

# Sources of Funding

**A wide range of funding sources are available to voluntary and community organisations. This guidance has information on the main sources of funding available, followed by a section giving details of specific funding sources for organisations supporting victims of crimes.**

## Statutory Funding

This is money that comes from the taxpayer through a variety of routes, such as local authorities, central government departments, the Police Authority, the Health Authority, Government Office for the Regions, Regional Development Agencies and the Learning and Skills Council. Funding can be through grants, contracting/procurement of services, or loans.

### Central Government Departments

Most government funding for local voluntary and community groups comes through local or regional government, but some central government departments offer funding programmes for organisations.

The Government Funding website provides information on grant programmes from a number of central government departments (some grant programmes include Wales as well as England):

- Cabinet Office
- Department for Communities and Local Government
- Department for Children, Schools and Families

- Department of Health
  - HM Revenue & Customs
  - Home Office
  - Ministry of Defence
  - Ministry of Justice
  - Government Offices for the Regions
- [www.governmentfunding.org.uk](http://www.governmentfunding.org.uk)

The entry point for information on all government departments is [www.direct.gov.uk](http://www.direct.gov.uk)

In Wales, the Welsh Assembly Government is the first point of contact [www.wales.gov.uk](http://www.wales.gov.uk)

Some central government funding is distributed through 'arms-length' bodies with some independence from government, such as the Learning and Skills Council and the Legal Services Commission.

**Capacity Builders** is a government funded programme to strengthen voluntary sector infrastructure in England through:

- supporting the development of consortia throughout England;
- driving the work of the national hubs of expertise; and
- providing grant programmes for consortia and other infrastructure bodies to support frontline organisations.

[www.capacitybuilders.org.uk](http://www.capacitybuilders.org.uk)

## Regional Government

Government Offices for the Regions and Regional Development Agencies are the structures through which central government funding is distributed regionally. This type of funding is often targeted at specific areas and may be distributed through additional intermediary bodies such as local partnerships like Sure Start, or New Deal for Communities.

Government Offices for the Regions  
[www.gos.gov.uk/national](http://www.gos.gov.uk/national)

To find your local Government Office.

Regional Development Agencies  
[www.englandsrdas.com](http://www.englandsrdas.com)

To find your Regional Development Agency.

In Wales, this is all managed through the Welsh Assembly Government (contact above).

## Local Government

Individual local authorities often have specific voluntary sector liaison posts to provide information, support and possible funding to voluntary sector organisations. Local authority departments, health authorities, social services directorates, and the Police may have funding that voluntary organisations can apply for. Increasingly this means working to a contract or service level agreement to provide a commissioned service, either directly with the statutory authority, or through a partner body such as a housing Arms-Length Management Organisation (ALMO), or a multi-agency partnership, such as a Local Strategic Partnership or a Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership.

Some grants may be available at short notice for specific pieces of work that are advertised through local partnerships and networks. You should ensure that you receive information about, and get involved in all the various mailing lists and networks relevant to your work, and that you have contact with relevant officers and commissioning officers of statutory bodies. There is more about this in the Public Relations Toolkit.

A list of all local authorities is available from [www.direct.gov.uk](http://www.direct.gov.uk) and all Rural Community Councils can be found at [www.ruralcommunities.gov.uk](http://www.ruralcommunities.gov.uk).

Information on local health authorities, primary care trusts and other NHS services is available through the main NHS website.  
[www.nhs.uk](http://www.nhs.uk)

Information on local police authorities is available through the Association of Police Authorities website.

[www.apa.police.uk](http://www.apa.police.uk)

The Compact is an agreement to improve working relationships between government and the voluntary sector. All local authority areas should have produced a Local Compact for use in improving partnership working and resolving disagreements between local authorities, other local statutory bodies and the local voluntary sector. The Compact website has more information and guidance on Compacts.  
[www.thecompact.org.uk](http://www.thecompact.org.uk)

## Procurement

Procurement is when the public sector buys or contracts goods and services from the private or voluntary sectors. For the voluntary sector, this generally means the delivery of services under contract to local authorities, primary care trusts or other public bodies.

