Riverside

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Council Support

Household Support Fund Financial help for vulnerable residents in Wirral

Help is available for people in Wirral who are struggling with the cost of living. The council will help people who are most vulnerable to increases in the cost of living. This work is done with local agencies, groups and organisations.

Support Available

The financial support available includes:

- Government Fuel Rebate scheme
- Winter Fuel Payments
- Help with Council Tax
- Emergency financial support schemes
- Discretionary Housing Payments
- Additional financial support for most vulnerable pensioners
- Costing of Living Support Government Guidance

Wirral Foodbank works with local agencies to help people who are struggling to put food on the table. If you need an emergency food parcel, a local agency may be able to provide you with an emergency foodbank voucher for the Wirral Foodbank.

Visit Wirral Foodbank for details of agencies who can assist or call 0151 606 2005 who can also assess you for help for Wirral Foodbank.

Emergency financial support may be available from Wirral Council for individuals and families in crisis who are in urgent need of specialist food that cannot be supplied by Wirral Foodbank and who cannot pay. We may be able to provide financial help for three days' worth of food for people with a specific food need related to a medical or health condition or due to religion or culture.

To find out more visit: https://my.wirral.gov.uk/service/Wirral_Emergency Food Request

Help with something else (for example, other items, bills and expenses)

Financial support may be available to help with other household items, bills and expenses. This is to provide immediate help in an emergency situation; it is not to provide ongoing regular support.

- Essential transport costs. This could cover emergency travel. It could be for caring duties. It could also be for essential health appointments like dialysis or chemotherapy.
- Veterinary bills. This may be for unexpected veterinary treatment required for a pet critical to its health and wellbeing, where pet insurance is not in place.
- General health needs. This may be for the limited cost of important health needs such as 'Flu vaccinations, paid-for treatments and unexpected high prescription costs.
- Help may be available for other items or bills

For Advice and help contact 0151 606 2005.



Wirral Foodbank

Unit 14 Wirral Business Centre, Dock Road Birkenhead, CH41 1JW

0151 638 7090

http://wirral.foodbank.org.uk enquiries@wirralfoodbank.org.uk

Enquiries before 2 pm Monday to Thursday **0151 638 7090**

Out of hours support between 2pm – 5pm Monday – Friday **07947 387930**

Emergency out office hours, between 5pm – 9am Monday – Friday and all day Saturday, Sunday Emergency Social Services **0151 677 6557**

Seacombe Children's Centre

St Paul's Road, Wallasey, CH44 7AN 0151 666 3506

Open Monday and Wednesday 1 pm to 3 pm and Friday 10 am to 12 pm

St James Church, New Brighton

Albion Street, New Brighton, CH45 9LF 0151 630 6677

Open Thursday 11 am to 12.30 pm

North Birkenhead Development Centre

St James Centre, 344 Laird Street, CH41 7AL 0151 670 9974

Open Monday 3 pm to 4.30 pm

Christ Church, Moreton

Christ Church, Upton Road, CH46 0PA 0151 604 0049

Open Monday 1 pm to 2.30 pm

St Mark's, New Ferry

St Mark's Church, New Chester Road, CH62 1DG 0151 601 4872

Open Thursday 10.30 am to 12.30 pm

Salvation Army Charity Shop

Salvation Army, 19 Oxton Road, Birkenhead CH41 2QQ

0151 6522569

Open Saturday 10.30 am to 12.30 pm

St Chads, Liscard

Twickenham Drive, Leasowe, CH46 1RW 0151 678 6497

Open Tuesday 11 am to 1.30 pm

St Joseph and St Alban's

St Alban's Parish Centre, St Alban's Road Wallasey, CH44 5UD 0151 638 1520

Open Tuesday 5.30 pm to 7 pm

St Catherine's Tranmere

Church Road, Tranmere, CH42 0LQ 01516527379

Open Friday 11 am to 1 pm

St Vincent's Centre

15 - 17 Grange Road West, Birkenhead, CH41 4BY 0151 673 1313

Open Monday to Friday 12.30 pm to 3 pm

St David's Church

Crossthwaite Avenue, Eastham, CH62 9DG 0151 327 3722

Open Wednesday 12 pm to 1.30 pm



The Pet Food Project

47 Cobham Road, Wirral, CH46 0QZ **kFed Up Wallasey - Egremont Community Centre arl@petfoodproject.org**

Community Stores/Social Supermarkets

Social Supermarket - St Paul's Church

Church Crescent, Seacombe, Wirral, CH44 7AY 0151 528 5777 stpauls@seacombeparish.com

Open Thursday and Friday 2 pm to 4 pm and Sunday 12.15pm to 1 pm

Social Supermarket

Hoole Road, Woodchurch, Wirral, CH49 8EG 0151 522 0738 carrbridgemakeithappen@gmail.com
Open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 1 pm to 3 pm

Fed Up Wallasey

Sandbrook Community Centre, 11 Sunningdale, Chapelhill Road, Moreton, CH46 9RG 0151 604 0374 sandbrookcommunity@hotmail.com **Open Monday 2 pm to 3 pm Thursdays 3.30pm to 4.30 pm**

Fed Up Wallasey

Egremont Community Centre, Old Mission Building, Guildford Street, Egremont, Wirral, CH44 0BP 0151 639 4441 Egremontcommunitycentre2023@gmail.com **Open Monday to Friday 10 am to 2 pm**

Social Supermarket - Fed Up Wallasey

Charlotte's Brightside, New Brighton Community Centre, 1A Hope Street, New Brighton, Wirral CH45 2LN 0151 630 2626 charlottesbrightside2011@gmail.com Open Monday and Tuesday 12 pm to 3pm Thursday 9 am to 1 pm

Social Supermarket - Shaftesbury Youth Club

60 Mendip Road, Tranmere, CH42 8NU 07933 970 964/ 0151 608 7165 michellenaylor@shaftes.org.uk **Open Monday to Friday 9.30 am to 4 pm**

Social Supermarket - Make It Happen in Birkenhead

72-74 Market Street, Birkenhead, CH41 5BT 07875 692142/0151 306 4840 info@makeithappenbirkenhead.co.uk

Open Monday to Friday from 9 am to 5 pm Saturday from 9.30 am to 1.30 pm

Social Supermarket - Fed Up Wallasey - Leasowe Community Centre

Twickenham Drive, Leasowe, Wirral, CH46 1PF 0151 691 1595 fedup@wirraldt.org.uk

Open Monday, Wednesday and Friday

9 am to 3 pm

Social Supermarket - The Core Project Bidston Rise

29 Clover Drive, Bidston, Wirral, CH41 7DZ corebirkenhead@outlook.com

Open Friday 11.30 am to 2.30 pm



Social Supermarket - Community Spirit Wirral

Community Food, 71 Mill Lane, Wallasey, Wirral, CH44 5UB 07498 180066 mandyleeupton@gmail.com

Open Monday to Saturday 10 am to 4 pm

Social Supermarket - Break the Mould

St Peter's RC Church, St Peter's Way, Prenton, Birkenhead, CH43 9QR 07584420917 info@breakthemould.org.uk **Open Monday to Friday 9.30 am to 2.30 pm**

Open Monday to Friday 9.30 am to 2.30 pm (Tuesday and Friday from 10.30 am)

Social Supermarket - Neo Community

Beaconsfield Community House, Rock Ferry, Birkenhead, CH42 3YN 0151 647 5981 info@neocommunity.org.uk **Open Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday**

