

ECSF

COVID-19 is top of mind for everyone and is affecting the way we all support those who are vulnerable in our communities. This pandemic has created an increase in demand for local services, shortages in supplies, and disruption in service.

United Ways and Centraides in Canada are pleased to provide support to local community service organizations that provide rapid, emergency community support to vulnerable community members. Applications are made available and reviewed locally. Our aim is to make this application process simple. The application should take 30-45 minutes to complete once you are familiar with the application.

These funds are being distributed as part of Employment and Social Development Canada's (ESDC) Emergency Community Support Fund (ECSF). Before you begin, we encourage you to read the Frequently Asked Questions to fully understand what activities and expenses are allowable under this emergency funding for qualified donees.

- These funds are to support an increase in your program in response to the Covid-19 pandemic. The costs have to relate to an increase in supports you are providing. This is not to replace lost fundraising.**
- We do expect you to access rent rebate programs, wage subsidy programs and other such programs to manage a loss of fundraising.**
- Funding for 'storing' resources for later use will need a full explanation. We expect the increase in resources to be offered to the community through increased access to your program.**
- Budgets should have greater detail explanations. Be true to your budget costs, simple round number estimates indicate limited planning. We've added a question in the application to explain the budget in better detail.**

* 1. To be eligible an organizations must meet all of the following criteria, please check each line to confirm your eligibility

- is a registered charity in Canada, or other qualified donee,
- maintains a volunteer Board of Directors that meets regularly,
- hosts a public Annual General Meeting,
- has financial statements that have been audited by a licensed public accountant (or financial review for charities or not-for-profits with annual revenues less than \$100,000),
- commits to providing eligible emergency supports to one or more groups of vulnerable people, as defined by ESDC, with funding used in full by March 31, 2021,
- has not already received funding for the same activities from the Government of Canada or other source (i.e. the organization is not receiving funding for the same activity from more than one source),
- commits that government funding for the activities proposed in this application will not exceed more than 100% (including any mix of municipal, provincial or territorial, or federal funding),
- grants permission for this application and contact details to be shared with Community Foundations Canada and Canadian Red Cross for funding consideration and coordination.

* 2. Has your organization applied to any other funder (i.e. Canadian Red Cross or Community Foundations Canada, CEWS etc) for this specific request?

- Yes
- No

3. If yes, please indicate if this application covers different expenses within this service.

* 4. My organization received funding through the ECSF previously

- No
- Yes with the United Way of Bruce Grey
- Yes with Community Foundations Grey Bruce
- Yes with another organization outside of Bruce Grey
- Please specify

5. Contact Information

Name

Organization

Address

Address 2

City/Town

Province

Postal Code

Email Address

Phone Number

6. What local planning or networking tables do you belong to and * or participate in?

- Bruce Grey Poverty Task Force
- Grey Bruce Children's Alliance
- Grey Bruce Violence Prevention Coordinating Committee
- Bruce Grey Health Communities Partnership Table
- Grey Bruce Council on Aging
- South Bruce or Bruce Peninsula Safe Communities Committee
- Other (please specify)
- Grey Bruce Welcoming Communities Committee
- Grey Bruce Integrated Health Coalition
- Grey Bruce Pride, Kincardine Pride or other LGBTQ2S organization
- Lets Grow or Healthy Babies or Brighter Futures
- Grey Bruce Community Drug & Alcohol Strategy

