

Application Guidance

1 About the Small Grants Programme

The Small Grants Programme offers funding of up to £2000 to community and voluntary organisations in South West London. This initiative aims to improve health and care equity by amplifying the voices of minoritised communities and those furthest from services.

Grantees will play a vital role in shaping anti-racist health and care strategies through creative consultation. Insights gathered will contribute to a final report and conference in April 2025, influencing systemic change across South West London.

2 Who Can Apply?

We welcome applications from organisations that:

- Work with minoritised and diverse communities.
- Are based in South West London boroughs: Kingston, Richmond, Wandsworth, Croydon, Sutton, and Merton.

3 What Can the Funding Be Used For?

The funding is flexible to meet your organisation's needs. Projects might include:

- Hosting events, focus groups, or community discussions.
- Providing resources, or equipment to support engagement.
- Creative methods to help engage with local communities to share their views, collect and share insight

Your work should contribute to the following goals:

- Engaging minoritised and diverse voices in conversations about health and care equity.
- Offering recommendations for improving health and care systems.

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Expectations for Funded Organisations

All funded organisations will:

- **Engage Communities:** Conduct activities that encourage community input and participation.
- **Gather Insights:** Collect findings on how to address inequities in health and care.
- **Contribute to Our Report:** Share your insights to inform our report and conference in April 2025.
- **Propose Recommendations:** Provide practical ideas for creating more equitable health and care systems.

Your project should help us reach communities whose voices are often excluded from traditional consultations.

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How Will Applications Be Judged?

Applications will be reviewed based on:

Community Focus: Engagement with minoritised and diverse communities in South West London.

Feasibility: Ability to deliver the proposed project within the timeline and budget.

Impact: Contribution to shaping anti-racist strategies in health and care.

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