12 am to 3 pm
Friday from 12 pm to 2 pm and 4 pm to 6 pm
Saturdays 11 am to 1 pm

Social Supermarket - The Gate

Gateway Church, Woodchurch Road, Woodchurch, Birkenhead, Wirral, CH41 2UF 07838 155828 thegate@gatewaywirral.com **Open Monday to Friday 9 am to 11 am**

Social Supermarket - Bargain Bags

97 Poulton Road, Seacombe, CH44 9DE 07869214776 info@citcuk.org.uk

Open Monday to Friday 10 am to 12.30 pm

National Organisations

Too good to go - The Too Good To Go app lets customers buy and collect Magic Bags of this food - at a great price - directly from businesses.

https://www.toogoodtogo.com/en-gb

OLIO - Olio is a mobile app for food-sharing, aiming to reduce food waste. It does this by connecting those with surplus food to those in need. **https://olioapp.com/en/**

Trussell Trust Helpline - 0800 915 4604 Open Monday to Friday, 9am – 5pm

Salvation Army

Run food banks year-round from many of their churches and community centres.

OddBox - Fighting food waste https://www.oddbox.co.uk/

Riverside Furniture Support in Wirral



Council Support

Apply for emergency financial support with welfare needs

Financial support for individuals and families in crisis due to an emergency or disaster may be available from Wirral Council. This may include help for those leaving a care home, prison, hospital or similar, to become established in the community.

You must be:

- aged 16 or over
- a Wirral resident or intending to be (that is, has accommodation secured)
- requiring support to address your own essential needs or the needs of their dependant(s)
- able to demonstrate that you are unable to access any other timely resource or other ways of meeting this need which are considered reasonable
- able to demonstrate that your health and safety, and that of your dependant(s), would be adversely affected if an award was not made

Discretionary Support Scheme

Help with household items

Emergency financial support may be available from Wirral Council for individuals and families who meet the above criteria and who need help with household items such as: white goods; essential furniture and kitchen items; bedding and clothing.

To find out more visit https://my.wirral.gov.uk/service/

Recipro (UK) Ltd

Work with suppliers and contractors, who donate unwanted, materials to sell on at low cost.
Unit 2 Britannia House, Dock Road, CH41 1DF
0151 639 0651

Facebook Groups

There are several groups on Facebook that offer free or low cost furniture.

These include:

People Help The People (Liverpool), Liverpool FREEcycle, Everything's free Liverpool

Resources

Reuse Network

Reuse Network supports reuse charities across the UK to help them alleviate poverty, reduce waste and tackle climate change.

https://reuse-network.org.uk/

Second Hand Furniture Websites

Facebook Market Place and Groups Gumtree, FreeCycle, Pre-Loved, Freeads, VivaStreet, Freegal

Charities

Glasspool Trust

UK-wide charity that provides grants support for people experiencing financial hardship, with no restrictions on who they can help.

https://www.glasspool.org.uk/

Buttle UK

Support children and their families, including the provision of beds, and offer more comprehensive packages of support.

https://buttleuk.org/apply-for-a-grant/

Family Fund

Helping vulnerable children and young people up to the age of 18 who are experiencing a crisis or emergency. They provide essential furniture items and they accept direct applications.

https://www.familyfund.org.uk/

Riverside Furniture Support in Wirral



Charity Shops

Age UK Wirral

3 Vittoria St, Birkenhead CH41 3LQ 0151 647 7329

Open Monday to Saturday 9 am to 4.30 pm

Wirral Hospice Stores

All stores Open Monday to Saturday 9 am to 4.30 pm

Bebington

Teehey Lane, Bebington CH63 8QT **0151 332 3505**

Birkenhead

6 St John's Pavement, Grange Precinct, CH41 2YB **0151 345 6638**

Bromborough

148 Allport Road, Bromborough CH62 4BB **0151 203 8468**

Bromborough Croft Showroom

Unit 4 Croft Trade Park, Welton Road, CH62 3PQ **0151 334 2558**

Claughton

64 Upton Road, Claughton CH41 0DH **0151 652 5621**

Heswall

254 Telegraph Road, Heswall CH60 7SG **0151 342 6030**

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Liscard

24-30 Liscard Way, Liscard CH44 5TP **0151 638 1005**

Moreton

268 Hoylake Road, Moreton CH46 6AF **0151 604 0171**

New Brighton

118 Victoria Road, New Brighton CH45 2JF **0151 639 2531**

West Kirby

12 Banks Road, West Kirby CH48 4HB **0151 625 2917**

British Heart Foundation

Birkenhead Home Store, Unit 3, 178 Grange Road, CH41 6EA 0151 515 7010

Open Monday to Saturday 9.30 to 5 pm and Sunday 10 am to 4 pm

Roy Castle Furniture Store

25 Pensby Road, Heswall, CH60 7RA 0151 342 7043

Open Monday to Saturday 9 am to 5.30 pm and Sunday 10 am to 4 pm



Riverside Furniture Support in Wirral



Claire House Children's Hospice Stores Bromborough

16 The Precinct, Bromborough, CH62 7AD 0151 334 0512

Open Monday to Saturday 9am to 5 pm

Ellesmere Port

5 Mercer Walk, The Port arcades shopping Centre. CH65 0AP 0151 356 4040

Open Monday to Saturday 9am to 5 pm

Heswall

155 Telegraph Road, Heswall, CH60 7SE 0151 342 4287

Open Monday to Saturday 9am to 5 pm and Sunday 10 am to 4 pm

Liscard

7 Coronation Buildings, Wallasey Road, CH45 4NE 0151 639 0480

Open Monday to Saturday 9am to 5 pm

Hospice of the good Shepherd Ellesmere Port Shop

5 Rivington Road, Ellesmere Port, CH65 0AW 0151 357 1209

Open Monday to Saturday 9.30 am to 4.30 pm

Neston Shop

10 High Street, Neston, Wirral, CH64 9TY 0151 353 0301

Open Tuesday to Saturday 10 am to 4.30 pm

The Besom

Christian organisation that can provide furniture, kitchen equipment, bed linin and much more. Referrals can be made by contacting local support agencies.

www.besominwirral.co.uk

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Riverside Cost of Living Support in Wirral



Council Support

Discretionary Housing Payment Scheme

The Discretionary Housing Payment scheme is for people struggling to pay rent or other housing costs. You must already receive Housing Benefit or Universal Credit. These payments give short-term help with rent for tenants in financial hardship. The fund for these payments is limited. Demand often exceeds the available fund each year.

Discretionary Housing Payments are payments that can be made in addition to main Housing Benefit or Universal Credit if housing costs are paid

Libraries

Bebington Central Library

Civic Way, Bebington, Wirral, CH63 7PN 0151 666 4192

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Birkenhead Central Library

Borough Road, Birkenhead, Wirral, CH41 2XB 0151 606 2114

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Eastham Library

Mill Park Drive, Eastham, Wirral, CH62 9AN 0151 666 5283

Open Tuesday to Friday 9 am to 1 pm and 2 pm to 5 pm and Saturday 9 am to 1 pm

Community Partner Library - Leasowe Library

Millennium Centre, Twickenham Drive, CH46 1PQ 0151 638 9599

Open Monday to Friday 10 am to 4 pm

Moreton Library

Moreton Library, Pasture Road, Moreton, CH46 8SA 0151 666 4884

Open Tuesday to Friday 9 am to 1 pm and 2 pm to 5 pm and Saturday 9 am to 1 pm

Rock Ferry Library

259 Old Chester Road, Rock Ferry, CH42 3TD 0151 606 2858

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Upton Library

Ford Road, Upton, CH49 0TB 0151 677 5677

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St James Library

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Seacombe Library

St Paul's Road, Seacombe, Wallasey, CH44 7AN 0151 606 2665

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Employment Support

Households into Work

Households into Work is a programme to help people find work and supporting people to get to a point where they start to think about work as a realistic option. They support long-term unemployed people who have difficulty finding and sustaining employment due to a range of issues, including financial crises, mental health problems, the risk of eviction or homelessness, domestic abuse, social isolation or chronic health issues.

