

Emergency grants available during the Covid-19 pandemic

Basic details of grant	Where to go for further information	Comments
<p>Catholic Children’s Society Offers grants for family essentials such as uniforms, fridges, washing machines and beds for children.</p>	<p>https://www.ccsplymouth.org.uk/what-we-do/grant-giving/</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p>BBC Children in Need Next Steps Grants up to £80,000 to support organisations to adapt their services in order to support disadvantaged children during the COVID-19 crisis</p>	<p>https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/grants/covid-19-funding-streams/</p>	<p>Next deadline 1 July</p>
<p>Devon County Council COVID-19 Prompt Action Fund provides two types of grants – a small grants scheme for under £500 and a larger scheme for under £5,000.</p>	<p>https://www.devon.gov.uk/document/covid-19-prompt-action-fund/</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p>National Benevolent Charity provides one-off Emergency grants of £300 for food and bills.</p>	<p>https://natben.org.uk/</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p>Esmee Fairbairn Foundation</p>	<p>https://esmefairbairn.org.uk/</p>	<p>Closed until September</p>
<p>National Emergencies Trust will distribute over £100m of public money from donations & the Government through Community Foundations. There are three Community Foundations in the diocesan area:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dorset Community Foundation based in Poole Grants of between £1-5,000 available. 	<p>https://nationalemergenciestrust.org.uk/coronavirus/ http://devoncf.com/apply/applying-devon-coronavirus-response-recovery-fund/ https://www.cornwallcommunityfoundation.com/</p>	<p>All three Community Foundation funds are open</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Devon Community Foundation in Tiverton Support for groups, community response and emotional /bereavement support. Only covers the next 6-8 weeks and doesn't currently include support for loss of income. • Cornwall Community Foundation in Launceston 	https://www.dorsetcommunityfoundation.org/	
<p>Greggs Foundation is providing small grants, food parcels and hardship payments.</p>	https://www.greggsfoundation.org.uk/	<p>Breakfast Clubs closed. Community grants paused.</p>
<p>£1m from John Lewis Foundation & Waitrose available through the Waitrose stores. In the diocese these are located in Torquay, Sidmouth, Okehampton, Exeter, Saltash, Poole, Wimborne & Bournemouth.</p>	http://www.johnlewisfoundation.org/ https://www.waitrose.com/content/waitrose/en/home/inspiration/community_matters.html	<p>Open</p>
<p>National Lottery Community Fund has said that all its resources over the next six months will go to help communities affected by the coronavirus pandemic. This is worth £300 million, nationally. Between £300 and £10,000 is available for each application.</p>	https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/	<p>22 May onwards The Lottery's own funding is suspended while they deliver the Government funding below.</p>
<p>Coronavirus Community Support Fund The Lottery is delivering £200m of Government funding to help small and medium sized charities. Grants will allow organisations to meet service costs, where they are experiencing increased demand and/or short-term income disruption. Grants will also allow organisations to refocus services to address new needs. Up to £100,000 is available.</p>	https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk/news/press-releases/2020-05-20/statement-about-the-coronavirus-community-support-fund	<p>Organisations can only apply for one grant for everything. Funding is only available for 6 months.</p>

