

Testimonials

"A big thanks... for balanced impartial advice and as much time and support as I needed to make what seemed like an impossible decision."

"X was an absolutely brilliant listener. She always made me feel heard and never judged. She was always compassionate and thoughtful, and I felt we had an excellent rapport."

"I wish this service was more known, people should be told of local services when booking an abortion as additional support if needed."

"As somebody who wasn't sure how approach grief after a miscarriage, I feel the structure and support of the programme enabled me to feel comfortable with what had happened, and to move forward with my life."

"The atmosphere was relaxed and non-judgemental. I never felt pressured to rush my decision or be biased. The sessions helped direct attention/focus to 'what really matters', and to gain full visibility and clarity of the entire issue. No-one speaks on your behalf, you're in control/in charge, which sets the right path ahead for 'no regrets'."

"Crossway helped me after my second miscarriage – it was such a hard time for me and I really really appreciated the space to talk about what I'd been through and how I was feeling. My second much wanted baby is now nearly one, so this donation is in her honour."

"The course helped me through the most difficult time of my life, and if I had not found Crossway on the internet, I don't think I would have got through it. Thank you."



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ANNUAL REVIEW 2021

A Year in Numbers



WE LISTENED TO
126 CENTRE CLIENTS
& 84 NHS CLIENTS



WE TAUGHT
1,422
YOUNG PEOPLE
ABOUT SEX
AND HEALTHY
RELATIONSHIPS



WE FACILITATED
385 CLIENT SESSIONS



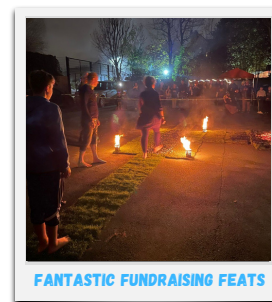
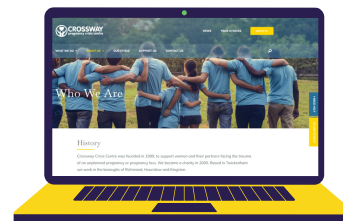
OUR VOLUNTEERS
CLOCKED OVER
100 HOURS



OUR CLIENTS:
88%
FEMALE
12%
MALE

Highlights of the year

- Clients returned to face-to-face sessions, as well as phone and video calls
- Our new website was launched
- We said farewell to Karen Pitchford as Centre Director, Anne Wallace as Fundraising Trustee and Rachel Burnell as Schools Coordinator
- New Centre Director, Fay Hamilton was appointed, along with Douska Rajska Waldron who took on new role as Development Officer
- We welcomed three new members of staff, Nel Holland, Development Officer, Benis George, Schools Coordinator and Claire Pearce, Support Coordinator
- We launched our first Fantastic Fundraising Feat in October, a Firewalk Challenge



- **Spring**
Thank you event for all our supporters
- **Summer**
Fantastic Fundraising Feat
- **Autumn**
Dinner dance evening

Thank You to...



- Everyone who supported us financially through donating and regular giving
- Everyone who participated in a sponsored challenge
- Barnes Fund, St Stephen's Church, Richmond Parish Lands, Kingston Charitable Foundation, Souter, Hampton Funds, The Arnold Clark Grant Fund, Assura Community Fund, PCN Grant and many more
- All our volunteers for their time and skills
- All those people who pray for us

Our plans for 2022

- **Run** the 'I AM' project in Bronzefield prison and in the community
- **Run** miscarriage and post abortion support groups
- **Roll out** new marketing strategy to increase client numbers