0151 330 1005 hiw@liverpoolcityregion-ca.gov.uk

Wirral Ways To Work Programme

The Wirral Ways to Work Programme supports eligible workless young people and adults to move into education, employment and training. Wirral Ways to Work offers four different services aimed at different groups of people. 56-58 Argyle Street, Birkenhead, Wirral, CH41 6AF

0151 556 2620 wirral@careerconnect.org.uk

Wirral Worklessness Support Service

This service is aimed at adults aged 16-years-plus. It provides specialist job coaches who will support you into sustainable employment, including self-employment, on a one-to-one basis. Involve Northwest delivers the service with more than 20 weekly work clubs in community venues throughout Wirral. The Lauries Centre, 142 Claughton Road Birkenhead, CH41 6EY

Wirral Careers Information Advice and

Guidance service

0151 644 4500

This service is for eligible young people not in employment, education or training. It aims to raise the aspirations of young people and support you into employment or learning. Career Connect delivers the service, providing face to

face guidance as well as telephone support and online access to services.

0151 556 2620 wirral@careerconnect.org.uk

PLUSS Employment Support

Pluss supports thousands of people with disabilities and other disadvantages move into employment each year.

0800 334 5525 employment.bureau@pluss.org.uk

Employment Team - Wirral Change

The service provides tailored employment advice, but also caring, positive one-to-one culturally sensitive support, which helps tackle employment issues to ensure the empowerment of our community.

They offer one-to-one tailored support with: CV development, job searching and access to training opportunities to improve employability prospects. The team also support benefit issues and appeals, NI registration, housing issues and referrals for immigration advice.

Saint Laurence Close, Birkenhead, CH41 3JD 0151 649 8177 info@wirralchange.org.uk



Credit Unions

Wirral Credit Union

403 Poulton Road, Wallasey, Wirral, CH44 4DF

0151 638 4332

WCU Birkenhead Branch

114 Laird Street, Birkenhead, CH41 8EN

0151 201 1051

info@wirralcu.org.uk

www.wirralcu.org.uk

Central Liverpool Credit Union

141 Park Street, Liverpool, L8 6QF centralcu.co.uk

0151 708 5515 enquiries@clcu.co.uk

Partners Credit Union

2nd Floor, LCVS, 151 Dale Street, L2 2AH partnerscreditunion.co.uk

0151 258 1014

enquiries@partnerscreditunion.co.uk

National Debt services

Turn2us

Turn2us is a national charity providing practical help to people who are struggling financially. **0808 802 2000 www.turn2us.org.uk**

National Debtline

National Debtline is a debt advice charity run by the Money Advice Trust. We are a free and confidential debt advice service for people in England, Wales and Scotland.

0808 808 4000 www.nationaldebtline.org

Christians Against Poverty (CAP)

Provides free professional debt help, job clubs, life skills groups and money education in the heart of communities.

https://capuk.org/

Money Advice Service - 0300 500 5000

National Debt Line - 0808 808 4000

Fuel and Energy Support

Energy Projects Plus

Free and impartial advice to help you save money on your energy bills. 0800 043 0151

https://www.epplus.org.uk/

British Gas Energy Trust

https://britishgasenergytrust.org.uk/

Scottish Power Hardship Fund

https://www.scottishpower.co.uk/support-centre/help-paying-your-bill/hardship-fund

E.On Energy Fund

https://www.eonenergyfund.com/

Support from Banks

Most banks offer help for those struggling during the current cost of living surge, with most stating that they plan to ramp up their guidance and support services.



Riverside Welcoming Spaces in Wirral



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Moreton Methodist Church

Pasture Road, Moreton, Wirral, CH46 7TQ 0151 678 9339 lyn1peter1@hotmail.co.uk **Wednesday 9 am to 2 pm**

St James Garden

192 and 194 Tollemache Road CH41 0151 639 2121 wen@la21.net Wednesday 10 am to 1 pm

Warm Hub - Moreton Baptist Church

326 Hoylake Road, Moreton, Wirral, CH46 6DF 0151 677 7902

heretohelp@moretonbaptistchurch.org.uk

Wednesday 1 pm to 2 pm and Fridays 9 am to 11 am (term time only)

Riverside Digital Inclusion Support in Wirral



National Organisations

Job Centre Support

Connectivity provider TalkTalk is rolling out a new voucher scheme that gives jobseekers across the UK free access to high-quality broadband. The programme, offered in partnership with the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP), aims to tackle digital exclusion and remove barriers to employment across the UK.

Your work coach will be able to help support you to access further information

Social Tariffs

Internet access at home can be expensive, some broadband providers offer social tariffs — broadband and phone packages at a reduced price for people claiming Universal Credit, Pension Credit as well as some other benefits. Some providers call them 'essential' or 'basic' broadband.

Visit www.ofcom.org.uk and search social tariffs to find out more.

The Department for Education

The Department For Education offers free qualifications and provides access to free, high-quality provision to equip them with the essential digital skills they need for life and work.

To be eligible for full funding under the entitlement:

- Be a UK resident
- Aged 19 and over
- Do not have the essential digital skills required to operate effectively in work and day to day life

Get Online @ Home

Get Online @ Home sells heavily discounted, refurbished computers and tablets. https://www.getonlineathome.org

Family Fund

Devices, such as computers and tablets, can have a huge impact on disabled children and their families. Family Fund can help support families. www.familyfund.org.uk

The Charity Excellence

The Charity Excellence Framework provides a resource for a wide range of free laptops, computers, software, IT support and grants for UK charities and social enterprises.

www.charityexcellence.co.uk

The National Data Bank

The National Databank is a national foodbank for connectivity data. Run by Good Things Foundation, data to help almost 500,000 people will be donated by Virgin Media O2, Vodafone, and Three Mobile from September 2022.

www.goodthingsfoundation.org

National Device Bank

Good Things Foundation is building the UK's first ever National Device Bank. Devices will be provided to people in need by thousands of community organisations in Good Things Foundation's network.

https://www.onlinecentresnetwork.org

www.gov.uk/guidance/free-qualifications-for-adults-with-low-digital-skills

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Age UK Wirral

Age UK have several groups delivering IT Support and training across Wirral.