In general, finding out about opportunities and being invited to tender needs a combination of research about likely agencies and bodies and networking to build relationships with relevant organisations, including staff at public bodies. Contract opportunities are advertised through various channels, including:

### Official Journal of the European Union (OJEU)

This publishes almost all public procurement contracts over a specified EU threshold in the Supplement to the Official Journal (OJS), which has an online version called Electronic Tenders Daily (TED).

[www.ted.eur-op.eu.int](http://www.ted.eur-op.eu.int)

The **Supply2** website enables organisations to register and receive notification of smaller value procurement contract opportunities (typically below a value of £100,000).

[www.supply2.gov.uk](http://www.supply2.gov.uk)

**Futurebuilders'** publication 'Guide to Purchasers' Plans - or How to Find out Who Might Purchase Your Service' provides guidance on searching for contracting opportunities.

[www.futurebuilders-england.org.uk](http://www.futurebuilders-england.org.uk)

The **Department of Health (DH)** Procurement and Proposals website provides information about purchasing and tenders within the Department of Health and the NHS, and also provides guidance on submitting tenders.

[www.dh.gov.uk/ProcurementAndProposals/fs/en](http://www.dh.gov.uk/ProcurementAndProposals/fs/en)

The **NHS Purchasing and Supply Agency (PASA)** 'Supplier Relations and Communication Strategy' and 'Selling to the NHS - a guide for suppliers' are both available online.

[www.pasa.nhs.uk](http://www.pasa.nhs.uk)

The **Bluelight** website has tender information from the emergency services.

[www.bluelight.gov.uk](http://www.bluelight.gov.uk)

The **Government Opportunities** website has information on procurement opportunities across government.

[www.govopps.co.uk](http://www.govopps.co.uk)

## European funding

The 25 member states of the European Union contribute money to the European Commission which is redistributed through a variety of funding programmes to meet European objectives.

### Structural Funds

European Structural Funds are the main way in which the European Union has tried to encourage greater economic and social cohesion and uniformity of living standards across the member states. Funding is delivered through the European Social Fund (ESF) and European Regional Development Fund (ERDF). Most of the funding goes to support economic growth, employment and skills.

In England, the Department for Work and Pensions is responsible for delivery of ESF money. ERDF is delivered regionally through the Government Offices of the Regions and the Regional Development Agencies.

European Social Fund (ESF)

[www.esf.gov.uk](http://www.esf.gov.uk)

European Regional Development Fund (ERDF)

[www.ERDF.communities.gov.uk](http://www.ERDF.communities.gov.uk)

In Wales, the Welsh European Funding Office (an executive agency of the Welsh Assembly Government) is responsible for delivery of ESF and ERDF.

[www.wefo.wales.gov.uk](http://www.wefo.wales.gov.uk)

### Other European funding

The European Union also runs a large number of funding programmes in particular areas of work. All EU funding aims to increase communication and joint working across different countries within the EU, so most funding programmes will require partnership working with organisations in other member states. Also, grants will only pay for up to 50% of the costs of a project or activity – you will need match funding.

The starting point for finding out about the many European grant programmes and calls for applications is the European Commission website which has an index of grant programmes divided into policy categories.

[ec.europa.eu/grants/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/grants/index_en.htm)

### Europe Direct Centres

25 centres have been established across Europe that offer access to up-to-date information on EU legal matters, policy developments and funding programmes.

[ec.europa.eu/europedirect/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/europedirect/index_en.htm)

# Charitable Trusts and Foundations

Charitable trusts are organisations established with a sum of money (the endowment) to use for charitable purposes. That money is invested and the income generated from the investment is spent each year on charitable causes. The money is given away in accordance with the objectives of the trust fund. There are both national and local charitable trusts with varying amounts of money to give away, from those with a few hundred pounds to those with millions.

