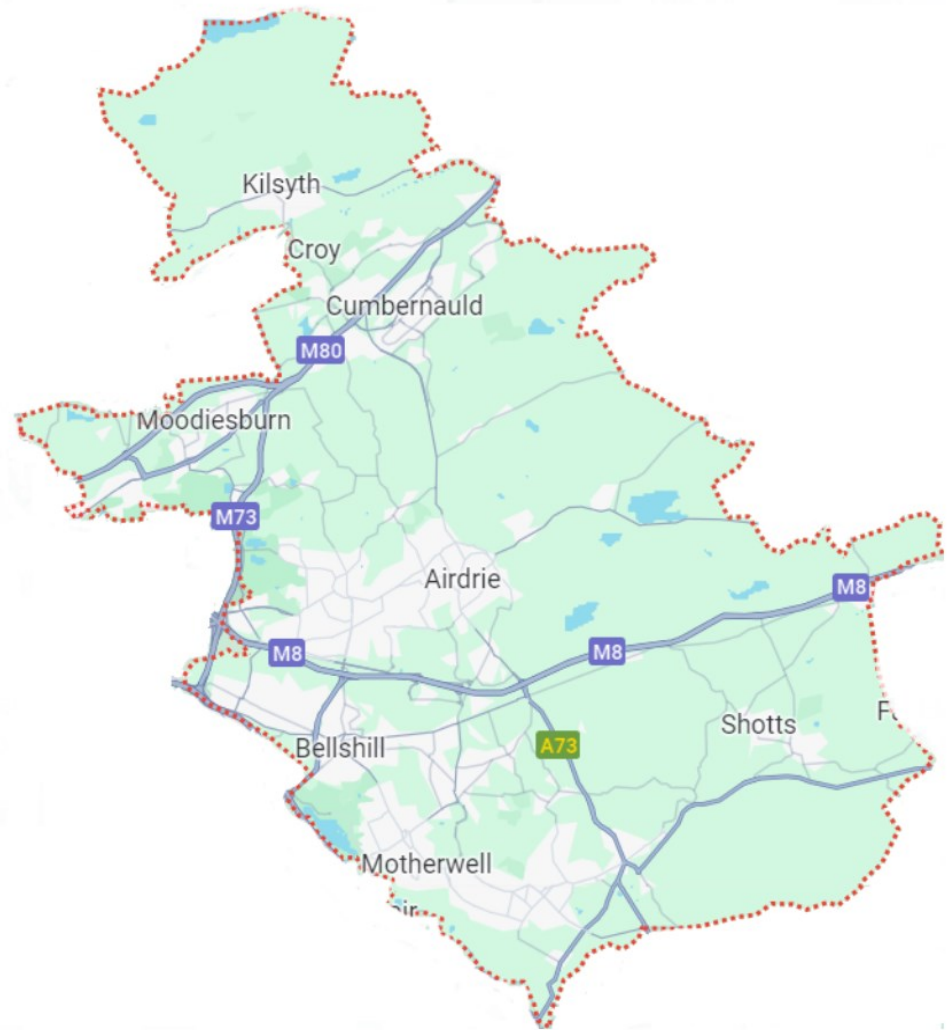
**Local Activity Fund-** £250,896.08

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund  
Phase 3-** £946,622.53

**Children, Young People and Families Mental  
Health and Wellbeing Fund Phase 4-**  
£424,121.37

**Carer Breather Phase 2 (Year 1)-** £216,410.51

**Total Overall-** £1,838,050.49



## The North Locality

73 projects - £965,077.03 allocated in total

**Local Activity Funding** - 16 projects, £51,533.00

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**

19 projects, £537,417.19 (including NL wide applications)

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWB Phase 4-**

32 projects, £84,061.84

**Carer Breather Phase 2** - 6 projects, £292,065.00  
(including NL wide applications)

## Airdrie Locality

45 projects - £784,604.43 allocated in total

**Locality Activity Funding** - 9 projects, £28,268.98

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3 -**

17 projects, £461,169.49 (including NL wide applications)

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWB Phase 4 -**

15 projects, £77,755.96

**Carer Breather Phase 2** - 4 projects, £217,410.00 (including  
NL wide applications)

## Coatbridge Locality

40 projects - £754,928.81 allocated in total

**Locality Activity Funding** - 5 projects, £24,530.00

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**

18 projects, £495,950.19

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWB**

**Phase 4** - 14 projects, £68,728.62

**Carer Breather Phase 2** - 3 projects,  
£165,720.00(including NL wide applications)

## Wishaw and Shotts Locality

54 projects - £895,678.90 allocated in total

**Locality Activity Funding** - 19 projects, £48,144.20

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase**

**3-** 20 projects, £552,632.32 (including NL wide  
applications)

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWB**

**Phase 4** - 11 projects, £74,758.38

**Carer Breather Phase 2** - 4 projects, £220,144.00  
(including NL wide applications)

## Bellshill Locality

48 projects - £838,954.31 allocated in total

**Locality Activity Funding** - 18 projects, £50,633.70

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applications)

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWB**

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## Motherwell Locality

48 projects- £915,412.74 allocated in total

**Locality Activity Funding** - 19 projects, £47,786.20

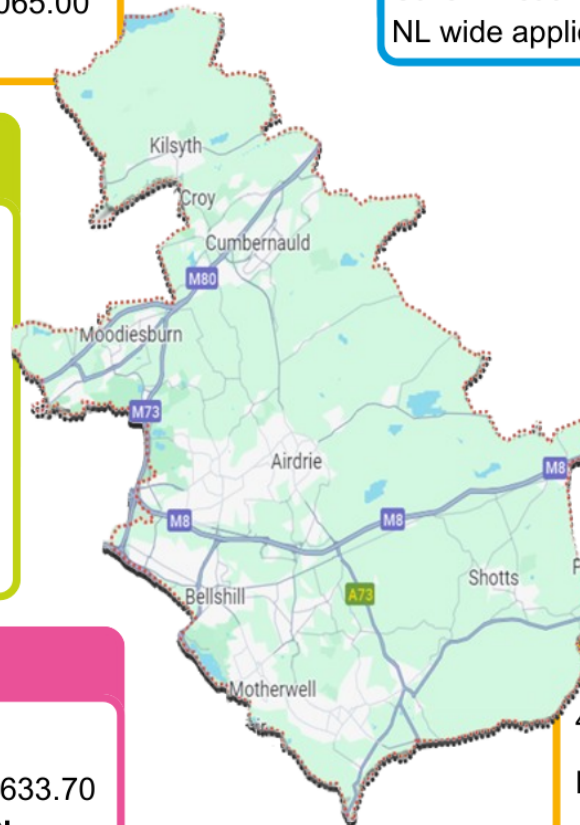
**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**

20 projects, £526,125.22 (including NL wide  
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Information on each individual project fund is available at point of request.