Mariners Park, Royden Avenue, CH44 0HN
Christ the King Church, CH41 4JF
Heart of Egremount, Old Guilford Street, CH440BP
Tomorrows Women, Beckwith Street, CH413JE
Wirral Mind, 90-92 Chester Road, CH415DL
Neo Community, Beaconsfield Community House,
CH42 3YN

Christ Church, Kings Road, 112 Church Road, CH63 3EE

Bromborough Evangelical Church, Croft Lane, CH622DA

To find out more contact 0151 482 3456

Riverside Digital Inclusion Support in Wirral



Resilient (NW) CIC

Bespoke and tailor made training for young people with additional support needs. 118 Liscard Road , CH44 5TN

To find out more contact 07878907591

Energy Project Plus

Falklands Road, Wirral, CH4 48ER

To find out more contact 0800 043 0151

Amber Button Community CIC

Adults aged 19+ 3 Kelvinside , CH44 7JY **To find out more contact 07727102956**

Gautby Road Play, Youth & Community Centre

69 Gautby Road, CH41 7DS **To find out more contact 0151 652 5645**

Wirral Change

12-14 St Laurence Drive, CH41 3JD

To find out more contact 0151 649 8177

Wirral Lifelong Learning Service

Lauries Birkenhead, CH41 6EY Royal Standard House, 330-334 New Chester Rd, CH42 1LE Byrne Ave Baths, CH42 4PQ Bebington Road, CH637NX **To find out more contact 0151 666 3330**

Wirral Multicultural Organisation

111 Conway Street. Birkenhead CH41 4AF **0151 792 5116**

The Hive, Wirral Youth Zone

Bright Street, Wirral, CH41 4EA

To find out more contact 0151 705 8000

Make IT Happen Birkenhead

POC, 34 Argyle Street, CH416AE

To find out more contact 0151 306 4840

Wirral Mencap

Supporting adults with a learning disability 42-44 Market Street, CH41 5BT **To find out more contact 0151 666 1829**

Spider Project

56 Hamilton Street, Birkenhead, CH41 5A8 **To find out more contact 0151 647 7723**

The Positivitree Ltd

Vale House Community Centre, CH45 1LZ **To find out more contact 07877 782 826**

Involve Northwest

3 Abbey Close, Birkenhead CH415FQ **0151 644 4500**

Wirral Ways

84 Market Street, CH41 6HB

To find out more contact 0151 556 1335

Crea8ting Communities

Rideview Road, Prenton, CH43 9HG

To find out more contact 0151 345 5836

Shaftesbury YC

60 Mendip Road, Birkenhead, CH42 8NU **To find out more contact 0151 608 7165**

Citizens Advice Wirral

237-243 Liscard Road, CH44 5TH Haymarket Court, CH415BX **To find out more contact 07801569064**

Our Happy Hub

St Andrews Church, Moorfields Avenue, CH43 9YU 07411316236



Children's Centres

Wirral's Children's Centres are warm and welcoming environments where parents, carers and their children under the age of 5 years can access a range of Early Help support services; this support is available both universally (e.g. drop-in play sessions or general advice) or is targeted for families who may need a little more support at a challenging time in their lives.

Wirral's Family Hubs

Family Hubs are spaces where families can easily access a wide range of non-judgemental support to help them live well in Wirral. They bring together maternity services, health visitors, library and foodbank services and children's centre activities.

Wirral's Family Hubs make services easier to navigate and more joined-up, ensuring families receive the right service at the right time. They provide:

- a 'one stop shop' style of support to build connections and strengthen relationships
- a service for families with children aged 0-19 (up to age 25 with SEND)
- provide information and support to adults in those families, for example, women's health issues, advice on lifelong learning and employment
- a space for parents and carers to meet each other attend group sessions

Seacombe Family Hub

St Paul's Road, Seacombe, Wirral, CH44 7AN 0151 666 3506

Open Monday to Friday 9 am to 5 pm

Brassey Gardens Family Hub and Rock Ferry Children's Centres

Brassey Gardens Family Hub, 2 Brassey Street Birkenhead, CH41 8DA 0151 666 3323

Open Monday to Friday 9 am to 5 pm

Bromborough Children's Centre

Gratrix Road, Bromborough, Wirral, CH62 7BW 0151 666 3246

westwirralcc@wirral.gov.uk

Open Monday to Friday 9 am to 5 pm

Support Services and Groups

YPAS Young People Advisory Service

YPAS offers a wide range of support, wellbeing and therapeutic services for children, young people and families in Merseyside.

YPAS North Hub, Croxdale Road West, Liverpool, L14 8YA

0151 305 2040 support@ypas.org.uk

Muslim Youth Helpline (MYH)

0808 808 2008 help@myh.org.uk

Virtual KEEN

Inclusive online activities for young people https://www.keenuk.org/virtualkeen



Youth Matters Wirral

The Youth Matters team provides early help through a wide range of targeted youth support and play activities to meet the needs and aspirations of Wirral children aged 6-19 years. The team work to build futures and shape the lives of those young people in Wirral in need of support.

Through their work they aim to raise awareness, build confidence, promote resilience and support young people into adulthood.

Staff build trusted relationships with young people to let them know that they don't have to face any problems alone.

Youth Matters deliver a range of services to help young people, including:

- Drug and Alcohol advice and support
- Counselling
- Detached Youth Work
- Youth Hubs and Clubs
- Play Schemes
- Health Services in Schools
- Creative Youth Development
- Participation and Engagement through a range of projects

The Youth Matters approach is friendly and flexible to ensure that wherever possible, young people get the 'right' service at the 'right time'. For more information on any of the services you can email youthmatters@wirral.gov.uk

<u>Wirral Youth Spaces - Neighbourhood Youth</u> Provision

The Neighbourhood youth provision offers a range of activities for young people aged 11 to 19 years (20-25 for young people with disabilities) across Wirral. Youth workers provide a safe space for young people to be themselves meet and socialise with friends and participate in positive activities to learn, develop, grow, have a voice and be inspired whilst having fun.

Eastham Youth Space

St. Anselmians Rugby Club, Eastham Village Rd, Eastham, Wirral CH62 OAN amienolan@wirral.gov.uk

Open Tuesday, Thursday, Friday 6 pm to 8.30pm

Liscard Youth Space

Wallasey Fire Station, Mill Lane, CH44 5UE darronwright@wirral.gov.uk 07391738115

Open Wednesday and Friday 6 pm to 8.30 pm and Thursday 7 pm to 9.30 pm

Moreton Youth Space

Moreton Family Centre, Pasture Road, CH46 8HA christinemarchant@wirral.gov.uk 07796613922

Open Monday to Wednesday 7 pm to 10 pm

New Brighton Youth Space

TimEdwards@wirral.gov.uk

Open Tuesday to Thursday 6 pm to 9 pm

Woodchurch Youth Space

Neighbourhood Youth Worker: Moira Bridge moirabridge@wirral.gov.uk **Open Monday, Thursday, Friday 6.30 pm to 9.30 pm**



New Ferry Youth Space

Cornwell Close, New Ferry, CH62 1BG (temp. venue New Ferry Village Hall) lynnegordon@wirral.gov.uk 07859938154

Open Monday and Wednesday 6 pm to 8.30pm

West Kirby Youth Space

The Concourse, Grange Road, CH48 4HX mariamodena@wirral.gov.uk johannebretherton@wirral.gov.uk 0791 921 0485

Open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 7pm to 10 pm

Clubs and Organisations

The Hive

The Hive deliver a timetable of activities supporting Young People in the community.

Wirral Youth Zone, Bright Street, CH41 4EA 0151 705 8000

enquiries@thehiveyouthzone.org

To find out more visit www.thehiveyouthzone.org

Hype Youth Clubs

HYPE's year round Youth Clubs reach the heart of the community using local community centres as their base to reach more young people each year.

