



# COMMUNITIES MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING FUND



2023/2024



Voluntary Action  
East Renfrewshire

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# Overview of the Fund

The Communities Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund for Adults (the Fund) was established in October 2021 and to date has distributed around £36 million to community initiatives supporting mental health and wellbeing across Scotland. Funding for a third year of funding (£15 million) was announced in April 2023.

East Renfrewshire will receive £236,712.59 for the 2023/2024 cycle.



# Funding Eligibility

## Who can apply?

- Scottish Charitable Incorporated Organisations (SCIO)
- Unincorporated Associations
- Companies Limited by Guarantee
- Trusts
- Not-for-profit company or asset locked company or Community Interest Companies (CIC)
- Cooperative and Community Benefit Societies
- Community councils
- Parent councils



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# Who Should Benefit

Care experienced adults (16yrs+)

Older people

Carers

Women and girls

Asylum seekers and refugees

People with learning disabilities/ neurodiversity

Ethnic Minority communities

LGBT+



# How much can you apply for

Unconstituted groups can apply for up to £2,000

Constituted groups can apply for upto £10,000

We also award larger grants of up to £50,000 for applications that provide a robust evidence of need

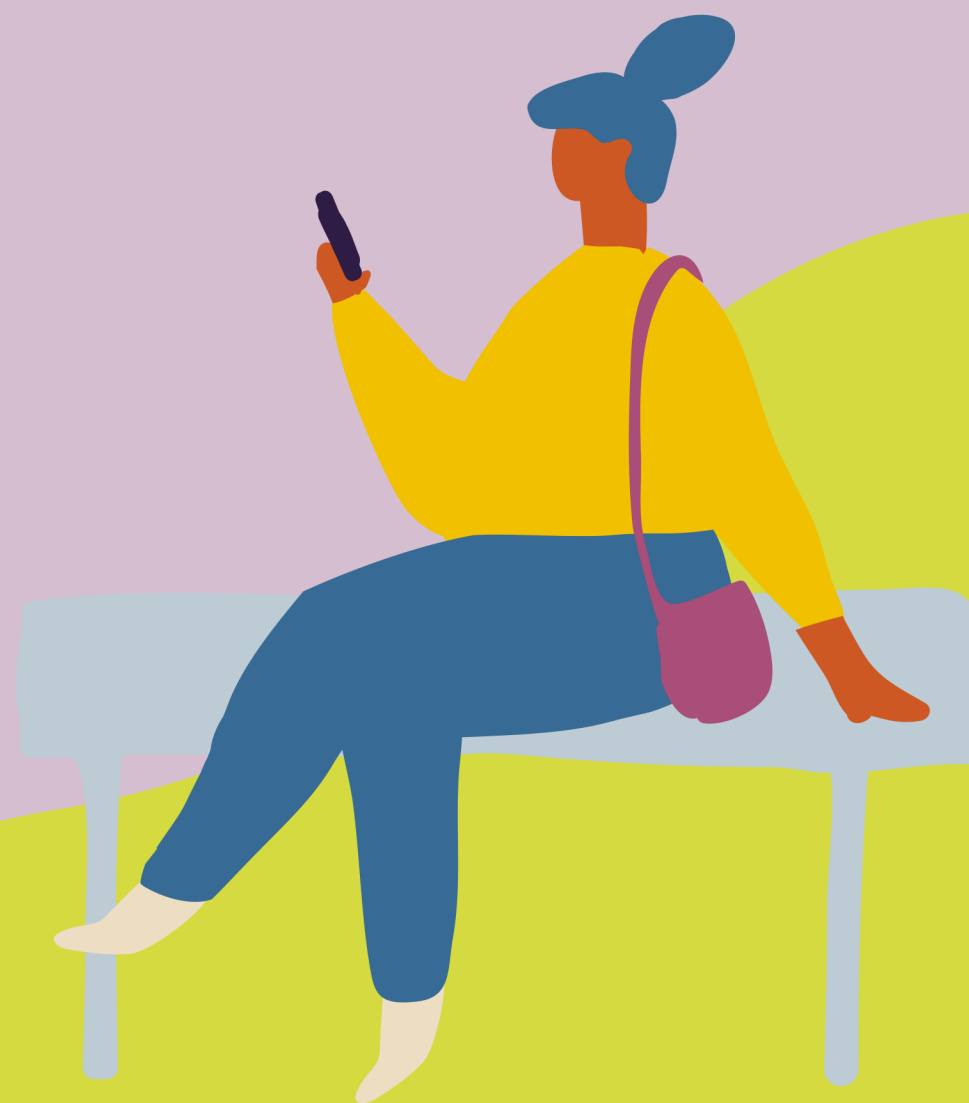


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A list of previously funded projects  
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