Trusts also vary in the amount of information they provide about themselves and will not necessarily publicise their activities. Application may be by application form or by writing a letter.

Many trusts have their own websites with details of their guidelines, exclusions and application details, so if you're looking for information on a specific funder, it's worth using a search engine such as Google to find their site. Using packages such as FunderFinder and Trustfunding (and some of the free search tools listed in this guidance) allows organisations to conduct searches for charitable trusts or other funding bodies that have similar priorities to their own.

## **FunderFinder**

[www.funderfinder.org.uk](http://www.funderfinder.org.uk)

FunderFinder are a charity specialising in IT based funding information for voluntary and community groups. The FunderFinder 'Groups in Need' software package allows organisations to search for appropriate charitable trusts by matching funders' interests with those of the grant-seeker. Funderfinder also produce two free software packages to help groups write effective budgets and funding applications.

## **Trustfunding**

[www.trustfunding.org.uk](http://www.trustfunding.org.uk)

A searchable website of grant making trusts developed by the Directory of Social Change, containing detailed information on trust priorities, grant sizes and previous grants where information is available. There is an annual subscription charge.

## **Community Foundations Network**

[www.communityfoundations.org.uk](http://www.communityfoundations.org.uk)

Community Foundations work with charitable donors from charitable trusts, legacies, companies, and other donors to provide an endowment, from which grants are offered to voluntary and community groups. Community Foundations often manage government grant programmes such as Community Champions.

## **Association of Charitable Foundations**

[www.acf.org.uk](http://www.acf.org.uk)

A support organisation for grant-making trusts and foundations. The website has some useful information for voluntary and community groups seeking funding, such as advice leaflets on applying to trusts. There are direct links to about 160 charitable trusts, although this is just presented as an alphabetical list, so not very useful for searching.

## **Guidestar**

[www.guidestar.org.uk](http://www.guidestar.org.uk)

A database of information on all charities in England and Wales including charitable trusts. The information is initially taken from the Charity Commission register, then individual charities are invited to add information to their entry on the site.

## **Charity Commission**

[www.charity-commission.gov.uk](http://www.charity-commission.gov.uk)

The regulator and registrar for charities in England and Wales, this site contains a register of all charities (including all charitable trusts), and a series of guidance notes and publications for charities.

## The National Lottery

The Lottery is a major source of funding for voluntary and community groups. 28 pence from every £1 spent on lottery tickets goes to 'good causes'. This money is distributed through 14 organisations covering arts, sports, heritage, and voluntary and community groups. Each lottery distributor has its own rules about who can apply and how to apply.

### Lottery Funding

[www.lotteryfunding.org.uk](http://www.lotteryfunding.org.uk)

A joint website run by all Lottery funders in the UK, with information on all of the lottery distributors. The two most relevant to organisations supporting victims of crime are the Big Lottery Fund and Awards for All.

### Big Lottery Fund

[www.biglotteryfund.org.uk](http://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk)

Donates half the money from the lottery to good causes through a range of different grant programmes.

### Awards for All

[www.awardsforall.org.uk](http://www.awardsforall.org.uk)

A small grants scheme, drawing funds from the other distributors to offer grants of between £300 and £10,000 for a wide range of activities.

## Companies

Companies give in a variety of ways. They may donate materials or equipment, offer their services for free, or offer their staff as volunteers. Or they may give money in the form of either donations or sponsorship. Donations are like any cash gift and will often be unrestricted. With sponsorship the company expects to get something back in return for its money - usually advertising and positive publicity.

When approaching companies, it is important to do your homework and target those that you think may be interested in your work. For example, because you know someone at the company, or they are based in your area, or there is a link between what you do and their product or service. You should also consider your image – is the company or its product something you are happy to be associated with?

### Chamber of Commerce

[www.chamberonline.co.uk](http://www.chamberonline.co.uk)

To find your local Chamber and lists of businesses who are members.