Hype Central Park Hub

109 Liscard Road, Wallasey CH44 9AE

Beechwood Hub

18 Beechwood Drive, Birkenhead CH43 7ZU

Courtnet Park

10 Courtney Rd, Birkenhead CH42 1QS

Operational Hub - Grand Entrance South Lodge, Birkenhead Park, Park Road North, CH41 4HD

0151 653 7024

enquiries@hype-merseyside.co.uk

Family Club - Neo Community

Beaconsfield Community House, Rock Ferry, Wirral, CH42 3YN

0151 647 5981

info@neocommunity.org.uk

Ferries Family Groups

Support families across Wirral struggling to cope with the stresses of life to feel supported and empowered. When we experience support, it improves family life for us and our children, helping them move towards a more positive future.

Creative Warm Hub

Community Village, Units 2 - 4, 330/334 New Chester Road, Rock Ferry, CH42 1LE. 0151 345 6920

office@ferriesfamilygroups.org.uk

Open Thursday (Term Time) 9 am to 4 pm

Cornerstone Chruch - Toddler Group

216 Bebington Road, Bebington, CH63 7NY **Open Tuesdays 10.15 am**

Citywide Organisations

Autism in Motion

St Georges hub, Waresley crescent L9 6BW aimautism@hotmail.com

Al-Ghazali Centre: 'Youth Mental Health Support Programme'

Mental health workshops and activities for young people aged 12 to 18 years.

Addressing mental health promotion in youth outside of educational settings

35 Earle Road Liverpool L7 6HA

0151 734 3843 info@alghazalicentre.co.uk



Citywide Organisations

Autism Adventures Training CIC: 'My Mental Health- What's OK?'

Project aimed at people with autism to improve understanding of and break down barriers to mental health, as well as providing tools and strategies to manage emotions and feelings Addressing mental health promotion in youth outside of educational setting, financial insecurity, debt and loneliness

info@liverpoolautismadventures.co.uk

ADDvanced Solutions

ADDvanced Solutions Community Network encourages, equips and empowers children, young people and their families living with neurodevelopmental conditions, learning difficulties and associated mental health needs.

0151 486 1788

info@addvancedsolutions.co.uk

The Mix

Essential support for Under 25's, 365 days a year, for absolutely anything you're going through. You can contact them by phone, email or web chat. They also have an app. The website provides information and support for several mental health issues. **0808 808 4994**

Imagine If Trust: 'The Zone Youth Hub'

Fun, safe and active sessions for primary school aged children, providing a stimulating environment where children can thrive and grow in confidence.

147 Lawrence Road, Liverpool, L15 3HA info@imagineiftrust.org

Priority Youth Project: 'Priority Youth Counselling Support Programme'

A 1-1 counselling service for children and young people aged 8-19 years.

St Mary's Millennium Centre, Meadow Lane, West Derby, Liverpool, L12 5EA

07523 650 956 hello@priorityouth.co.uk

National Services

National Citizenship Service

Delivers a range of experiences for young people across the UK. https://wearencs.com/

0800 197 8010

Duke of Edinburgh

Delivers a range of experiences for young people across the UK. www.dofe.org

Rise Above

Website containing interesting and useful stuff from the web and beyond to get young people talking about all the things that matter. You'll find inspiring and useful stories, videos, games and advice. Includes information on self help, confidence and stress. https://riseabove.org.uk/

Mako Create

Mako Create provide the young people with the opportunity to participate in a variety of workshops involving digital arts and technology.

0151 345 1419 hello@makocreate.co.uk

Riverside **Family Support** in Wirral



CAMHS

Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services also known as CAMHS - support children and young people up to age 18 with their emotional and mental health and wellbeing.

01928 568 162

CAMHS Crisis line

CRISIS LINE: 01744 415 640 You can contact CAMHS crisis response team 24 hours a day seven days a week.

Wirral CAMHS

The 0-18 Wirral CAMHS team is a community based specialist service providing mental health assessments and evidence based psychological treatments for children and young people with moderate to severe mental health difficulties. which is where mental health difficulties are having a significant impact upon day to day functioning.

Hatch

Hatch is service for young people aged 8-16yrs, delivered by Utopia Project. They provide a range of programmes to improve your mental health and emotional wellbeing, in a relatable and nonclinical way.

These include:

- 1-1 mental health & wellbeing support via our three tailored interventions; Bazaar, Primal & hatch Wellbeing sessions
- hatch youth club
- Half term activities

Trinity Chambers, Ivy Street, CH41 4EF To find out more visit: www.hatchmerseyside.co.uk/about/

For support during the school holidays

MPAC

MPAC have a list of organisations that deliver food support and activities during the school holidays. To find out more visit:

https://merseyplay.com/summer-hafholiday-activities-food-2023/

Period and Hygiene Product Support

Many food banks, pantries and community centres will have access to free sanitary products.

Bloody Good Period -

hello@bloodygoodperiod.com

Morrisons - Package for Sandy

Customers in need can now go to any Morrisons customer service desk nationwide and ask for a package for 'Sandy' or a 'period product pack'. The customers will then be given a free discreet envelope with sanitary products and no questions asked.

Freedom4Girls - provides period products to those in Leeds, Sheffield, West Yorkshire, and select other regions of the UK https://www.freedom4girls.co.uk/requestproducts/

The Trussell Trust - Search the Trussell trust website to find your local centre.

https://www.trusselltrust.org/

Riverside Older People Support in Wirral



Age UK Advice Line - 0800 678 1602

Tax Help for Older People

01308 488066 taxvol@taxvol.org.uk

Dementia UK - 0800 888 6678

Re-engage

Group and one-to-one social activities will help older people connect with others.

0800 716543

The Silver Line - 0800 4 70 80 90

Friends of the Elderly

Grants to older people living on low incomes. 0330 332 1110 hello@fote.org.uk

Omega (befriending service for caregivers / carers)

Chatterbox Action Against Loneliness telephone chat

01743 245088 chatterbox@omega.uk.netA Letter from Louise pen pal befriending **01743 245 088**

aletterfromlouise@omega.uk.net

Merseyside Fire & Rescue Services: Home Fire Safety Checks

If you live in Merseyside, you can phone **0800 731 5958** for **free** fire safety advice or to request a Home Fire Safety Check visit

Merseyside Dementia Friendly Radio

Independent, online radio station that is run in collaboration with and for the benefit of those who live in the Merseyside area whose lives are affected by dementia. vianat@mdfr.co.uk

07768 139708 nat@mdfr.co.uk

City Wide Support

Liverpool Cares

Liverpool Cares is a community network of younger and older neighbours hanging out and helping one another in our rapidly changing city. Liverpool Cares,

Studio D, Baltic Creative, 49 Jamaica Street, Liverpool, L1 OAH

0151 659 1789 liverpoolcares.org.uk

The Brain Charity

Helping people with all forms of neurological conditions to lead longer, healthier, happier lives Norton Street, Liverpool, L3 8LR **0151 298 2999**

Bradbury Fields

services for Blind and Partially Sighted People The Bradbury Centre, Youens Way, Liverpool, L14 2EP.

0151 221 0888 ext 214 jabdullah@bradburyfields.org.uk

Local Solutions

Liverpool Carers Centre delivers a city wide community based programme of activities and training that ensures a range of support is available to unpaid carers in Liverpool

0151 705 2307

healthandwellbeing@localsolutions.org.uk

AbilityNet

Free computer support to disabled people and older people, provided by volunteers.