7. Geographic Areas of Service - check the largest areas that applies

- | | |
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| <input type="radio"/> All of Bruce and Grey Counties | <input type="radio"/> Township of Chatsworth |
| <input type="radio"/> Bruce County | <input type="radio"/> Township of Georgian Bluffs |
| <input type="radio"/> Grey County | <input type="radio"/> Township of Southgate |
| <input type="radio"/> Neyaashiinigmiing First Nation | <input type="radio"/> Town of Saugeen Shores |
| <input type="radio"/> Saugeen First Nation | <input type="radio"/> Municipality of Kincardine |
| <input type="radio"/> City of Owen Sound | <input type="radio"/> Municipality of Brockton |
| <input type="radio"/> Municipality of Grey Highlands | <input type="radio"/> Town of South Bruce Peninsula |
| <input type="radio"/> Municipality of Meaford | <input type="radio"/> Municipality of Arran-Elderslie |
| <input type="radio"/> Municipality of West Grey | <input type="radio"/> Township of Huron-Kinloss |
| <input type="radio"/> Town of Hanover | <input type="radio"/> Municipality of South Bruce |
| <input type="radio"/> The Blue Mountains | <input type="radio"/> Municipality of Northern Bruce Peninsula |

*** 8. Project Name**

Project Name

Brief one line description
of the project

*** 9. What is the total grant request, for this project, from United Way Bruce Grey?**

10. Start and end date

Start Date

Date

End Date (no later than March 31 2021)

Date

11. Can or will the service be provided if awarded a lesser amount?

- Yes
- No
- Comments

Vulnerable Populations Served

Select Primary (up to three) target areas for your relevant target populations - Please check all that apply for questions 12 through to 19.

12. Vulnerable Populations Served

- Populations by Children, Youth, or Elderly
- Children and youth: all
- Children and youth: ageing out of care
- Children and youth: ages 0 to 18
- Children and youth: ages 19 to 29
- Seniors and Elders: not in care
- Seniors and Elders: living in care

13. Populations Requiring Specific Care or Supports

- People experiencing homelessness
- People with low income or living in poverty
- People living with mental illness
- People struggling with addiction
- Persons with disabilities
- People experiencing domestic or gender-based violence
- People living in group homes or supportive living (under the age of 55)
- Prison populations (detained and incarcerated)
- Veterans

14. Indigenous People

- Indigenous: All
- Indigenous: First Nations
- Indigenous: Inuit
- Indigenous: Metis

15. Racialized Communities

- All
- South Asian
- Chinese
- Black
- Filipino
- Latin American
- Arab
- Southeast Asian
- West Asian
- Korean
- Japanese
- Groups not otherwise specified

16. Specific Populations: Gender, Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, and Newcomers

- Members of LGBTQ2S+ communities
- Newcomers: All
- Newcomers: Permanent Residents (immigrants and refugees)
- Newcomers: Temporary Residents
- Women and Girls

17. Vulnerable Workers

- Essential Workers
- Temporary Foreign Workers
- Workers in the informal labour market

18. Linguistic Minorities

- Official Language Minority Communities (OLMCs)
- Other linguistic minorities

19. Other

- Caregivers
- Students (post-secondary)
- Specify:

20. Service Types

- Urban Area - Owen Sound
- Rural and Remote Area - not Owen Sound

21. Service Types (check all that apply):

- Food security
- Financial wellness
- Health and Hygiene
- Home care or personal support services
- Information and community navigation
- Legal support
- Mental health and wellness
- Shelter
- Safety
- Social inclusion and learning
- Transportation

22. Activity Types

- Community outreach and engagement
- Delivering new services or resources
- Developing new services or resources
- Disseminating information and knowledge
- Volunteer engagement and recruitment

* 23. Unique people are the number of people who will access or interact with your project or program at least once. Example: One person accessing a meal program for 7 meals is 1 unique person.

Anticipated unique people served:

* 24. Anticipated number of interventions (how many times will you interact with each person? Example - One person accessing a meal program for 7 meals is 7 interventions)

Anticipated number of interventions:

For your project or program for which you are applying for funding: Service types and outputs tracking. Select all of the services that apply and a minimum of three outputs in your service area, for tracking. For questions 25 through to 36. Please use numbers - not letters.

