



## Living Well with Psychosis Application Guidance

Thank you for your interest in the Living Well with Psychosis Grant. This document is to help you plan your application. It contains a copy of the application questions

You may prefer to prepare your answers using this document, you can then copy and paste your answers as appropriate into the online application form.

**This form is for your reference only. You CANNOT submit a Word document directly to us. You must complete and submit the application form in SmartSimple so our small team can process the information for this funding call. Thank you for your understanding.**

Should you have any queries don't hesitate to get in touch via [grants@maudsleycharity.org](mailto:grants@maudsleycharity.org)

### About the Programme

We are looking to fund work that focuses on people affected by psychosis, including those living with diagnoses like bipolar disorder, schizophrenia and schizo-affective disorder.

### Application Form Preview

#### Section 1: Contact information

#	Question wording	Guidance to applicant
1	Lead applicant name	The person leading the bid. They will be responsible for the delivery of the programme and reporting on progress to Maudsley Charity.
2	Lead organisation name	Through which organisation would any grant be paid?
3	Co applicant name (if applicable)	We recommend including a co-applicant.
4	Directorate/ department	If you work in SLaM which directorate and team are you based? If you work at IoPPN which department are you part of?
5	Partner organisation and department (if appropriate)	We are open to a range of possible partnership bids, including national and local charity and community partners, and public sector bodies.

6	Role/ Job Title	The usual working role of the lead applicant.
7	Contact information – email & phone	Contact information for updates on progress of bid or queries

**Section 2: Proposal Overview: This section provides us with a snapshot of your proposed work.**

#	Question	Guidance to applicant	Word limit
1	Proposal title	Give a short descriptive title - 'does what it says on the tin'.	50
	Proposed duration of project	Length of project delivery in months (not including recruitment if required before the project can begin)	
2	Proposed start date	Please allow for recruitment to posts where work cannot begin until new roles are in post.	n/a
3	Proposed end date	dd/mm/yyyy	n/a
4	Please describe your proposal in brief.	Outline a clear and simple description of your proposal. This should outline your proposed main activities and why you believe they will help solve a problem or lead to particular impact. (This may also be used in comms material).	300
5	How much funding are you applying for in total?	Your maximum budget. We will ask you for an overview budget at EOI stage, and if you progress to a full application we will require a detailed budget. A template will be provided at full application stage.	n/a
6	If relevant, which boroughs would you be working in?	Please highlight the relevant boroughs only	n/a

**Section 3: Your approach to the proposed work**

#	Question name	Guidance to applicant	Word count
1	Which of our priority areas does your work address?	Our priority areas are: 1. Giving people affected by psychosis a greater voice and influence over their own care 2. Personalised and effective therapy and medication 3. Culturally appropriate peer and family support, information, and advice	

		<p>4. Addressing the impact of racism and discrimination on access to appropriate care at the right time</p> <p>5. Help to avoid or reduce problematic cannabis use</p> <p>6. Improving what happens in crisis</p> <p>7. Better use of data to understand risk and target care</p> <p>8. Improving opportunities for employment and volunteering</p>	
2.	What problem is your project addressing?	Please describe the problem/s your project is addressing/ supporting and why?	250
3	How will you involve any relevant people with lived experience in your proposed work?	Please describe who it is appropriate to involve, and the ways you would approach this in practice. If you are building on existing engagement, please describe that here.	250
4	Who will deliver the work, are key team members in post already?	Please let us know who will deliver the work and how you plan to bring an experienced team around the delivery.	200

#### Section 4: Learning and impact

#	Question name	Guidance	Word limit
1	Please briefly describe what measure/s will you be using to evaluate your impact?	Describe for a lay audience your overall approach to measuring impact, including any methods, measures and any relevant service improvement approaches.	250
2	What outcomes would you hope to see if your proposal were to work as hoped for?	Provide some examples of what you'd like to improve or change through your proposed work, and for who. If applicable, please let us know if you aiming to achieve a particular standard of evidence of effectiveness through your work? E.g. qualitative analysis; before and after effects; site comparison, causality, correlation.	300

**Further information:**

- Please include an outline of your project using the budget template provided.

**Submitting your Expression of Interest Checkboxes \*mandatory**

	By ticking the box, I can confirm I am happy for this information to be shared with our partners KCL and SLAM as well as a range of reviewers for the purpose of assessing applications.
	By ticking the box, I can confirm that I have appropriate internal approval for submitting this application. For KCL lead applicants, this is the head of Department and Grants Office. SLaM lead applicants, this is approval of the relevant budget holder and department director.
Please note, if you are invited to the next stage, we will ask you for confirmation of details of planning and compliance. This includes project governance, full budget plan, risk management, ethics approvals, safeguarding and diversity, equity and inclusion.	