0800 048 7462 enquiries@abilitynet.org.uk

Riverside Older People Support in Wirral



Community groups and activities

Older People's Hubs - Wirral Older People's Parliament at Charlotte's Brightside

Wirral Older People's Parliament is a voluntary organisation working to inform, signpost and support over 55's living in Wirral. They provide information on housing, benefits, health services, local issues and crime and respect.

They deliver a number of activities across the Wirral each week.

For more information contact Julie - 07587167098/ julie@wirralopp.co.uk

Charlotte's Brightside, New Brighton Community Centre, 1A Hope Street, New Brighton, Wirral CH45 2LN

Monday 10 am to 4 pm and Tuesday 1 pm to 3 pm *they also run a coffee club the last Friday of the month from 2pm to 4 pm

Cherry Tree Shopping Centre, 6-8 Cherry Square, Liscard, Wallasey, Wirral CH44 5XU **Wednesday 10 am to 4 pm**

Wirral Advice Centre, St Anne Street, Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 3JU

Thursday 10 am to 4 pm

Young at Heart - St John the Baptist - Meols

Young at Heart is held at St John the Baptist in Meols every second Monday of the month. It is a great warm space where they run a range of activities including games and jigsaws they also help to support people to learn IT skills and get online.

St John the Baptist, Birkenhead Road, CH47 6AU 0151 632 1661 grossiter1956@outlook.com

St Barnabas Village Centre

Deliver weekly activities, contact to find out more.

Church Square, Bromborough, Wirral CH62 7AB **0151 334 9503**

Happy Times Activities

Deliver weekly activities, contact to find out more.

15 Yew Tree Road, Moreton, Wirral, CH46 8UA 0151 641 0716

info@happytimesactivities.co.uk

Monday to Friday 9 am to 5 pm Saturday -10 am to 1 pm

Cinnamon Trust

The National Charity for the elderly, the terminally ill and their pets. Support with pets for example, walk a dog every day for a housebound owner, foster pets when owners need hospital care, collect cat food, or clean out the bird cage, etc.

01736 757 900

https://cinnamon.org.uk/contact-us/

Friendship Lunch Club Over 55's - Quirky Life Tree

Everyone is welcome to join the Friendship Lunch Club each Friday for a 2-course homemade meal. Donation only.

40 Birkenhead Road, Hoylake, CH44 7BX 0151 632 1370

Thelifetreewirral@gmail.com

Friday 12 pm to 2 pm

Riverside Older People Support in Wirral



Age UK Wirral

Age UK deliver weekly activities across Wirral, a selection of the sessions they run are listed on this page. Before attending these sessions, please contact the Health and Activity team about availability. Many activities will include a small cost contribution.

To find out more and to see the full list of activities please contact 0151 482 3456 enquiries@ageukwirral.org.uk

Computer One 2 One Sessions

Meadowcroft, 304 Spital Road, Bromborough, Wirral CH62 2DE

0151 482 3456/ enquiries@ageukwirral.org.uk Monday **10 am to 2.30 pm**

Wirral Companionship Cafe

Meadowcroft, 304 Spital Road, Bromborough, Wirral CH62 2DE

0151 482 3456/ enquiries@ageukwirral.org.uk Monday 2 pm to 4 pm

The Phoenix Group

Social group for older gay men.
Devonshire Resource Centre Park Road North,
Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 ODD

1st Friday of the Month

Goodfellas Film Club

Devonshire Resource Centre Park Road North, Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 0DD

Second Tuesday of the month 1 pm to 3 pm

Walking Football

New Ferry Village Hall, Grove Street, CH62 5AZ **Monday 10.30 am to 11.30 am**

Art and Drawing at Barncroft

Meadowcroft, 304 Spital Road, Bromborogh, Wirral CH62 2DE

Thursday 10 am to 12 pm

'Focus' Photography

Devonshire Resource Centre Park Road North, Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 0DD **Thursday 7 pm to 9.30 pm**

Wirralside Walkers (Easy)

Usually on the first Monday of the Month

Short Health Walks

The last Wednesday of every month

White Top Walkers

Usually on the third Monday of every month *Contact to find times and meeting places

Chiropody

Devonshire Resource Centre, 141 Park Road North, Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 0DD

Monday 10 am to 11.40 pm

Meadowcroft, 304 Spital Road, Bromborogh, Wirral CH62 2DE

Tuesday 9.10 am to 12.10 pm

Larchwood Close, Pensby, Wirral CH61 6YH. **Thursday 1.45pm to 4 pm**

Top 2 Toe Exercise

Meadowcroft, 304 Spital Road, CH62 2DE **Thursday 12 pm to 1 pm**

Chair Based Exercise - Holy Trinity Church

Holy Trinity Church, Chorley Way, CH63 9LS Friday 11 am to 11.45 am

Riverside Mental Health and Wellbeing Support in Wirral



National Support - Anxiety and Depression Support

Calm

CALM's helpline and live chat are open from 5pm to midnight everyday. 365 days a year **0800 58 58 58**

Samaritans

Contact us if you're having a difficult time or if you're worried about someone else. jo@samaritans.org or call 116 123

Shout free 24-hour text help

Text SHOUT to 85258 Shout is the UK's first 24/7 text service, free on all major mobile networks, for anyone in crisis anytime, anywhere.

It's a place to go if you're struggling to cope and you need immediate help.

Mental Health Matters - National Support 0191 516 3500 info@mhm.org.uk

Depression UK

https://www.depressionuk.org/

Hub of Hope

https://hubofhope.co.uk/

Addiction

Gambling Support

GamCare - 0808 8020 133

Alcoholic's Anonymous

National Helpline **0800 9177 650** help@aamail.org

City Wide Support Services

Liverpool CAMHS (age 0 to 25)

FRESH Building, Alder Hey Children's Hospital, Liverpool, L12 2AP

0151 293 3662

camhs.referrals@alderhey.nhs.uk

Crown Hub

Crown hub is a day service offering support to adults experiencing mental health issues. This is a short term re enablement service offering support for up to 6 – 10 weeks.

Crown Hub, Crown Street, Liverpool, L7 3LZ

0151 233 3800

Crownhub@liverpool.gov.uk

Change Grow Live (CGL) Integrated Recovery Service.

Help people experiencing problems with drugs and alcohol in Widnes and Runcorn. 76 High Street, Runcorn. WA7 1AF

Aston Dane Building, Waterloo Road, Widnes. WAS OOR

0151 422 1400 halton.info@cgl.org.uk

Nightstop

Safe & secure Emergency Accommodation for vulnerable young people (16-35yrs old). They Also offer Mental Health Support services, Counselling, Anger Management, Mediation and Property pathway support to children and adults. 194 Warrington road, Widnes. WA8 OAT.

0151 345 6454

info@nightstopcommunitites.co.uk

Riverside Mental Health and Wellbeing Support in Wirral



Liverpool Bereavement Service Service

1st Floor, Granite Buildings, 6 Stanley Street, Liverpool, L1 6AF

0151 236 3932 (9am to 5pm) enquiries@liverpoolbereavement.co.uk

Priority Youth Project: 'Priority Youth Counselling Support Programme'

A 1-1 counselling service for children and young people aged 8-19 years.