## Number of Beneficiaries Supported

**Local Activity Fund**- 2,615 beneficiaries

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3**- 308 beneficiaries

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWP Phase 4** - 624 beneficiaries

**Carer Breather Phase 2**- 544 beneficiaries

***Total beneficiaries supported in Airdrie- 4,091***







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## Number of Beneficiaries Supported

**Local Activity Fund-** 3,759 beneficiaries

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**

363 beneficiaries

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWP Phase 4-**

69 beneficiaries

**Carer Breather Phase 2-** 494 beneficiaries

***Total beneficiaries supported in the Bellshill- 4,685***



## Coatbridge Locality

40 projects - £754,928.81 allocated in total

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**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**

18 projects, £495,950.19 (including NL wide applications)

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWP Phase 4-**

14 projects, £68,728.62

**Carer Breather Phase 2** - 3 projects, £165,720.00 (including NL wide applications)

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## Number of Beneficiaries Supported

**Local Activity Fund-** 572 beneficiaries

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**

593 beneficiaries

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWP Phase 4 -**

424 beneficiaries

**Carer Breather Phase 2-** 39 beneficiaries

***Total beneficiaries supported in Coatbridge- 1,628***

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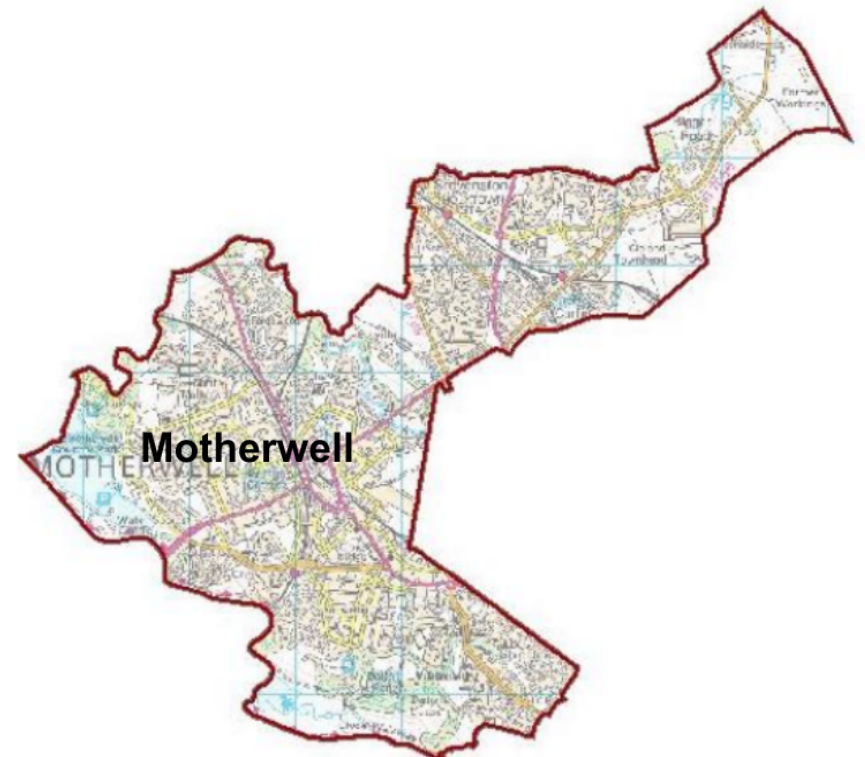
**Local Activity Fund-** 818 beneficiaries

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**  
5,714 beneficiaries

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWP Phase 4 -**  
402 beneficiaries

**Carer Breather Phase 2-** 349 beneficiaries

***Total beneficiaries supported in Motherwell- 7,283***







## Wishaw and Shotts Locality

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20 projects, £552,632.32 (including NL wide applications)

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWP Phase 4 -**

11 projects, £74,758.38

**Carer Breather Phase 2** - 4 projects, £220,144.00 (including NL wide applications)

Information on each individual project fund is available at point of request.

## Number of Beneficiaries Supported

**Local Activity Fund-** 3,581 beneficiaries

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**  
3,340 beneficiaries

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWP Phase 4 -**  
145 beneficiaries

**Carer Breather Phase 2-** 280 beneficiaries

***Total beneficiaries supported in Wishaw and Shotts- 7,346***



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32 projects, £84,061.84

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## Number of Beneficiaries Supported

**Local Activity Fund-** 6,040 beneficiaries

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Phase 3-**

1,181 beneficiaries

**Children, Young People and Families CMHWP Phase 4 -**

254 beneficiaries

**Carer Breather Phase 2-** 487 beneficiaries

***Total beneficiaries supported in the North- 7,962***



## NL Wide

15 projects- £359,678.58 allocated in total

**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing**

**Phase 3-** 12 projects, £332,058.57

**Carer Breather Phase 2-** 3 projects, £27,620.01

## Number of Beneficiaries Supported

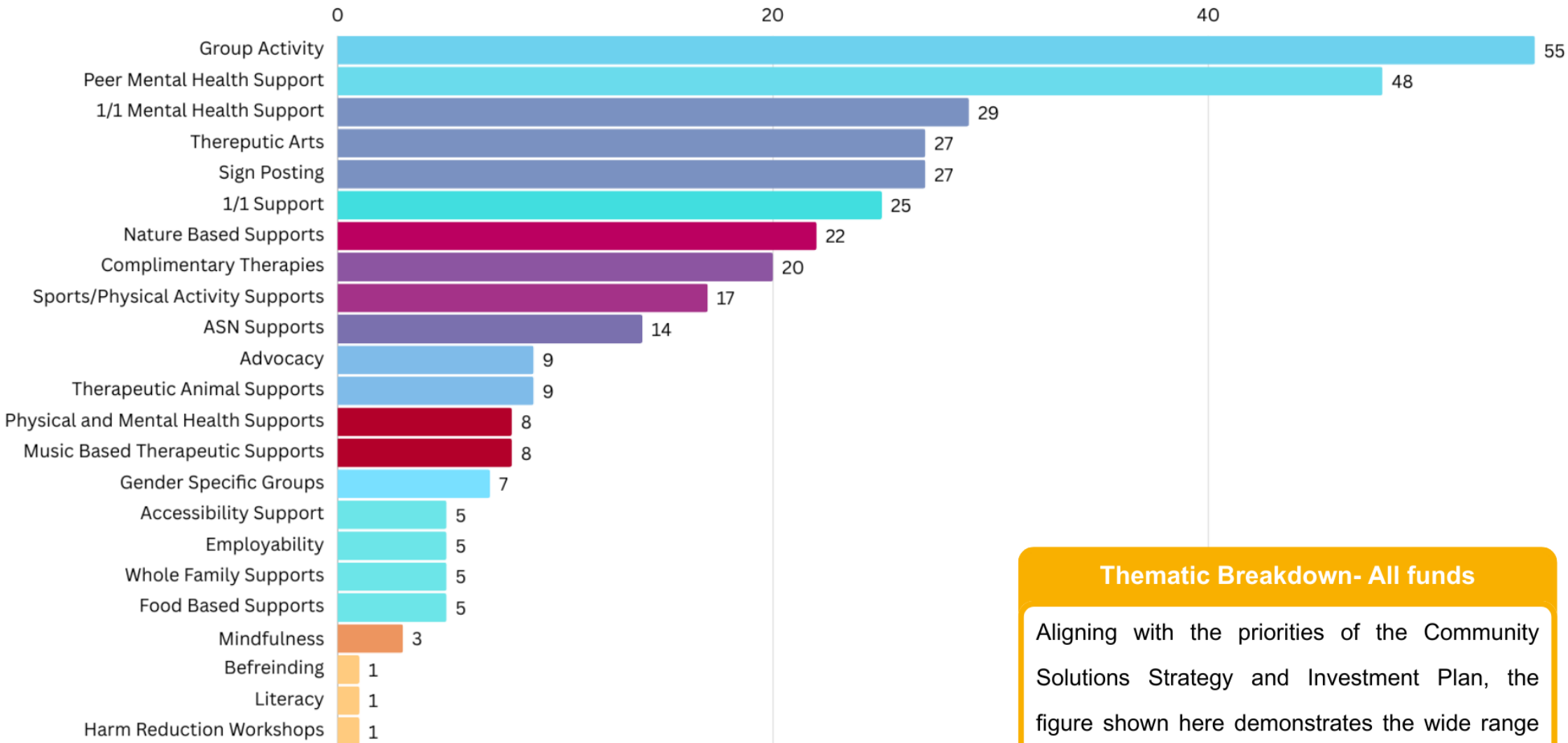
**Community Mental Health and Wellbeing**