25. Food Security

of meals provided
(please identify source i.e.
groceries, food bank, etc.)

of food baskets/hampers
provided

of essential items
provided (please describe
the essential items)

of deliveries made

of volunteers trained

of staff trained

Other; # and detail:

26. Financial Wellness

of individual or families
connected to income
support programs

of information or financial
counselling sessions
provided

of referrals made

of volunteers trained

of staff trained

Other; # and detail:

27. Home Care or Personal Support

of essential items
provided (please describe
the essential items)

of homecare visits
provided/enabled

of volunteers trained

of staff trained

Other; # and detail:

28. Health & Hygiene

of health information sessions provided

of medical item deliveries made

of hygiene item deliveries made (please describe the hygiene items)

of volunteers trained

of staff trained

Other; # and detail:

29. Information & Navigation

of calls (longer than 1 minute)

of remote contact sessions with unique individuals

of referrals made with unique individuals

volunteers trained

of staff hired

Other; # and detail:

30. Legal Support

of calls (longer than 1 minute)

of remote contact sessions with unique individuals

of referrals made

volunteers trained

of staff hired

Other; # and detail:

31. Mental Health & Wellness

of calls (longer than 1 minute)

of unique calls

of remote counselling sessions with unique individuals

32. Number of volunteers trained by this project

of staff hired

Other; # and detail:

33. Shelter Provided

of remote contact sessions with unique individuals

of nights of shelter provided

of individuals sheltered

volunteers trained

of staff hired

Other; # and detail:

34. Personal Safety

of remote contact sessions with unique individuals

of safety referrals made

of safety assessments made

volunteers trained

of staff hired

Other; # and detail:

35. Social Inclusion & Learning

of calls (longer than 1 minute)

of remote contact sessions with unique individuals

of virtual social activities provided

of learning aids provided

of learning activities offered

of learners engaged

of volunteers trained

of staff hired

Other; # and detail:

36. Transportation

of persons transported

of errands run

of volunteers trained

Other; # and detail:

37. Other outputs or indicators, please specify:

* 38. Who will this project or program help? (max 250 words):

39. How will this project or program help? What are some of the activities?

* 40. What is the difference or benefit, it will make in lives of people involved in the program or project? (max 250 words):

* 41. Optional: How do you know this is needed, in relation to COVID-19 (Answer with statistical, story, or anecdotal evidence as you see fit. Max 250 words):

* 42. Is this an existing service?

43. If yes, how many additional people does the service anticipate reaching as a result of this application?

44. Is this program/project being delivered by a coalition of agencies or through a partnership table in your community?

Yes

No

45. If yes, please provide details about the coalition (e.g. lead agency, member agencies, roles. Max 200 words)

46. Will this service engage the support/involvement of Canadians/Businesses?

Yes

No

47. If yes (please use numbers not words):

How many Businesses:

How many Donors:

How many volunteers:

Budget & Authorization

Please complete the following budget table for the service.

Budget Instructions:

Please ensure that your budget accounts for the full income and expenses of your service, including grants you have requested. All budget items must be service related and must be incurred during the grant period. Expenses incurred prior to November 1st are not eligible.

Eligible expenditures include: wages and benefits, professional fees, travel and accommodations, materials and supplies, printing and communication, equipment rental/lease/maintenance, administration costs, capital costs, and disability support for staff. Ineligible expenditures include purchase of real property.

Please note, other sources of revenue cannot be used for the same activity costs described in this application, without a commensurate increase in services.

Where there are multiple sources of income from the Federal Government, Provincial / Territorial Governments, Municipal Governments, Community Foundations, Canadian Red Cross, and/or United Ways / Centraides, please add lines to the table to detail each.

48. Please upload the budget table for the application

Choose File

Choose File

No file chosen

49. The Living Wage rate for Bruce Grey is \$18.39, will you be paying staff a living wage?

Yes

No - no staff are being paid with these funds

No

If no - please explain

50. Please upload the authorization and confirmation file

Choose File

Choose File

No file chosen