



# What's Available!

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# Need help looking for funding?

Funding for charities, voluntary organisations and social enterprises originate from a number of different sources.

Each has its own characteristics and benefits.

# AVOW Comic Relief and Big Night In Welsh Government Voluntary Sector Emergency Fund

AVOW received a £26,000 share of funding to administer from “Comic Relief and Big Night In”.

<https://avow.org/2020/07/08/comic-relief-grant-fund/> -

The criteria is that each project must meet at least one of these themes;

- **Children survive and thrive** – Actions to give children the best start in life and access to opportunities to achieve their potential.
- **Gender justice** – Actions to improve equality for women and girls.
- **A safe place to be** - Actions to help vulnerable people improve their circumstances and safety.
- **Mental health matters** – Actions to enable access to support and increase awareness.

More information can be found here along with an application form.

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# FUNDER+LISTS



## Charity Excellence Charity Funder Lists & Funding Finders

There are some 10,000 UK trusts and whilst there are search databases and consultants available, these can be expensive.

The Charity Excellence gives you everything you need and everything is completely free.

There's the COVID19 funder database and within the income questionnaire, there are 25+ downloads of funder lists, 20+ funder research lists and 3 downloads of 100+ free funding finders.

These resources are being continuously added to and updated.

<https://www.charityexcellence.co.uk/Home/BlogDetail?Link=Charity%20grant%20funder%20lists%20and%20ofunding%20finders%20UK%20trusts%20and%20foundations>

# Sources of funding and for what will depend on the need.

- Charitable trusts and foundations
- Lottery funding
- Welsh Government
- Local government funding
- Earned income
- Fundraising



# Charitable Trusts and Foundations

**Charitable trusts and foundations give about £2.6 billion in grants to charities (including religious organisations and universities) in the UK each year.**

There are almost 10,000 UK charitable trusts and they vary a great deal in both size and scope. Because there is such a diverse range, it is especially important to research and target funding applications to them.



# Kings Fund - The glaxosmithkline awards

## **2021 GSK IMPACT Awards**

For Charities that are facing significant challenges as a result of the Covid-19 pandemic while continuing to provide vital services to keep people healthy and connected.

- Applications are now open for the 2021 GSK IMPACT Awards. The awards are funded by GlaxoSmithKline and managed in partnership with The King's Fund. Winning organisations will receive core funding of up to £40,000, plus access to excellent training and development to support their leaders.
- To be eligible to apply, organisations must be at least three years old, working in a health-related field in the UK, with income between £80,000 and £2.5 million. Up to 20 awards will be made, ranging from £3,000 to £40,000; the training and development is valued at a further £9,500. Organisations will also have a film made, receive help with press and publicity, and be given a set of promotional materials.

The GSK IMPACT Awards are judged by a prestigious panel of judges and provide national recognition for the winning charities.

The deadline for applications is **5pm on Monday 14 September 2020**.

**Contact** For more information and to access the application process, please visit; [the Kings Fund website](#)

# Lottery



**The Lottery is a major source of funding for voluntary and community organisations.**

Generally, the main advantage of lottery funding is that they can provide relatively large amounts of money, but some of their funds require you to match their grant with money from another source.

However, they are currently supporting Covid-19 related activity.

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



# Lottery – Cont.

The two main funding programmes – People and Places and National Lottery Awards for All remain open. The priority is to keep money flowing to support communities that are having to adapt to the increasing challenges of COVID-19. Also the Lottery are working closely with WCVA and other Funders to ensure they are forming the best support for Welsh communities.

Therefore they are prioritising applications from:

**Organisations supporting people who are at high risk from COVID-19**

**Organisations supporting communities most likely to face increased demand and challenges as a direct result of measures to prevent the result of COVID-19**

**Organisations which connect communities and support communities to work together to respond to COVID-19.**

If you have already sent an application, they will still assess it following the usual decision-making procedures, however they will be prioritising decisions as set out above. Please contact with them if you'd like to discuss your application.

# Welsh Government

**Most central government departments have funding programmes for voluntary and community organisations. Grant schemes are designed to fit the policy objectives and programme outcomes of each particular department.**



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Llywodraeth Cymru  
Welsh Government

# Local Government – Local Authority

**Almost all local authorities make grants to voluntary and community organisations.**

However, each one will manage budgets, administration and support differently according to local priorities and resources.



# Flintshire Funding – The Early Help Transformation Fund

The Early Help Transformation Fund aims to support the provision of early help for families in Flintshire who have been impacted unduly by the Covid 19 pandemic.

Grants are between £1,000 and £20,000 for innovative projects addressing one of 3 priorities:

- Parents who are experiencing low level/moderate mental health problems which impacts upon their ability to support their children
- Families where children are experiencing adverse childhood experiences (A.C.E.s).
- Families who are waiting for a neuro developmental pathway assessment for their child

This fund is open and accepting applications **NOW**.

Projects need to be completed by 31st March 2021

# Earned Income



**Voluntary and community organisations are increasingly being encouraged to diversify their income streams to ensure long-term sustainability.**

**Earning money through assets, trading and contracting are one way organisations diversify their income to afford more financial flexibility.**

# Fundraising

**Fundraising can mean different things to different people, but we believe it is about persuading individuals and organisations to make a gift of money to your cause.**

This gift is a voluntary donation for which the donor receives little or no tangible benefit or reward.



# Community Buildings and Halls

## Welsh Government Third Sector COVID-19 Resilience Fund

Initially [the Welsh Government announced](#) a fund of £24 million to support Wales' voluntary sector in response to the Coronavirus pandemic.

Since April 2020 the Third sector resilience fund for Wales has been providing support to help organisations through the pandemic, but as time moves on it has been seen appropriate for this to enter a new phase.

From 7 September 2020 the fund has expanded its range of support, whilst still making available survival funding for those who need it.

This is to assist recovery and to help organisations become more truly resilient for the future and are adding two new strands.

More information at; <https://wcva.cymru/funding/social-investment-cymru/third-sector-resilience-fund-for-wales/>

The funding is mainly to help with revenue costs, but there a capital fund that can be found at; <https://gov.wales/community-facilities-programme>

# Useful funding addresses

[http://www.fundingforall.org.uk/fund\\_category/community-buildings-halls/](http://www.fundingforall.org.uk/fund_category/community-buildings-halls/)

<https://gov.wales/community-facilities-programme>

<https://funding.cymru/>

<https://wcva.cymru/funding/social-investment-cymru/third-sector-resilience-fund-for-wales/>

## **MORE ON FUNDING AND COVID-19**

- [Voluntary Services Emergency Fund](#) – A new grant scheme designed for delivery in a fast and robust way to enable the voluntary sector to continue and expand their work, especially with volunteers
- [How to claim for wage costs through the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme](#)
- [WCVA Emergency fast-track loans](#) – for voluntary sector organisations in Wales to help see them through the effects of coronavirus and recent flooding
- [A list of various funders' responses to the virus](#)
- [Coronavirus: advice for corporate fundraisers](#)
- [Information for fundraisers about coronavirus](#)





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