**Phase 3-** 1,453 beneficiaries

**Carer Breather Phase 2-** 232 beneficiaries

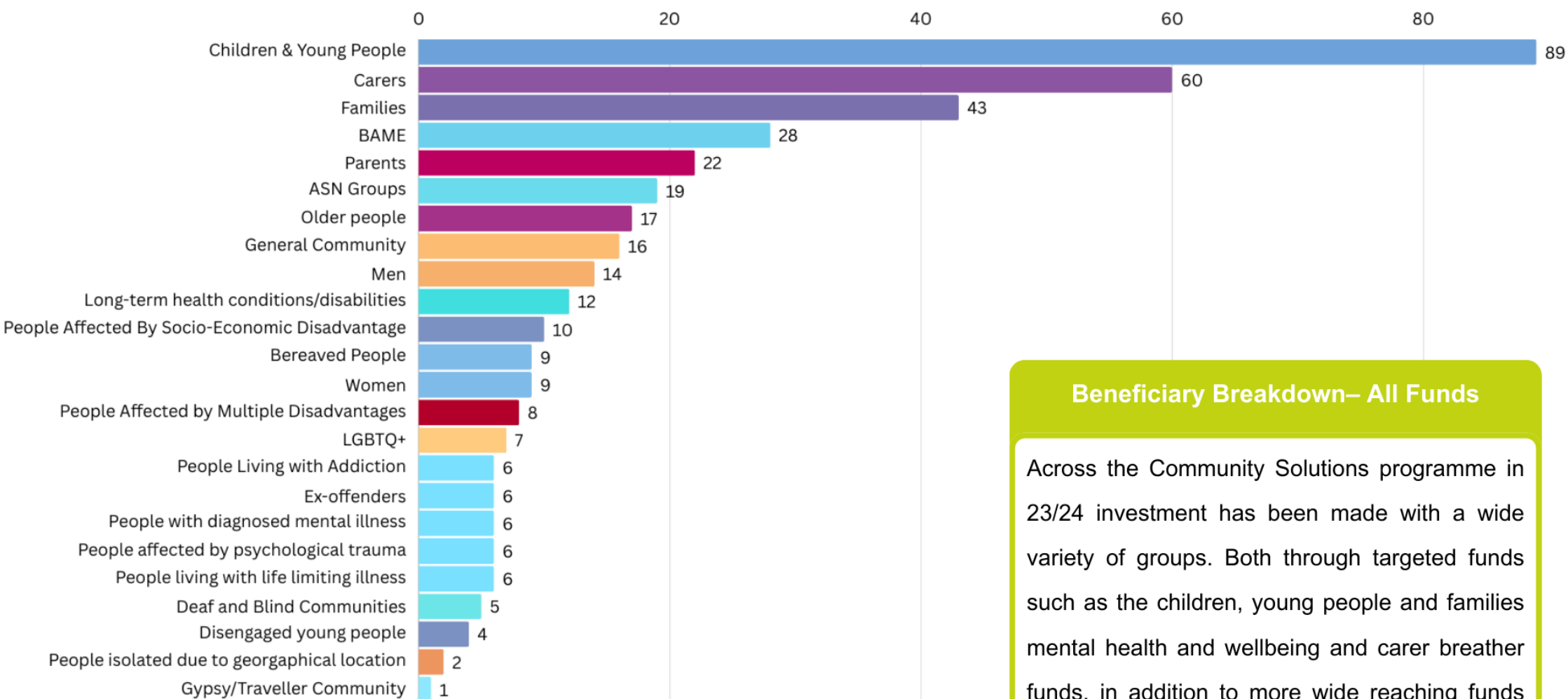
***Total beneficiaries supported NL Wide- 1,685***