### Business in the Community

[www.bitc.org.uk](http://www.bitc.org.uk)

Business in the Community supports businesses to have a more positive impact on society. They run the ProHelp programme which is a national network of 1,000 professional firms who give their time and expertise for free to voluntary and community organisations.

### IT4Communities

[www.it4communities.org.uk](http://www.it4communities.org.uk)

This project introduces charities to volunteer IT professionals who provide free IT support usually on specific projects, such as developing a database.

### Professionals4Free

[www.professionals4free.org.uk](http://www.professionals4free.org.uk)

A resource for voluntary organisations to allow access to free or low-cost professional support, including legal advice, architects or business advice, amongst others.

## Individual Giving

Money given by members of the public directly to your organisation can be a flexible, unrestricted source of income. Individual Giving includes one-off donations, regular giving through direct debit or through payroll giving, and leaving money in a will. Registered charities can also benefit from tax relief on individual donations.

### **Institute of Fundraising**

[www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk](http://www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk)

The Institute of Fundraising have a section of their website devoted to tax-effective giving with various tools and publications to help.

### **HM Revenue and Customs**

[www.hmrc.gov.uk/charities](http://www.hmrc.gov.uk/charities)

The Charities section of the HM Revenue and Customs website has guidance notes and forms about tax and VAT for charities, including Gift Aid.

### **Charities Aid Foundation**

[www.cafonline.org](http://www.cafonline.org)

The Foundation provides information and services on issues including individual giving, e-fundraising, and managing donations and membership.

## Earned income or trading

Social Enterprises are not-for-profit businesses with a social purpose, which re-invest their surpluses back into the business or into their local community. Some social enterprises are set up as social businesses, some are registered charities (although there are regulatory constraints) and some are trading arms of registered charities. Charities and voluntary and community groups can engage in social enterprise activities by selling goods and services within their existing structure as long as the enterprise activity fits with their primary purpose. There is no one model for social enterprises and they can have a variety of different legal structures.

### **Community Development Finance Association (CDFA)**

[www.cdfa.org.uk](http://www.cdfa.org.uk)

This is the trade association of Community Development Finance Institutions (CDFIs). The CDFI website can help you find your local Community Development Finance Institution. CDFIs provide advice and support for the social economy. Some will also provide loan finance as well as grants.

### **The Social Enterprise Coalition**

[www.socialenterprise.org.uk](http://www.socialenterprise.org.uk)

Information on social enterprise, case studies and a newsletter.

### **Business Link**

[www.businesslink.gov.uk](http://www.businesslink.gov.uk)

Offers help and advice for new start-up businesses including loans and grants.

# Funding Information and Support

## Finance Hub

[www.financehub.org.uk](http://www.financehub.org.uk)

This website aims to provide a resource for infrastructure and frontline organisations that combines practical topic guides, in-depth research and signposting to key funding resources on the internet.

## Profunding

[www.fundinginformation.org](http://www.fundinginformation.org)

A subscription based website of news on funding programmes from grant-making trusts and companies, Europe, Government schemes and the Lottery.

## Fit4Funding (formerly Charities Information Bureau)

[www.fit4funding.org.uk](http://www.fit4funding.org.uk)

Has general information and advice on funding for voluntary and community groups, and support available mainly in the North of England with a focus on West Yorkshire.

## Institute of Fundraising

[www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk](http://www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk)

The Institute of Fundraising provides support to its members through training, networking and the dissemination of best practice. Offers a Certificate in Fundraising Management and in-house training.

## National Council for Voluntary Organisations (NCVO)

[www.ncvo-vol.org.uk](http://www.ncvo-vol.org.uk)

NCVO has developed The Sustainable Funding Project that encourages and enables voluntary and community organisations to explore and exploit a full range of funding and financing options to develop a sustainable mix. It has also developed a toolkit for funding advisors to work through with groups.

## Grants4

[www.grants4.info](http://www.grants4.info)

Grants4 is produced by Grants Online. They produce 'funding portal' websites that they sell to local authorities. The sites have grant searches, grant directories, funding news sections and a limited amount of information on local funding.