Addressing mental health promotion in youth outside of educational setting

St Mary's Millennium Centre, Meadow Lane, West Derby, Liverpool, L12 5EA 07523 650 956 hello@priorityouth.co.uk

The Comedy Trust: 'Laughter After Loss'

Workshops, drop-ins and discussion groups to for adults following a bereavement, supporting their journey through the power of laughter.

Royal Court Theatre, 1 Roe Street, L1 1HL 0151 702 5893 info@thecomedytrust.com

Hub of Hope

Hub of Hope is the UK's most comprehensive national mental health support database.

Download the free app or **text HOPE to 85258** to find relevant services near you.

Resilience and Wellbeing Course - Be Well Learning

For more information on courses and support please get in touch.

Flourish Wellbeing Hub, Victoria Central Hospital, Mill Lane, Wirral CH44 5UF

07594 862719 support@bewelllearning.com

Counselling - Wirral Mind at Flourish Wellbeing Hub

The Flourish Wellbeing Hub situated in Wing A, second floor of Victoria Central Hospital offers a drop in service where you can share your issues and get the support you may need, all under one roof. Call to book appointment.

Victoria Central Health Centre, Mill Lane, CH44 5UF **0151 512 2200**

learning@wirralmind.org.uk

Headspace - Beechwood Community Shop

Beechwood Community Shop hosts an affordable, warm and welcoming Community Kitchen and Cafe called The Beechwood Community Kitchen. They also offer a 10 week course supporting mental health. Contact for further information.

Manor House, Beechwood Drive, CH43 7ZU

07841 048873

julia.jones@community-shop.co.uk

Pandas Drop-in - Pandas Wirral at Bromborough Family Hub

Pandas is a community offering peer-to-peer support for you, your family and your network affected by perinatal mental illness.

Bromborough Family Hub, Gratrix Road, CH62 7BW 0808 1961 776

pandaswirral@hotmail.com

Monday 10 am to 11 am

WEB Merseyside

WEB is a community-based service that supports women, girls, men and boys with complex needs. Supporting with confidence, self-esteem and empowerment on the Wirral.

0151 653 3771/ info@webmerseyside.org

Riverside Mental Health and Wellbeing Support in Wirral



The Martin Gallier Project

The Martin Gallier Project is fiercely dedicated to preventing suicides, breaking down stigmas & supporting families in the North West.

57 New Chester Road, New Ferry, CH62 1AB 0151 644 0294 admin@gallierhouse.co.uk

Phone line open Monday to Sunday 9.30 am to 4.30 pm

Riverside Domestic Abuse Services in Wirral



National Support - Domestic Abuse

The Police on 101 or in an emergency call 999

The National Domestic Abuse Helpline – 0808 2000 247

Choices - 0800 917 9948

The Mankind

male victims of domestic violence
01823 334244 or https://mankind.org.uk/

Broken Rainbow

Lesbian, Gay Bisexual and Transgender people suffering domestic violence **0300 999 5428**

Refuge Helpline - 0808 808 9999

Rise

Freedom from Abuse and Violence https://www.riseuk.org.uk/

Ask for ANI

If you are experiencing domestic abuse and need immediate help, ask for 'ANI' in a participating pharmacy. 'ANI' stands for Action Needed Immediately.

Safe Spaces

Safe Spaces are available in Boots, Morrisons, Superdrug and Well pharmacies, TSB banks and independent pharmacies across the UK.

Refuge The freephone, 24-hour National Domestic Abuse Helpline 0808 2000 247

Bright Sky If you are concerned about domestic abuse, we know it can be hard to find support. https://uk.bright-sky.org/ **Charities and Grants**

Heinz, Anna and Carol Kroch Foundation

Search by visiting https://grants-search.turn2us.org.uk/

Smallwood Trust - www.smallwoodtrust.org.uk

Skinners Benevolent Trust - www.skinners.org.uk/sbt

Family Support

NSPCC Helpline - 0808 800 5000

Childline - 0800 1111

Family Action

Provides grants to families in crisis, including those who have recently experienced domestic abuse. https://www.family-action.org.uk/what-we-do/grants/welfare-grants/

Dogs Trust Freedom Project

Refuges for women leaving domestic abuse are often unable to take pets, including dogs. Dogs Trust offers free and confidential foster care while their owner is in a refuge.

www.dogstrust.org.uk/help-advice/hope-project-freedom-project/freedom-project

Cats Protection Paws Protect

Cats Protection has a network of fosterers that provides a retreat for cats of people going into a refuge until the owner has a safe place to live and they can be reunited.

www.cats.org.uk/what-we-do/paws-protect

Hourglass

Support and information for older people and those concerned about an older person facing abuse or exploitation. **08088088141**

Riverside Domestic Abuse Services in Wirral



National Support - Domestic Abuse

Government Support -

https://www.gov.uk/guidance/domestic-abuse-how-to-get-help

Support from a Job Centre

Jobcentres are a safe space and the DWP supports victims of domestic abuse. This includes helping you access temporary accommodation and supporting you to make new applications for Universal Credit and putting you in touch with local experts and support networks.

Citizen's Advice

Ask your local Citizens Advice if your local council operates a welfare assistance scheme or hardship fund and how you can apply.

Victim Support

Victim Support run these services for victims and survivors of any abuse or crime, regardless of when it occurred or if the crime was reported to the police:

free, independent and confidential 24/7 **Support line 08 08 16 89 111**

IKWRO Women's Rights Organisation

Support for Middle Eastern, North African and Afghan survivors.

0208906460

07846275246 Kurdish/Arabic and English Speakers

07846310157 Farsi/Dari and English Speakers

Jewish Women's Aid - 0808 801 0500

Muslim Women's Network

0800 999 5786 or 0303 999 5786 info@mwnhelpline.co.uk

SignHealth

Support for Deaf and hard of hearing 020 39472601 or text 07970 350 366 da@signhealth.org.uk

ManKind Initiative helpline for male victims of domestic abuse - 01823 334244

Liverpool Support

Merseyside Domestic Violence Services (MDVS)

PO Box 200, Liverpool, L14 9WU **07802 722703** info@mdvs.org

Local Solutions - Independent Domestic Violence Advisory Service (IDVA)

0151 709 0990 info@localsolutions.org.uk

PSS: Domestic abuse support 0151 702 5500 ruby@pss.org.uk

Liverpool Domestic Abuse Service (LDAS) 07923 232327/0800 084 2744 / 0151 263 7474

The Crossing Point - Domestic Abuse Service

Free Confidential Domestic Abuse Service working with women, men, and young people.

07731 878076 info@thecrossingpoint.co.uk

Tomorrow's Women Wirral

Courses, counselling, mentoring and legal support for women who have experienced domestic abuse. **0151 647 7907**

Involve Northwest - 0151 644 1100

Wirral Women and Children's Aid - 0151 643 9766

Riverside **Disability Support in** Wirral



Employment Support

Government Support

Access to Work

Access to Work can help you get or stay in work if you have a physical or mental health condition or disability.

https://www.gov.uk/access-to-work

Citywide Support

The Brain Charity

Norton Street, Liverpool, L3 8LR 0151 298 2999

https://www.thebraincharity.org.uk/

Mencap

Mencap Cottage House 6-8 Mariners Road L23 6SX https://yournetwork.mencap.org.uk/group/512 0151 707 8582

Strawberry Field

Beaconsfield Road, Liverpool L25 6EJ 0151 252 6130

Community Integrated Care

Information@c-i-c.co.uk Phone: 0800 2218 522

Activities and support

Wirral Society of the Blind and Partially Sighted (WSBPS)

The Wirral Society of the Blind and Partially Sighted work locally supporting people of all age groups living with and coming to terms with sight loss. Ashville Lodge, Ashville Road, CH41 8AU

0151 652 8877 hello@wirralsociety.org.uk Open Monday Friday 9 am to 4.30 pm

Asthma + Lung UK

The UK's leading asthma charity. Offer support and information for people affected by Asthma. Runs a helpline ran by a team of health care advisors and respiratory nurse specialists who can support you with expert asthma advice.