### Thematic Breakdown- All funds

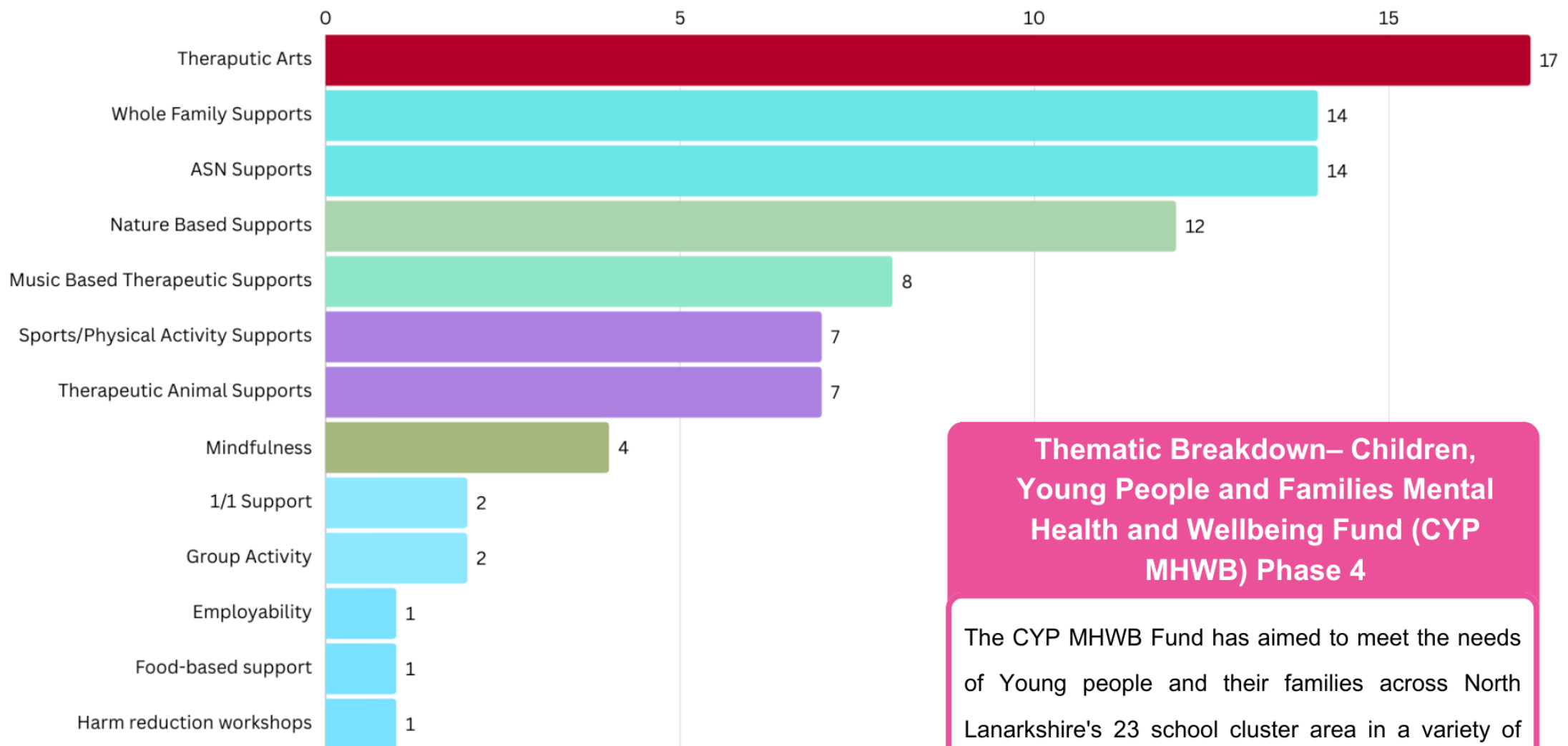
Aligning with the priorities of the Community Solutions Strategy and Investment Plan, the figure shown here demonstrates the wide range of prevention and early intervention based supports that have been funded through the Community Solutions Programme.



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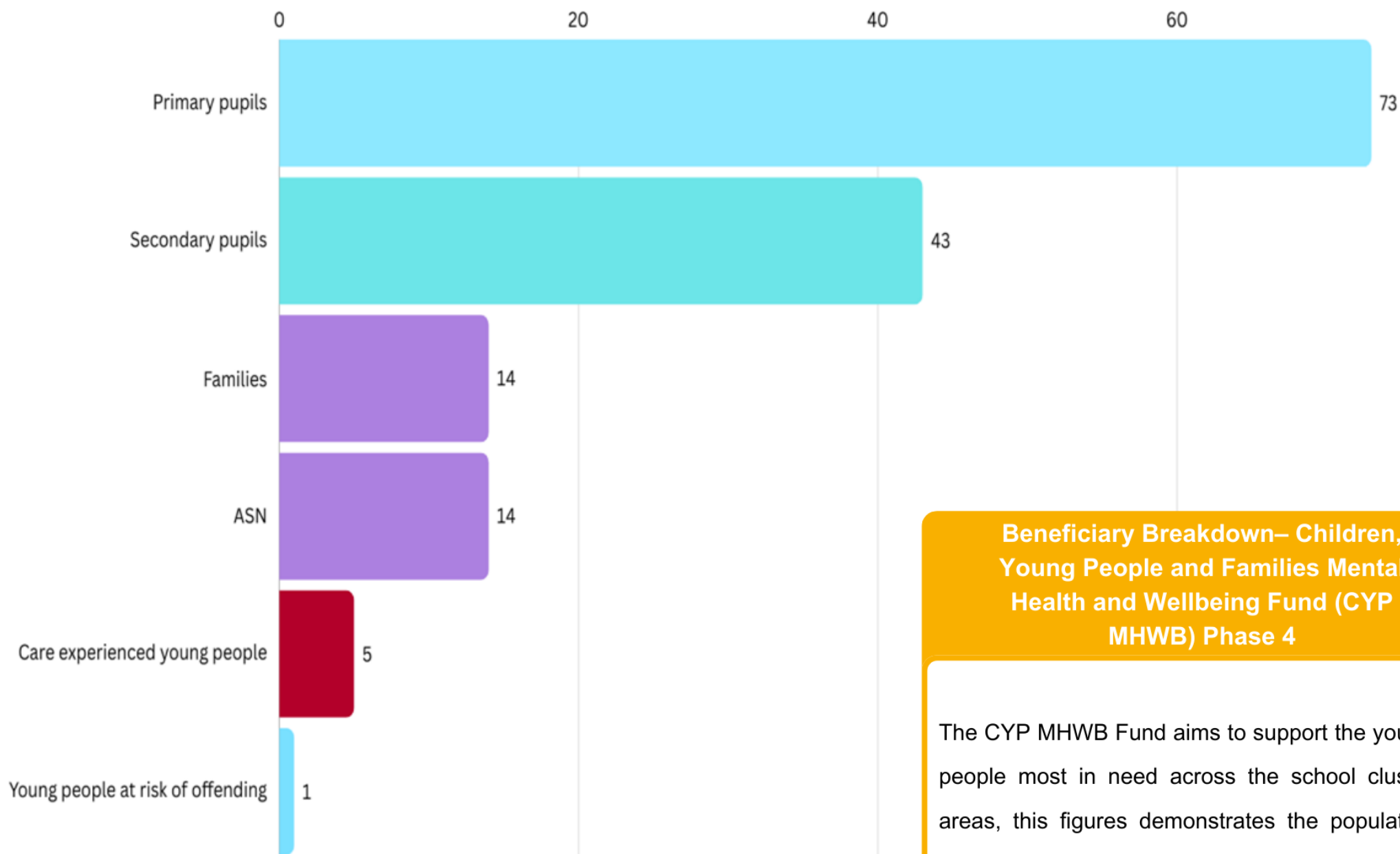
Across the Community Solutions programme in 23/24 investment has been made with a wide variety of groups. Both through targeted funds such as the children, young people and families mental health and wellbeing and carer breather funds, in addition to more wide reaching funds such as the locality activity fund, this figure shows the wide range of beneficiary groups reached by the programme.