## J4B

[www.j4bgrants.co.uk](http://www.j4bgrants.co.uk)

This is a subscription-based website with regularly updated information on Government, European and Lottery funders, including a funding search tool. There is a cost for subscribing, but you can use the funding search part of the site for free.

[www.open4community.info](http://www.open4community.info)

J4B also sell their funding search website portal called Open4Community to local authorities across the country. Use the main website to see if your local authority has its own Open4 web page.

## Fundersonline

[www.fundersonline.org](http://www.fundersonline.org)

This is a European initiative providing a search tool to find information about more than 1,000 funders operating in Europe (mainly companies, charitable trusts and foundations). For UK groups, the database contains local, regional and national UK funders. The site is best used in conjunction with your own research.

## Access Funds

[www.access-funds.co.uk](http://www.access-funds.co.uk)

A subscription-only site with information on funding from Central Government, other government bodies, EU and National Lottery.

## Grant Net

[www.grantnet.com](http://www.grantnet.com)

A free to access funding search tool provided by Grantfinder in conjunction with Business Link.

## UK Fundraising

[www.fundraising.co.uk](http://www.fundraising.co.uk)

Aimed mainly at professional fundraisers who raise money from individuals rather than voluntary and community groups applying to funders for grants. The news and forum sections have some relevant information.

# General Support and Information for Voluntary Organisations

## Directory of Social Change

[www.dsc.org.uk](http://www.dsc.org.uk)

Provides training and information for voluntary and community organisations. Produces a wide range of publications relevant to voluntary and community organisations, including 'A Guide to the Major Trusts' and other key fundraising publications.

## Charity Commission

[www.charitycommission.gov.uk](http://www.charitycommission.gov.uk)

Provides guidance and information on registering as a charity, regulations, new developments and useful publications. Contains the Commission's register of charities online that can be searched to track down any registered charity in England and Wales, including grant-making trusts.

## Charities Aid Foundation

[www.cafonline.org](http://www.cafonline.org)

The Charities Aid Foundation provides specialist financial services to charities including grants to support the structural and management development of charities.

## Office for National Statistics

[www.statistics.gov.uk](http://www.statistics.gov.uk)

A resource that provides access to a wide range of statistics on local areas. This could be used for additional information to include in funding applications.

## England only

### National Association for Voluntary and Community Action (NAVCA)

[www.navca.org.uk](http://www.navca.org.uk)

The umbrella organisation for local Councils for Voluntary Service (CVS). The website contains a range of information and resources for the voluntary and community sector, along with contact details for all local CVSs.

### The National Council for Voluntary Organisations

[www.ncvo-vol.org.uk](http://www.ncvo-vol.org.uk)

The website of the National Council for Voluntary Organisations provides information and advice on issues affecting the voluntary sector.

## Wales only

### Wales Council for Voluntary Action (WCVA)

[www.wcva.org.uk](http://www.wcva.org.uk)

Represents and campaigns for voluntary organisations, volunteers and communities in Wales.

## Funding and Fundraising Publications

*Directory of Grant Making Trusts, 2005/6, 19th edition,*  
DSC, published in association with CAF.

*A Guide to Local Trusts in the North of England 2006/7, 5th edition,*  
Rebecca Ryland, DSC, 2006.

*A Guide to Local Trusts in the Midlands 2006/7, 5th edition,*  
John Smyth, DSC, 2006.

*A Guide to Local Trusts in the South of England 2006/7, 5th edition,*  
Gemma Lynch, DSC, 2006.

*A Guide to Local Trusts in Greater London 2006/7, 5th edition,*  
Alan French, DSC, 2006.

*Arweiniad Cyllido Cymru / The Welsh Funding Guide 2005/6, 2nd edition,*  
Alan French, John Smyth & Tom Traynor, DSC, 2005.

*A Guide to the Major Trusts Vol 1, 2005/6, 10th edition,*  
Tom Traynor & Alan French, DSC, 2005/6.

