



## Record of The Homeless Hub Grants ©


Charity	Priority Area	About the Charity
<a href="#">Lifeshare</a>  <a href="#">Manchester</a>  	<b>Tackling Poverty</b> 1. offer range of services and help to the homeless in Greater Manchester 2. address poverty and hardship 3. help people access health care and address harm reduction	<p>Lifeshare is a voluntary organisation established to help meet the needs of homeless and vulnerable people in Manchester and Salford. The first point of contact is with people on the streets, offering practical assistance, support and information. From this point they offer continued assistance that enables people to secure suitable accommodation, support them in maintaining their tenancies, and help them to access initiatives that carry their lives forward.</p> <p>They provide a weekend breakfast and over the Christmas period three meals every day. Other projects include Crisis Management, digital inclusion, fighting food poverty and an arts programme to give people a chance to express themselves. In addition to care and dealing with immediate needs they provide the opportunity for people to reconnect with the society and communities in which they live.</p>

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23 Sep 23	£1000	Respite Project which has been running since 1994 operates Friday, Saturday and Sunday as a drop in service to offer support on drug and alcohol abuse but also allowing clients to start the day with a fresh hot meal, a shower, and clean, dry clothing. We are meeting the cost of food for January 2024.
4 Oct 23	£3000	The Christmas Project 2023 is a week-long project running from the 23rd to 29th December 7am to 8pm, providing hot meals, showers, clothing, barbers, entertainment, health care and other support to those who are in need. They provide a warm, dry, safe space for all who are in need, offering three meals a day, plus snacks, hot and cold drinks. Our second grant will fund all food costs for 24 December 2023.
14 Oct 24	£3000	Because of the success of the Christmas initiative in 2023, we decided to give a grant to cover the cost of all food costs on 24 December 2024.

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<a href="#">Hope House Essex</a> 	<b>Tackling Poverty</b>  <b>Homelessness</b>  <b>Weekly meal</b>  <b>Practical Support and Advocacy</b>	<p>Hope House Essex is a volunteer-led charity that provides critical support to vulnerable adults in the Braintree area, focusing on those at risk of homelessness and isolation. Hope House provides a warm and welcoming environment where individuals can access personalised support, advocacy, and guidance to rebuild their lives. The charity operates with a small team, including a full-time manager and part-time bookkeeper, supported by dedicated volunteers who assist with fundraising, bid writing, and befriending members of the Hope House Community. Hope House works closely with local authorities, probation services, mental health teams, and other organisations to advocate for those in need and help break the cycle of homelessness.</p> <p><b>Our Key Objectives</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>1. Support Vulnerable Adults:</b> Provide a welcoming, safe space and personalised support to individuals at risk of homelessness and isolation.</li> <li><b>2. Promote Stability and Independence:</b> Help individuals navigate local services and achieve more settled and independent living.</li> <li><b>3. Break the Cycle of Homelessness:</b> Assist those sleeping rough, in cars, or sofa-surfing to access stable housing and essential services.</li> <li><b>4. Advocate for Service Users:</b> Act as a bridge between vulnerable individuals and local authorities, probation, mental health services, and other essential providers.</li> <li><b>5. Foster a Sense of Dignity and Security:</b> Promote self-worth and respect through holistic, person-centred care.</li> </ol>
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5 Mar 24	£1000	<p>A weekly community meal held at a local church hall, offering support to people who are homeless, at risk of homelessness, or facing social isolation due to precarious housing.</p> <p>On average, 30 individuals in the Braintree area benefit from this initiative, and are people who experience homelessness, housing insecurity, and loneliness.</p> <p>The free use of the church hall and kitchen, combined with the dedication of volunteers, ensures we can provide consistent and impactful support to those in need. The meals currently costs approx.£70 a week.</p>
19 Jan 25	£1000	

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<a href="#">Caring Bristol</a>  <a href="#">Bristol</a>   Caring in Bristol	<b>Tackling Poverty</b> 1. offer range of services and help to the homeless in Bristol 2. address poverty and hardship	To support people at risk of, or facing homelessness in the City of Bristol by creating create a city empowered to solve homelessness together. Our work spans four key areas: youth support, early prevention, food clubs, and our renowned Caring at Christmas day shelter initiative Our target beneficiaries are young people aged 18-25 and adults.
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13-Feb-25	£1,008	Cooking Made Simple - Adult Classes with Bristol Goods. Series of cooking classes for the homeless to teach them to create simple, delicious meals and encourage their independence. Small classes with a shared meal and achance to meet others.