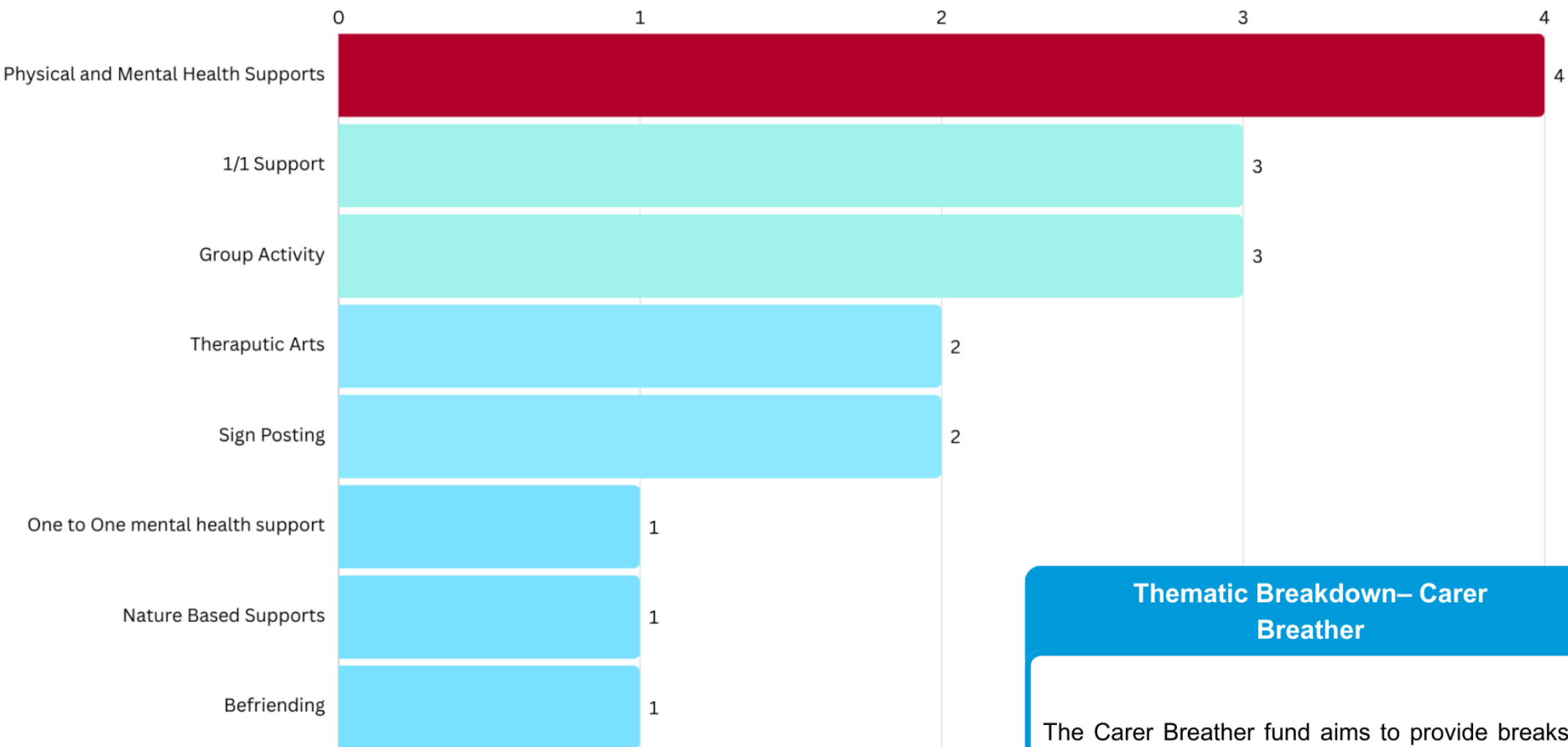
### Thematic Breakdown– Children, Young People and Families Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund (CYP MHWB) Phase 4

The CYP MHWB Fund has aimed to meet the needs of Young people and their families across North Lanarkshire's 23 school cluster area in a variety of ways over the previous phase of this fund. This figure demonstrates the breadth of themes supported by projects through this fund.



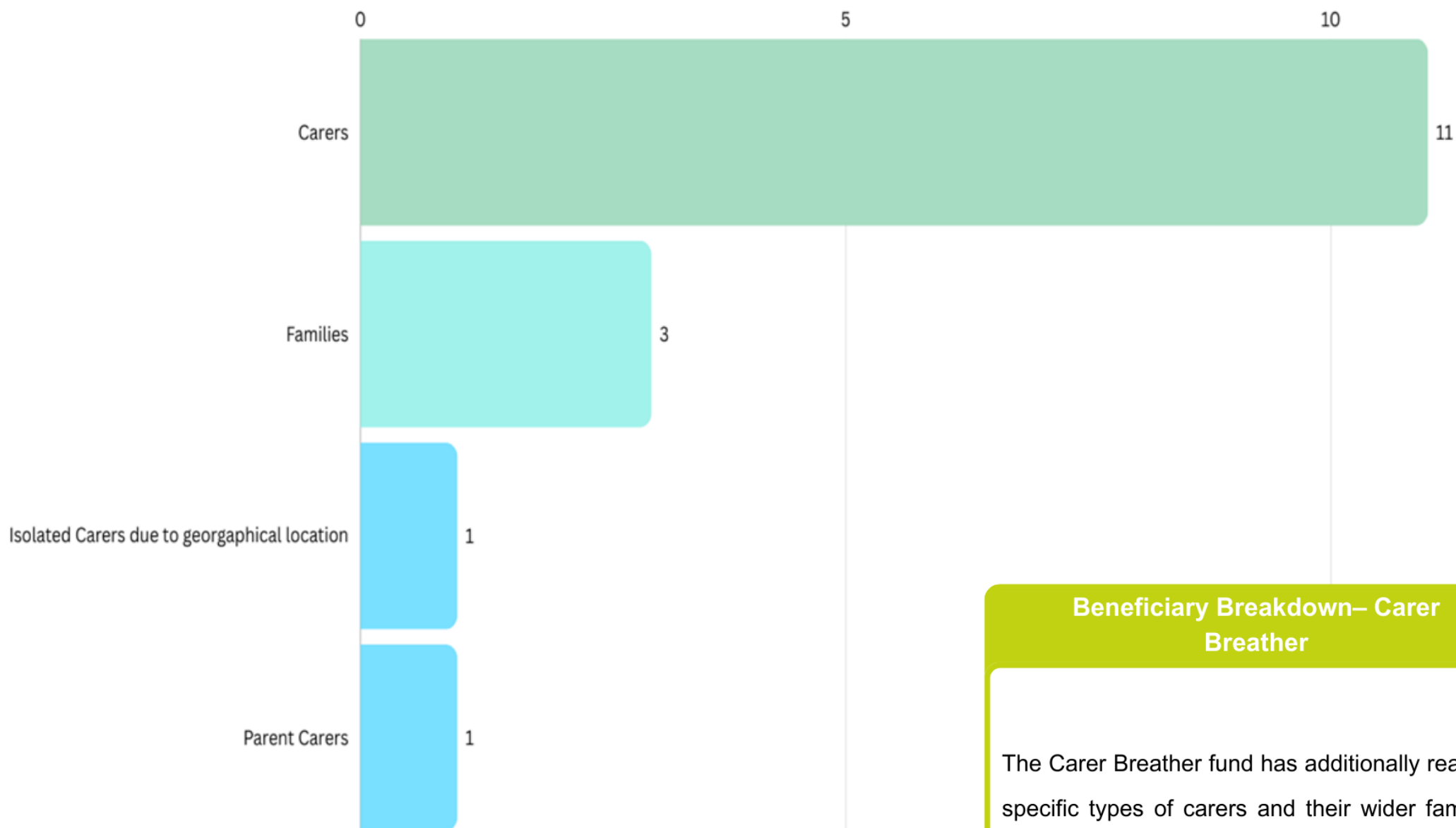
**Beneficiary Breakdown– Children, Young People and Families Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund (CYP MHWB) Phase 4**

