

Funding Opportunities

We thought this document might be a useful resource for our communities – we hope it helps.

Ian McIntock, a very experienced charity CEO & chair, and founder of the free Charity Excellence Framework, is providing details and links to emergency funding for charities - UK wide, UK country, regional, local and global, Government financial support, specialist funding and platforms, on LinkedIn. At the moment there are over 100 on his list and he is updating them regularly. The link is <https://www.linkedin.com/pulse/coronavirus-charity-funding-announcements-ian-mclintock/>

Young Barnet Foundation are also providing details of funding organisations which might be applicable to some of our communities. Click on the link at the bottom of the section to see the funds available which are updated regularly.



London Community Response

<https://londoncommunityresponsefund.org.uk/>

Wave 1 Small Grants: This first wave of funding from the collaboration of funders is for urgent needs so that you can cover costs that you are incurring right now to support communities affected by the covid-19 outbreak and the move to social distancing, with a focus on food and essentials. Groups have told us that they are incurring additional expenditure to meet short-term needs around food and essential items such as mobile phones, data and cleaning products in these initial weeks. This funding is intended to enable you to cover these essential and urgent costs so that you can carry on providing support to Londoners. You can [apply now for a grant up to £5,000](#) for these immediate and urgent needs. A larger fund will become available in April larger grants, service transformation costs, and ongoing work to support communities. And you can apply for both.

CAF Coronavirus Emergency Fund <https://www.cafonline.org>

The CAF Coronavirus Emergency Fund is open to small charities and organisations with charitable activities that had an income of £1million or less last year. The Fund can cover core costs, staffing, volunteer costs, supplies and equipment, communications or other critical charitable areas. We want to help ensure that as many vital charitable organisations as possible can continue their work during these challenging times.

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Barnet Community Response to Coronavirus Fund

<https://www.youngbarnetfoundation.org.uk/coronavirus>

Information on how community groups from across Barnet will be available this week as the fund seeks to distribute the initial £3,500 raised for food and any equipment to support the safety of volunteers involved in the food relief effort.

Sylvia Adams <http://sylvia-adams.org.uk/>

In response to the crisis, Sylvia Adams Charitable Trust has changed their application Guidelines for charities applying for up to £5000 and with an income under £75,000.

TechForce 19 Challenge <https://techforce19.uk/>

Probably of most relevance to our organisations dealing with Mental Health Provision NHSX is calling on all innovators who can support the elderly, vulnerable and self-isolating during COVID-19 to apply for government funding of up to £25,000 to test their solution of digital ways of supporting people.

Arts Council Emergency Fund

<https://www.artscouncil.org.uk/covid19>

We are making £160 million of emergency funding available for those organisations and individuals who will need it during this crisis, and we have also changed the funding requirements for **individuals and organisations** currently in receipt of our funding.

Other Funds due to launch this week

These Funders have indicated they will open funding in due course or change funding guidelines in response to this crisis

<https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/about/coronavirus-updates>

<https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/>

<https://www.comicrelief.com/>

Link to view Young Barnet Foundation's regularly updated funding page:

<https://www.youngbarnetfoundation.org.uk/membersupport>

If we can be of any help or support, please do let us know.