

COVID-19 Emergency Relief Funding: Guidelines

This year, COVID-19 and natural disasters have placed many organisations in the charity sector under additional funding pressure; at a time when the most vulnerable members of our communities are in need of extra support.

St.George Foundation exists to serve our communities through you, our partners. We support your purpose of improving the lives of children who are experiencing disadvantage.

It is now more important than ever that we stand by you and help during the toughest of times.

We understand that organisations need to adapt and respond to the increased community needs and ever-changing environment. We are committed to helping you, and we're doing this by increasing our support to make more funding available:

- We are providing emergency payments of up to \$5000 for approved charities who are experiencing immediate funding pressures as a result of COVID-19.

To be eligible for funding your organisation will:

- Have been funded by St.George Foundation in the past five calendar years.
- Be endorsed as a Deductible Gift Recipient (but not another ancillary fund). Deductible Gift Recipients must be listed with the Australian Taxation Office under Item 1 of the Table in Section 30–15 of the Income Tax Assessment Act, 1997; and
- Be able to demonstrate an adverse impact as a result of COVID-19.

Additional Information:

- Funding through this initiative may be supported by St.George Foundation in NSW, QLD, WA, ACT or nationally, Bank of Melbourne Foundation in Victoria and BankSA Foundation in the Northern Territory or South Australia; collectively known as St.George Foundation.
- St.George Foundation cannot give funding to individuals or organisations that are not eligible recipients.
- Applying for funding or being an eligible applicant does not guarantee funding from St.George Foundation.