The CYP MHWB Fund aims to support the young people most in need across the school cluster areas, this figures demonstrates the population groups identified as most in need of support.



### Thematic Breakdown– Carer Breather

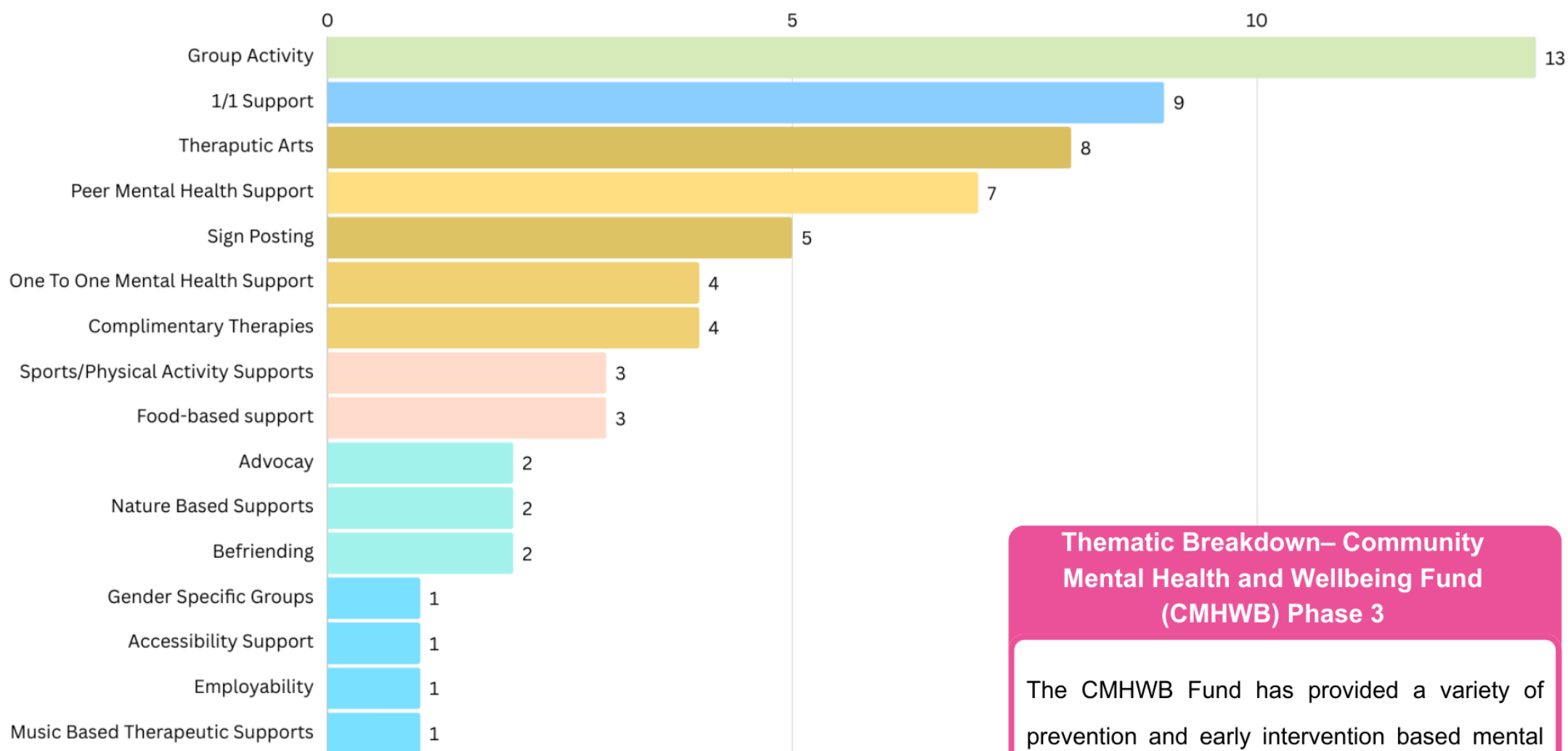
The Carer Breather fund aims to provide breaks for carers from their caring role. The figure shown here highlights the variety of areas these breaks have been provided through.