*A Guide to the Major Trusts Vol 2, 2005/6, 7th edition,*  
Chris McGuire & Rebecca Ryland, DSC, 2005/6.

*A Guide to Funding from Government Departments & Agencies,*  
Susan Forrester & Anthony Stenson, DSC, 2002.

*A Guide to European Union Funding,*  
Peter Sluiter & Laurence Wattier, DSC, 1999.

*The Fundraiser's Guide to the Law,*  
Bates, Wells & Braithwaite, DSC & Charities Aid Foundation, 2000.

*Effective Fundraising - 2004, 1st edition,*  
Luke Fitzherbert, DSC.

*The Complete Fundraising Handbook*, 5th edition, Nina Botting Herbst & Michael Norton, in Association with the Institute of Fundraising, 2007.

*Writing Better Fundraising Applications*, 3rd Edition, Michael Norton & Mike Eastwood, DSC.

*Funding Our Future – Core Costs Revisited*, ACEVO, 2004.

*Funding Our Future II – Understand and allocate costs*, ACEVO, 2002.

*Codes of Fundraising Practice*, Institute of Fundraising, 2006.

Available free of charge at [www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk](http://www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk)

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## Print and Online Journals

### Third Sector

[www.thirdsector.co.uk](http://www.thirdsector.co.uk)

### Charity Finance

[www.charityfinance.co.uk](http://www.charityfinance.co.uk)

### Professional Fundraising

[www.professionalfundraising.co.uk](http://www.professionalfundraising.co.uk)

### VS (Voluntary Sector)

[www.ncvo-vol.org.uk/vsmagazine](http://www.ncvo-vol.org.uk/vsmagazine)

### Voluntary News

[www.voluntarynews.org.uk](http://www.voluntarynews.org.uk)

## Specific Sources of Funding

The following are some of the major funders who specify that they fund projects and services supporting victims of crime. Many other funders not listed will also fund work with victims of crime. Voluntary and community groups can contact their local CVS or funding advice bureau for more advice and information on relevant funding sources.

### The Allen Lane Foundation

90 The Mount

York YO24 1AR

Tel: 01904 613 223

Email: [info@allenlane.org](mailto:info@allenlane.org)

Web: [www.allenlane.org.uk](http://www.allenlane.org.uk)

Current priorities include people experiencing violence or abuse and people experiencing mental health problems.

Grant size: Small and medium

Deadline: Ongoing

### Awards for All

Tel: 0845 600 2040

Email in England:

[general.enquiries@awardsforall.org.uk](mailto:general.enquiries@awardsforall.org.uk)

Email in Wales:

[enquiries.wales@biglotteryfund.org.uk](mailto:enquiries.wales@biglotteryfund.org.uk)

Web: [www.awardsforall.org.uk](http://www.awardsforall.org.uk)

Small lottery grants for community groups for a range of projects, including health and social welfare.

Deadline: Ongoing

### BBC Children in Need Appeal

PO Box 76

London W3 6FS

Tel: 020 8008 3155

Email: [pudsey@bbc.co.uk](mailto:pudsey@bbc.co.uk)

Web: [www.bbc.co.uk/pudsey](http://www.bbc.co.uk/pudsey)

Makes grants to organisations working with disadvantaged children and young people, aged 18 years and under.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: November and March annually

**Big Lottery Fund**

Tel: 0845 410 2030

Email: [general.enquiries@biglotteryfund.org.uk](mailto:general.enquiries@biglotteryfund.org.uk)

Web: [www.biglotteryfund.org.uk](http://www.biglotteryfund.org.uk)

A range of grants for community and voluntary organisations.

Grant size: Medium to large

Deadline: Various

**The Charles Hayward Foundation**

Hayward House

45 Harrington Gardens

London

SW7 4JU

Tel: 020 7370 7063/7067

Web: [www.charleshaywardfoundation.org.uk](http://www.charleshaywardfoundation.org.uk)

Current priorities include victim support services and help for families suffering from domestic violence.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: Ongoing

**CHK Charities Limited**

c/o Kleinwort Benson Trustees Limited

30 Gresham Street

London EC2V 7PG

Tel: 020 3207 7000

Current priorities include crime prevention. Special interest in funding national and Midlands based organisations.