<p>Tesco's Bags of Help Covid-19 Communities Fund will provide £500 to organisations supporting vulnerable groups.</p>	<p>https://tescobagsofhelp.org.uk/grant-schemes/tesco-cv-fund/</p>	<p>Closed in Exeter, Plymouth, St Austell & Torquay due to demand. Other Tesco's accepting applications</p>
<p>Big Society Capital has announced a new £25 million Resilience and Recovery Loan Fund to provide social enterprises and charities with emergency loans with no fees or interest for 12 months</p>	<p>https://bigsocietycapital.com/portfolio/resilience-and-recovery-loan-fund/</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p>The Charities Aid Foundation has sent up Emergency Funds for smaller charities.</p>	<p>https://www.cafonline.org/charities/grantmaking/caf-coronavirus-emergency-fund</p>	<p>Currently paused due to demand</p>
<p>The Yapp Charitable Trust has up to £3,000 a year available for running costs of small charities with an expenditure of less than £40,000 a year.</p>	<p>https://yappcharitabletrust.org.uk/</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p>The Ann Rylands small donations programme makes grants of up to £1,500 to support smaller charities helping older people or people facing challenges. Now has an emergency fund.</p>	<p>https://julesthorntrust.org.uk/programmes/ann-rylands-small-donations/</p>	<p>Open at the moment sometimes temporarily closes due to demand</p>
<p>Martin Lewis, the Money Saving Expert, made a £1.9m emergency fund available from his personal funds boosted by donations of £1.3m</p>	<p>https://blog.moneysavingexpert.com/2020/03/i-m-making-p1m-available-to-fund-urgent-small-charity-coronaviru/</p>	<p>Closed</p>

<p>The Barclays Foundation will provide a COVID-19 Community Aid Package of £100 million to charities working to support vulnerable people impacted by COVID-19, and to alleviate the associated social and economic hardship caused by the crisis.</p>	<p>https://home.barclays/news/press-releases/2020/04/barclays-launches-p100-million-covid-19-community-aid-package/</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p>Standard Life Foundation The Coronavirus Pandemic Fund will fund a range of strategic work</p>	<p>https://www.standardlifefoundation.org.uk/home</p>	<p>Open</p>
<p>Mind are co-ordinating a Coronavirus Mental Health Response Fund. Grants of up to £20,000 or £50,000 are available for projects to provide services or additional support for up to 12 months.</p>	<p>https://www.mind.org.uk/news-campaigns/campaigns/coronavirus-mental-health-response-fund/?utm_medium=organic&utm_source=twitter&utm_campaign=coronavirus%20response%20fund&utm_content=applications%20for%20coronavirus%20response%20fund</p>	<p>Paused due to demand</p>
<p>Plymouth Public Dispensary Grants for people in Plymouth who are ill to help their recovery.</p>	<p>http://www.ppdtrust.co.uk/</p>	<p>Open Must be referred by a GP, social worker etc.</p>
<p>Pearn Charitable Trust Grants for people over 50 in Plymouth to prevent isolation and help them live independently</p>	<p>http://pearitrust.org.uk/</p>	<p>Open Need a sponsor/referer</p>
<p>Northcott Devon Foundation Funds of up to £200 to help the most disadvantaged people in Devon</p>	<p>E-mail:emmap893@btconnect.com</p>	<p>Open Need a sponsor</p>
<p>Talisman Charitable Trust</p>	<p>http://www.talismancharity.org/</p>	<p>Open</p>

Helps anyone 'going short'.		
<p>Elizabeth Finn Trust Helps anyone in Britain with a professional background or similar who has suddenly found themselves in changed circumstances.</p>	<p>https://www.turn2us.org.uk/Get-Support/Turn2us-Funds/Turn2us-Elizabeth-Finn-Fund?_ga=2.164367484.298667624.1590055472-1313904308.1586945954</p>	Open
<p>Nationwide Building Society Community Grant Fund offers grants of between £10,000 and £50,000 to support local housing projects working to strengthen local communities and support the most vulnerable.</p>	<p>https://www.nationwidecommunitygrants.co.uk/</p>	Next deadline 1 August
<p>The Edge Foundation is inviting applications for grants of between £10,000 and £50,000 for projects that help the education sector to recover from the COVID-19 crisis</p>	<p>https://www.edge.co.uk/projects/covid-revival-fund</p>	Next deadline 9 July
<p>The Stop Loan Sharks Community Fund gives grants of up to £5,000 for activities to raise awareness of the dangers of using loan sharks and help to prevent crime.</p>	<p>https://www.stoploansharks.co.uk/cash-seized-from-loan-sharks-to-fund-community-projects/</p>	Next deadline 31 August