

OTHER GRANT ORGANISATIONS – WELFARE

Please note that this information is to signpost you to possible sources of assistance only.

NRPF financial assistance hardship fund

Support When It Matters (SWIM) is leading a partnership that has been grant-funded by Hackney Council to distribute financial assistance to residents financially impacted by the coronavirus crisis who are unable to access the welfare system due to the condition 'No Recourse to Public Funds' (NRPF) applied on their immigration status.

Financial assistance is to be used to help with items like emergency help with food, reconnection of fuel supply, cost of utilities, help with travel, toiletries, basic communication needs, rent arrears, basic clothing, baby essentials, prescriptions or rent deposits. For further details click here or email one of the partner organisations:

- SWIM – Email Angeline or call 07862 071 008.
- Refugee Women's Association – Email Jasmina or call 07435 753 179.
- Middle Eastern Women in Society – Email Halaleh or call 07958 145 666.
- Kanlungan Filipino Consortium – Email Florence or call 0203 893 1871.

Turn2us

This website has details of a large number of grant awarding charities and help and information on benefits. <https://www.turn2us.org.uk>

Homestore

Quaker charity providing furniture and white goods in East London.

Main office: 020 8983 5030

Homestore furniture: 020 8519 6264

Email: info@qsa.org.uk

Hornsey Parochial Charities

Individual grants to people in hardship. Tel: 020 8352 1601

Website: www.hornseycharities.com Email: hornseypc@blueyonder.co.uk

Shelter

Shelter provide support to people in hardship to apply to charities and grant making and welfare organisations for support and help.

Shelter (Hackney Branch)

4 Tyssen Street

London

E8 2FJ

Tel: 0344 515 1447

SocialBox.Biz Trading Enterprises Limited

SOCIALBOX.BIZ mission statement is being an exemplary social venture with majority of profits re-invested in its activities.

They are headed by a multi-award winning team of industry veterans and social entrepreneurs with experience in helping unemployed and disadvantaged young people get their lives back on track and thousands of socially excluded people gain access to computers and the internet, and our team have received numerous awards for positive impact on society.

Harben House
Harben Parade
London NW3 6LH

Phone, Fax, Email

Phone : 0843 289 5722
Fax : 0844 357 6703
Email : info@socialbox.biz

The Talisman Charitable Trust

One-off and recurrent grants are available for people in the UK who are living on a very low income. Grants can be used for Clothing, Fuel bills, Household bills, Household essentials, Medical and welfare needs.

Basement Office 354 Kennington Road London SE11 4LD
Web: <http://www.talismancharity.org>

Newby Trust Limited

Social Services, NHS Trusts or registered charities may apply online on behalf of individuals in need. Applications made directly by the individual are not accepted. Cheques are payable to the sponsoring organisation. Full guidelines are available on the website.

Email: info@newby-trust.org.uk Web: <http://www.newby-trust.org.uk>

The Natlas Trust

Grants available to individuals living in the UK or the State of Israel to assist with welfare costs.

Contact details 32 Brampton Grove, London, NW4 4AQ.

The Thomas Wall Trust

One-off small grants to assist people with the cost of training courses that improve their chances of employment. Assistance is offered to help people overcome barriers to work and study. The barriers must be more than just the financial implication of studying.

Thomas Wall Trust, Skinners' Hall, London, EC4R 2SP

Email: information@thomaswalltrust.org.uk Web: <http://www.thomaswalltrust.org.uk>

St Andrew's Society for Ladies in Need

Provide regular grants towards day to day living expenses and also special one off grants towards urgent household items, such as cookers, washing machines and fridges, dentistry, spectacles, convalescence, etc. They also give grants towards top-up fees in care homes and help towards the cost of nursing at home. Ladies must be retired or unable to work through illness or disability and live alone in their own home. They must also have attained a good level of education.