Grant size: Small

Deadline: Contact the Trust

**The Clothworkers' Foundation**

Clothworkers' Hall

Dunster Court

Mincing Lane

London EC3R 7AH

Tel: 020 7623 7041

Email: [foundation@clothworkers.co.uk](mailto:foundation@clothworkers.co.uk)

Web: [www.clothworkers.co.uk](http://www.clothworkers.co.uk)

Gives one-off capital grants. Current priorities include young people and social inclusion.

Grant size: Medium

Deadline: Ongoing

**Comic Relief**

The UK Grants Team

5th Floor

Albert Embankment

London SE1 7TP

Tel: 020 7820 5555

Email: [red@comicrelief.org.uk](mailto:red@comicrelief.org.uk)

Web: [www.comicrelief.com](http://www.comicrelief.com)

Current priorities include young people exploited through prostitution, trafficking and the internet; supporting vulnerable female asylum seekers and refugees; young people affected by domestic violence.

Grant size: Large

Deadline: Various throughout year

**The Community Foundation in Wales**

14-16 Merthyr Road

Whitchurch

Cardiff CF14 1DG

Tel: 029 2052 0250

Email: [mail@cfiw.org.uk](mailto:mail@cfiw.org.uk)

Web: [www.cfiw.org.uk](http://www.cfiw.org.uk)

Deadline: Contact the Foundation

Small grants to community organisations in Wales.

**Community Foundation Network**

Arena House

66-68 Pentonville Road

London N1 9HS

Tel: 020 7713 9326

Email: [network@communityfoundations.org.uk](mailto:network@communityfoundations.org.uk)

Web: [www.communityfoundations.org.uk](http://www.communityfoundations.org.uk)

Contact details for Community Foundations in the United Kingdom.

**Garfield Weston Foundation**

Weston Centre

10 Grosvenor Street

London W1K 4QY

Tel: 020 7399 6565

Web: [www.garfieldweston.org](http://www.garfieldweston.org)

Funds a wide range of projects and organisations.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: Ongoing

**The Henry Smith Charity**

6th Floor  
65 Leadenhall St  
London EC3A 2AD  
Tel: 020 7264 4970  
Web: [www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk](http://www.henrysmithcharity.org.uk)

Current priorities include young people at risk; support to families at risk; community service.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: Quarterly for large grants; small grants processed throughout the year

**HBOS Foundation**

PO Box No 5  
The Mound  
Edinburgh EH1 1YZ  
Tel: 0845 673 2005  
Web: [www.hbosfoundation.org](http://www.hbosfoundation.org)

Current priorities include developing and improving local communities and the lives of individuals.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: Ongoing

**J. Paul Getty Jr. Charitable Trust**

Ms Bridget O'Brien Twohig  
Director  
1 Park Square West  
London NW1 4LJ  
Tel: 020 7486 1859  
Web: [www.jpgettytrust.org.uk](http://www.jpgettytrust.org.uk)

Priorities include mental health in the widest sense including support groups for people under stress, e.g. women experiencing domestic violence, victims of abuse, etc.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: Ongoing

**The LankellyChase Foundation**

1 The Court  
High Street  
Harwell  
Didcot  
Oxfordshire OX11 0EY  
Tel: 01235 820 044  
Web: [www.lankellychase.org.uk](http://www.lankellychase.org.uk)

Current priorities include breaking the cycle of abusive relationships through funding work with families, children, and young people. Includes domestic violence projects, sexual abuse

services, work with women and young people in prostitution or at risk of sexual exploitation and domestic violence perpetrator programmes for non-convicted men.