### Beneficiary Breakdown– Carer Breather

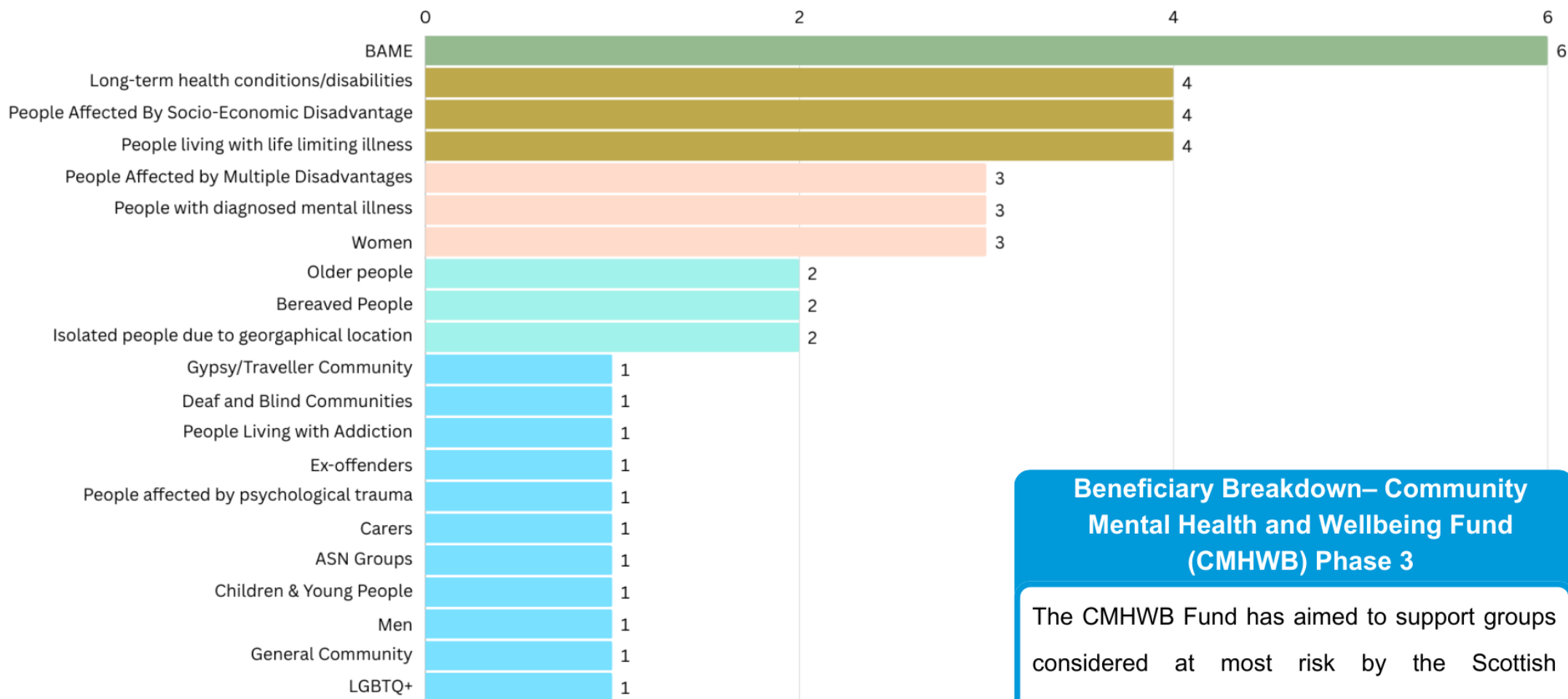
The Carer Breather fund has additionally reached specific types of carers and their wider families, this figure demonstrates that reach.





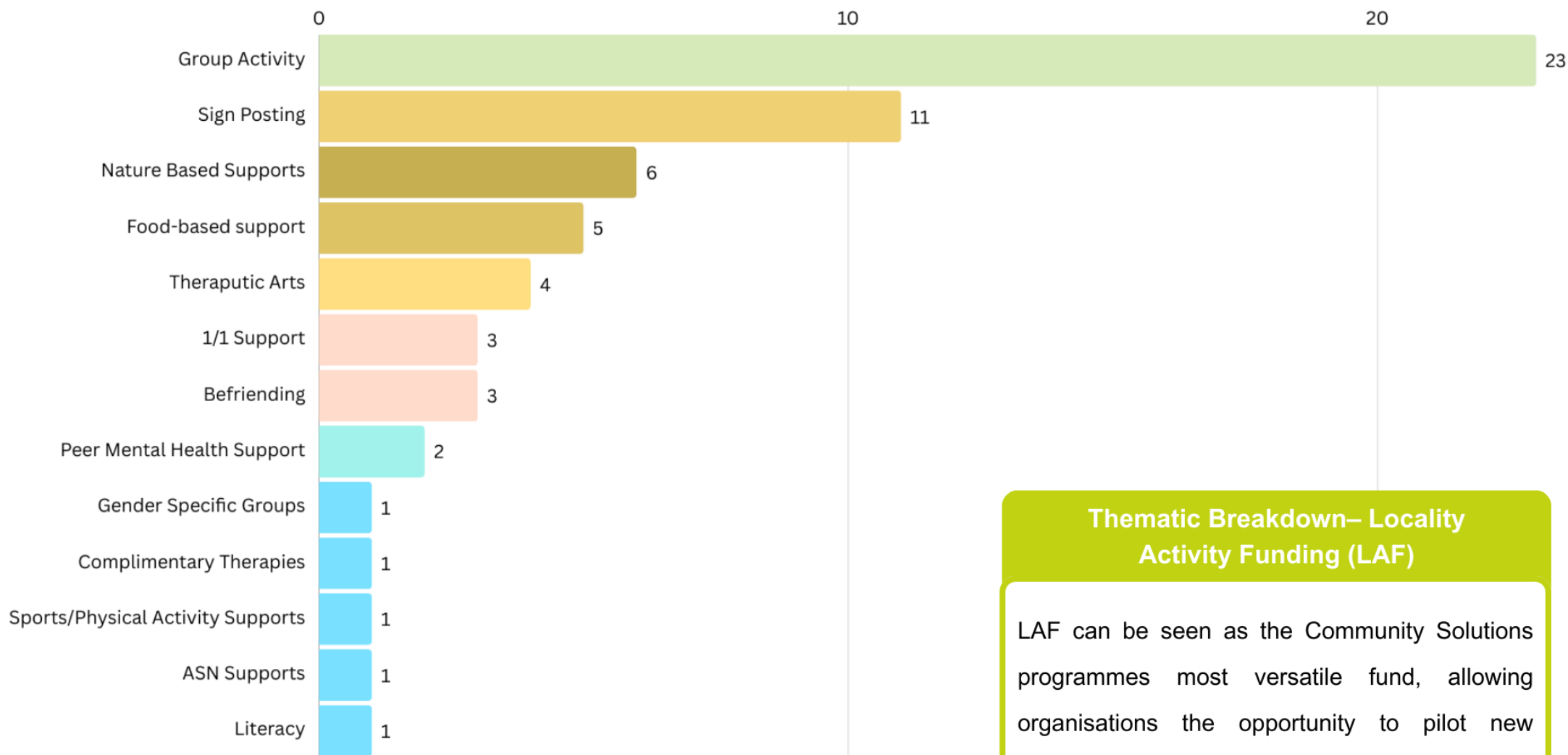
### Thematic Breakdown– Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund (CMHWB) Phase 3

The CMHWB Fund has provided a variety of prevention and early intervention based mental health and wellbeing supports within North Lanarkshire . The figure here demonstrates the thematic scope of these supports.