St Andrew's Society for Ladies in Need,

20 Denmark Gardens, Holbrook, Ipswich, Suffolk, IP9 2BG

Email: mpope1@btinternet.com Web: <http://www.standrewssociety.btck.co.uk>

Elizabeth Finn Fund

People who are British, Irish or those with indefinite leave to remain, who come from a professional or similar background or connection, and their dependants. Applicants must have a low income.

You can apply online through Turn2us or make an enquiry by phone or email.

Elizabeth Finn Fund, Hythe House, London, W6 7NL.

Email: enquiries.casework@turn2us.org.uk

Web: <https://www.turn2us.org.uk/About-Us/What-we-do/Who-we-help/Elizabeth-Finn-Fund>

Boiler Grants

Boiler Grants are part of the Energy Company Obligation (ECO), a government scheme funded by utility companies to replace old and inefficient gas boilers. This grant towards the cost of a replacement boiler is available to low income households (homeowners or private tenants) in England, Scotland and Wales who receive qualifying benefits. The amount the grant covers varies but is usually a substantial part of the cost.

Grants are available to home owners or private tenants who have an annual income of less than £16,010 and who receive Pension Credit, Child Tax Credit, Working Tax Credit or Income Support.

Contact details 11 The Point, Rockingham Road, Market Harborough, LE167QU

Web: <http://www.boilergrants.co.uk/?aaci=295429&aacri=yourcampaignref>

Family Action

Family Action is a charity that aims to transform lives by providing practical, emotional and financial support to those who are experiencing poverty, disadvantage and social isolation across the UK. Funds are not available for council tax arrears, debts (except utility bills), fines, funeral expenses, gifts, items already covered by statutory funds, private school fees, rent arrears or payments, repayment of Social Fund or other loans, bankruptcy or items already purchased.

Applications have to be made via a relevant welfare or education professional

Contact details Family Action, 24 Angel Gate, London, EC1V 2PT

Tel: 020 7254 6251

Email: grants.enquiry@family-action.org.uk

Web: <https://www.family-action.org.uk/what-we-do/grants/>

Professionals Aid Council

The Professionals Aid Council helps the dependants of people with a professional background who are in need. The Charity considers cases on an individual basis although they are unable to assist with bankruptcy fees, utility bills, funeral expenses and medical costs. The Charity considers cases on an individual basis although they are unable to assist with bankruptcy fees, utility bills, funeral expenses and medical costs.

Contact details Professionals Aid Council, 10 St Christopher's Place, London, W1U 1HZ

Telephone: 020 7935 0641

Email: admin@professionalsaid.org.uk Web: <http://www.professionalsaid.org.uk/>

The Prince's Trust

The Prince's Trust works with young people aged 13-30 who have experienced difficulties at school, have been in trouble with the law, are long-term unemployed or have been in care. The charity runs a number of programmes to help these young people. It also provides grants to young people who are on one of these programmes.

Contact the Princes Trust on 0800 842 842 for more information on the Prince's Trust and what services they might be able to offer you.

The Talisman Charitable Trust

The Charity assists with the relief of poverty, which includes grants for education, health, housing, disablement or disability. The Charity requires applications to be supported by another charitable organisation, local authority or Citizens' Advice Bureau.

Contact details Basement Office 354 Kennington Road London SE11 4LD

Web: <http://www.talismancharity.org>

The Society For Ladies in Reduced Circumstances

The Society was founded in 1886 by the late Miss Edith Smallwood. It assists women resident in the United Kingdom who are living alone in their own home (either owned or rented) and in genuine need, irrespective of social status. Assistance is usually given in the form of a regular allowance.

Applicants will normally be entitled to some state benefits, and the society expect them to claim these in full before seeking help.

<http://www.salrc.org.uk>

The Furniture Re-use Network

A nationwide charity that receives used furniture and white goods and then donates them to those in need.

48-54 West Street, St Philips, Bristol, BS2 0BL

Tel: 0845 602 8003 <http://frn.org.uk/>