Grant size: Medium and large

Deadline: Ongoing

**The Lloyds TSB Foundation for England and Wales**

3rd Floor  
4 St. Dunstan's Hill  
London EC3R 8UL  
Tel: 0870 411 1223  
Email: [Guidelines@lloydtsbfoundations.org.uk](mailto:Guidelines@lloydtsbfoundations.org.uk)  
Web: [www.lloydtsbfoundations.org.uk](http://www.lloydtsbfoundations.org.uk)

Funding for work that helps disadvantaged people play a fuller role in the community of their choice.

Grant size: Small and medium

Deadline: Various

**The Nationwide Foundation**

Nationwide House  
Pipers Way  
Swindon SN38 2SN  
Tel: 01793 655 113  
Email: [enquiries@nationwidefoundation.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@nationwidefoundation.org.uk)  
Web: [www.nationwidefoundation.org.uk](http://www.nationwidefoundation.org.uk)

Current priorities include promoting the well-being of young men, women and children who are affected by domestic violence; to reduce the prevalence of domestic violence through increased service provision, education and awareness raising.

Grant size: Small grants

Deadline: Ongoing

**The Nuffield Foundation**

28 Bedford Square  
London WC1B 3JS  
Tel: 020 7631 0566  
Email: [info@nuffieldfoundation.org](mailto:info@nuffieldfoundation.org)  
Web: [www.nuffieldfoundation.org](http://www.nuffieldfoundation.org)

Current priorities include research, practical innovation or development projects around child protection.

Grant size: Large

Deadline: Three application deadlines per year

### **Opportunities for Volunteers Scheme**

Volunteering England

Regents Wharf

8 All Saints Street

London N1 9RL

United Kingdom

Tel: 020 7520 8991

Email: [ofv@volunteeringengland.org](mailto:ofv@volunteeringengland.org)

Web: [www.volunteering.org.uk](http://www.volunteering.org.uk)

The Opportunities for Volunteers Scheme is funded by the Department of Health and provides grants to locally focused projects in England that increase the involvement of volunteers in health and social care related voluntary sector services.

Grant size: Large

Deadline: Annual, usually July

### **Sainsbury Family Charitable Trusts**

Some of the Sainsbury Family Charitable Trusts have a particular interest in domestic violence and women. Sainsbury Trusts that specifically mention one or both of these are the Indigo Trust, the Staples Trust and the Woodward Trust. The policy with these family trusts is that an application to one is an application to all. Some do not encourage unsolicited applications.

Allington House, 1st Floor

150 Victoria Street

London SW1E 5AE

Tel: 020 7410 0330

Email: [info@sfct.org.uk](mailto:info@sfct.org.uk)

Web: [www.woodwardcharitabletrust.org.uk](http://www.woodwardcharitabletrust.org.uk)

(Woodward Trust only)

### **The Sigrid Rausing Trust**

Eardley House

4 Uxbridge Street

London W8 7SY

Tel: 020 7908 9870

Email: [info@srtrust.org](mailto:info@srtrust.org)

Web: [www.sigrid-rausing-trust.org](http://www.sigrid-rausing-trust.org)

Current priorities include women's rights and minority rights.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: Various

### **The Trusthouse Charitable Foundation**

6th Floor

Leadenhall Street

London EC3A 2AD

Tel: 020 7264 4990

Web: [www.trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk](http://www.trusthousecharitablefoundation.org.uk)

Current priorities include community support projects and projects supporting young people.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: Ongoing

### **The Tudor Trust**

7 Ladbrooke Grove

London W11 3BD

Tel: 020 7727 8522

Web: [www.tudortrust.org.uk](http://www.tudortrust.org.uk)

Broadly it supports work that addresses the social, emotional and financial needs of people at the margins of our society. Established areas of interest include criminal justice and mental health.

Grant size: Small and large

Deadline: Ongoing

### **The Volant Charitable Trust**

Turcan Connell

Princes Exchange

1 Earl Grey Street

Edinburgh EH3 9EE

Tel: 0131 228 8111

Current priorities include the support and protection of women and children and the provision of social benefit to the community.

Grant size: Various

Deadline: Twice yearly