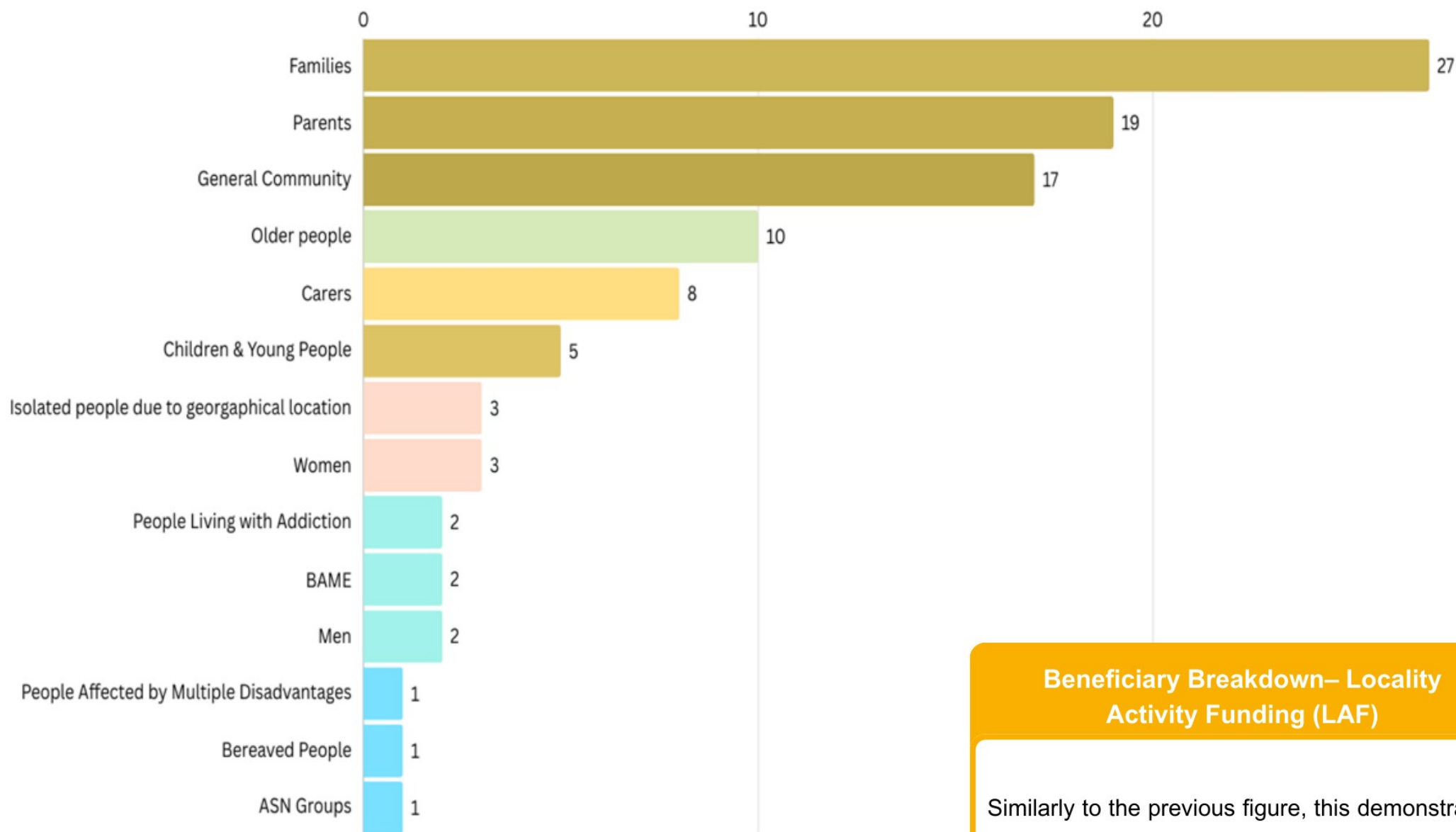
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The CMHWB Fund has aimed to support groups considered at most risk by the Scottish government of being affected by mental illness. The Figure here demonstrates the scope of groups the fund has been able to reach in phase 3.



### Thematic Breakdown– Locality Activity Funding (LAF)

LAF can be seen as the Community Solutions programmes most versatile fund, allowing organisations the opportunity to pilot new supports for the communities they work with, this figure demonstrates the scope of these supports.



### Beneficiary Breakdown– Locality Activity Funding (LAF)

Similarly to the previous figure, this demonstrates the versatility of LAF through the groups it has been invested in.



# Community Impact

This page highlights how funding provided throughout North Lanarkshire has had a positive impact on the community.

"Your work empowers parents like myself to advocate for our children and collaborate with schools to create a truly inclusive learning environment."

**- Parent involved in HOPE for Autism Personalised Intensive Support (Children, Young People and Families Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund Phase 4)**

"Many members have expressed relief at being able to feed their families without sacrificing other essential needs. The saving made by accessing affordable food have allowed individuals to allocate their limited resources to other crucial areas, such as housing, utilities, and healthcare. This financial reprieve has been instrumental in reducing stress and improving quality of life for many residents."

**-Community Pantry facilitator involved in Friends of Kilsyth Community Pantry (Local Activity Fund)**

"It's been so good coming here and chatting to the other parents. Sometimes you just feel so alone and that no-one is going through what you're going through. It helps to know that you're not the only one finding it hard. I feel like I can really be myself here and no-one is judging me, everyone is really understanding. I feel like I've made some new friends too, I don't have many of those."

**-Person involved in Bazooka Arts Therapeutic Group for Unpaid Carers (Carer Breather Phase 2 Year 1 Fund)**

"M (46) has just tested positive for Huntington's Disease. She didn't know where to start in talking to her children and what is ahead for herself. HD specialist looked at support M needed to come to terms with her result, referred to Youth Service to support M to talk to her children and for them to get individual support, liaised with CMHT, and linked in with local support group to allow M to share her journey with others."

**-Case study from Scottish Huntington's Association's HD specialist (Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund Phase 3)**

# Next Steps

## **Local Activity Funding**

This fund has seen a strengthening in the supports and guidance surrounding it in the current financial year through additional and more refined guidance, providing more detail around the purpose and conditions of the fund, along with increased detail around the role the consortium and locality hosts have in the distribution of the fund.

Additionally the fund has seen a refresh of the locality development plans across all six localities. These providing guidance tailored to each locality around not only the aims of each locality but additionally support ensuring this fund meets local needs.

## **Community Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund (Phase 4)**

As this fund enters phase 4 of allocation a number of changes have been made to the allocation process. Firstly, similarly to LAF this has seen an increase in supports through increased and more detailed guidance and the introduction of wider supports such as funding surgeries being scheduled for the last quarter of 2024.

Equally the fund has changed to meet gaps identified across the previous three phases, expanding its panel to be more representative of the NL population and the partners involved in the community solutions programme but also by adding new groups who have previously not accessed the fund to the under represented groups funding stream.

## **Children, Young People and Families Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund (Phase 5)**

The fund is currently in phase 5 of its allocation and delivery and has aimed to meet the needs within each of the school clusters by responding to feedback from previous phases of the fund and adopting the panel model outlined by the CMHWP fund. Additionally the fund has divided this allocation approach between two points in the school year, allowing clusters to access supports throughout the year.

## **Carer Breather (Phase 2)**

The fund is currently in delivery of year 2 of its second phase seeing organisations funded in year 1 continuing to deliver their previously funded projects.