

Grants for Projects / Groups Application Form



Fletchers Foundation is a charitable foundation launched by Fletchers Group, a trading name of Fletchers Solicitors.

The Foundation was born in 2022, out of Fletchers Group's aim to be a responsible business.

Fletchers has been providing specialist legal services to seriously injured people since the 1980s and are one of the country's leading specialist serious injury law firms.

The Foundation was set up because of a long-standing desire to provide more direct help and support to people who have suffered serious injuries or illnesses but who do not have the benefit of a legal claim to pursue.

We provide this support through the use of financial grants that can be used for aids and equipment, rehabilitation treatment, or a whole host of wider uses that will help individuals with their recovery or quality of life.

Our objective is to enable as many people as possible to thrive following a life-changing injury.

You are eligible to apply for support if:

- You are a local community group, registered charity, or school working with individuals and their family with the long-term effects of serious personal injury, medical negligence, or illness.

Fletchers Foundation will consider requests for funding towards:

- Aids or equipment.

- Rehabilitation Therapies (physiotherapy/SLT/OT CBT, etc).
- Prosthetics.
- Counselling for the individual who are suffering from mental health issues because of the serious injury, medical negligence, or illness.
- Projects, groups, or events that can be proven to make long term-impact.
- The project, group or event must be in partnership, jointly branded and meet our eligibility criteria set out.

We are unable to consider applications if:

- The project, group, or event that the local community group, registered charity, or school is applying for, is eligible for public funding.
- The project, group, or event that the local community group, registered charity, or school is applying for, has successfully received money from Fletchers Foundation in the last 12 months.
- The local community group, registered charity, or school is financially able to support themselves.

We will not consider applications under any circumstance if:

- The grant is going to promote/involve any religious or political aspects.
 - The grant is going to be paid into a non-affiliated bank.
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- The grant will pay for the local community group, registered charity, or school's 'business as usual' activity or to replace lost income, rather than go towards the joint project.

How much can you apply for:

- Local community groups with an annual income of less than £50,000 can apply up to £10,000.
- Registered charities, schools, and community groups with an annual income of more than £50,000 will be decided on a case-by-case basis.

How many times can you apply:

- We will only support a local community group, charity or school once every 12 months.
- Please note there isn't a limit on how many times a local community group, registered charity, or school can signpost their services users to the foundation in a 12-month period. We will only support that individual once in a 12-month period, but there is no limit in how many individuals come from that local community group, registered charity, or school (within reason).

Please Note – Fletchers Foundation will only donate funds within the U.K. If you or someone you care for meets the eligibility criteria, please complete the below application form to apply for a grant from Fletchers Foundation.

If you are applying for funding to support an individual and/or their family, please complete the Individual application form which can be downloaded from our website.

If service users of your organisation are living with the long-term effects of serious personal injury, medical negligence or due to illness (born with or acquired), you may qualify for support from Fletchers Foundation, and we'd love to hear from you.

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Date of Application

Project Title Name of organisation

Name of person making the application (if applicable) Title

Contact details of the person making the application

Email Phone Number

Address
Postcode

What is the legal status of your organisation?

Charity Limited Company Social Enterprise Other

Are you part of or connected to a larger organisation e.g. charity or school?

If yes, please provide details

If answering yes to the above, please select the level at which your organisation operates:

Locally Regionally Nationally Internationally

What is the total amount needed in funding?

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Please outline how the funding will be used, including any expenses and dates where relevant (Max 500 words)

If successful, what impact would this have on the beneficiaries' lives? (Max 500 words)

What are the desired outcomes of the project?

Can the outcome be measured?

If yes, please provide details

Who will be the target beneficiaries of the project?

How many people will benefit?

Does the project, group or event support adults, children or both?

Does the project also support the families of those affected?

If yes, please provide details

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Project Duration Project Location

What protection methods will be used during the project for working with vulnerable adults or children?

What date is the funding needed by?

Who would receive payment of funding?

Does your organisation have an annual income of £50,000 and more?

Is your organisation eligible for any public funding?

If yes, please state what?

Have you received any funding from Fletchers Foundation in the past?

If yes, please provide details

Could the project be funded without support from Fletchers Foundation?

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If yes, please provide details

Are you restricted from promoting your involvement with the Charitable Foundation?

If yes, please provide details

I / We consent to the processing of sensitive personal data as far as it is necessary for the services I / we require from Fletchers Foundation.

From time to time, we may wish to contact you to offer additional products or services which may be of interest to you. In order to do this, we require your consent by agreeing to one or all of the options: I / we consent to be contacted for marketing purposes by:

Email Telephone Text Post

Please complete if applicable:

I confirm that is below the age of 16 years old and I as their parent/guardian am consenting on their behalf that Fletchers Foundation can process personal data relating to them: Please note that you may withdraw this consent at any time by notifying us at our main business address.

Please tick this box to confirm you have read and acknowledged the above information

Please tick this box if you are happy for Fletchers Foundation to contact you to discuss using your information for marketing purposes, such as to feature on the website, in newsletters, or across social media.

Signature of person making application form

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Please submit your application by emailing info@fletchersfoundation.org.uk

or printing it out and posting it to:

Reece Hobson-Adams
Director of Fletchers Foundation
c/o Fletchers Foundation
34 Houghton Street, Southport, PR9 0PU

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Applications will only be considered upon completion and submission of the above form. Further information may be required in considering your application.

All successful applicants will be contacted directly, using the details provided in the form, however, due to the large number of applications we receive it will not be possible to inform all applicants who are unsuccessful.

Please note that the board of trustees follows a robust and transparent assessment process, and their decision is final.

Therefore, it is important that all applicants provide up-to-date and relevant information regarding their project, why they wish to be awarded the grant, what they will do with the funding received and how it will benefit recipients in the future.