0300 222 5800

helpline@asthmaandlung.org.uk

BSL 999 UK emergency relay service

999 BSL is an emergency VRS service for Deaf BSL users to contact the emergency services through an interpreter.

Available 24/7 through the website, iOS or Android. BSL users can contact the Police, Ambulance, Fire service or Coastguard using this service. For Emergency use only.

How the service works: You use 999 BSL app or Website to make a call to 999, it will go to British Sign Language (BSL) interpreter first, who will appear on the screen. The BSL interpreter will then call the 999 operator through landline and will relay the conversation.

Deafness Resource Centre

The Deafness Resource Centre provides services that aim to empower, support and enhance the quality of life of D/deaf people in the St Helens, Halton and Knowslev areas.

- Information & Advice
- BSL & Deaf Awareness Training
- Advocacy for Deaf people
- Youth, Children & Families Support Services
- Room Hire & Meeting Facilities
- Interpreting
- Equipment

01744 23887 (voice) 07722095710 (text)

Riverside Disability Support in Wirral



Wirral Evolutions

People centred service for adults with disabilities with locations across the Wirral.

The Grange, Grove Road, Wallasey, CH45 0JA

0151 637 2030

https://www.wirralevolutions.org/

Happy Times Activities

15 Yew Tree Road, Moreton, CH46 8UA.

0151 641 0716

info@happytimesactivities.co.uk

Wirral Wired

Wirral Association for Disability Independent Living and Carers Resource Centre 5 St John Street, Birkenhead, Wirral, CH41 6HY

0151 647 6162

wsco@wired.me.uk

Wirral Mencap

Activities and Support for adults with a learning disability.

42-44 Market Street, Birkenhead, CH41 5BT

0151 666 1829 info@mencapwirral.org.uk

Together All Are Able

Community Interest Company focusing on Self Advocacy. We work with Self Advocates, Carers and Professionals to make Self Advocacy happen. Grange Road West Sports Centre, Birkenhead, CH43 4XE

07984 532 410 toaaa@outlook.com

Together We Will

Wirral independent living and learning, supporting those living with a disability and their carers. 18-20 Tower Quays Business Park, Tower Road Birkenhead, CH41 1BP

01516499393

Wirral Children with Disabilities Services

The Wirral children with disabilities service is focused on supporting children with disabilities to access support and services that will promote their quality of life and achieve positive results.

Millennium Centre, Twickenham Drive, CH46 1PQ

0151 666 4700

People First

Disability led organisation aiming to help people with learning disabilities to speak out, be respected and live active, healthy and happy lives. **0151 329 2137 info@peoplefirst.uk.com**

SeeAbility

SeeAbility specialise in supporting people who have learning disabilities or who are autistic, who may also have sight loss or complex support needs, to live ambitious lives and achieve things they never thought possible. Whether that is forming more friendships and relationships, enjoying new experiences and activities or finding employment.

01372 755 000 enquiries@seeability.org

Riverside Migrant and MultiCultural Support in Wirral



Liverpool Muslim Society and Al Rahma Mosque

29-31 Hatherley St, Liverpool L8 2TJ 0151 709 2560 info@liverpoolmuslimsociety.org.uk

Christ Church Norris Green - Triple C

The Church of the Good Shepherd, Lower House Lane L11 2SF

07871 914364 0151 226 2992 info@triplecliverpool.org

Pagoda Chinese Community Centre

Pagoda Arts Henry Street, Liverpool, L1 5BU Email: info@pagodaarts.org.uk
Tel: 07542339019

4Wings - Support for women

Church House, 1 Hanover Street, L1 3DN 0151 558 1442 info@4wings.co.uk

Amadudu Women's Refuge

0151 734 0083 info@amadudu.org

Muslim Community Helpline

0208 904 8193 or 0208 908 6715 ess4m@btinternet.com

Savera UK

151 Dale Street, Liverpool, L2 2AH 0800 107 0726 info@saverauk.co.uk

Liverpool Malayalee Association

07736 352874 limaliverpool@gmail.com

Kadampa Meditation Centre (KMC) Liverpool

0151 726 8900

info@meditationinliverpool.org.uk

Osun Arts Foundation: African arts and culture

Osun Foundation, The Old Saint Lawrence School Building, Westminster Road, Liverpool, L4 3TQ **0151 922 2911 sunartsfoundation@gmail.com**

Liverpool Irish Centre - Sláinte Le Chéile Health Together

Liverpool Irish Centre, 6 Boundary Lane, Liverpool, L6 5JG

0151 263 1808 info@liverpoolirishcentre.org

Merseyside Jewish Community Care (MJCC) - Key services

Shifrin House, 433 Smithdown Road, Liverpool, L15 3.7

0151 733 2292 info@mjccshifrin.co.uk

Al-Ghazali Multicultural Centre

Al-Ghazali Multicultural Centre, 35 Earle Road, Liverpool, L7 6HD

0151 734 3843 info@alghazalicentre.co.uk

Liverpool Arabic Centre (LAC)

Tiber Enterprise Facilities, Tiber Street, Lodge Lane, Liverpool, L8 OTP **0151 727 2855** info@liverpoolarabiccentre.org.uk

Merseyside Polonia

Kirkdale Neighbourhood Community Centre 238a Stanley Road Liverpool L5 7QP **0151 237 2674 info@merseysidepolonia.com**

Muslim Youth Helpline (MYH)

0808 808 2008 help@myh.org.uk

Mary Seacole House

91 Upper Parliament Street, Liverpool, L8 7LB **0151 707 0319 info@maryseacolehouse.com**

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Pal Multicultural Centre

68A Mulgrave St, Liverpool L8 2TF **0151 708 9669**

The Kuumba Imani Mellinnum Centre

4 Princes R, Liverpool, L8 1TH **0151 708 5278 0741 477 51 51 Info@Moulana.co.uk**

Florrie

377 Mill St, Liverpool, L8 4RF **0151 728 2323 info@theflorrie.org**

Liverpool Arabic Centre: 'Your Safe Space'

A culturally sensitive mental health support service, which combines Western and Arab/Muslim traditional therapies to provide support for people experiencing poor emotional and mental well-being due to financial hardship. Tiber enterprise facilities, Tiber street site, Lodge Lane, Liverpool, L8 OTP

0151 727 2855

Mary Seacole House

A mental health charity and resource service set up to offer support and advice in emotional and practical matters, primarily Black, Asian, Minority, Ethnic and Refugee communities. Mary Seacole House, 91 Upper Parliament Street, Liverpool, L8 7LB

info@maryseacolehouse.com

Everton in the Community: Welcome Through Football Refugee And Asylum Seeker Football Project

The People's Hub Cruyff Court, 46 Spellow Lane, Liverpool, L4 4DF

jonathan.garside@evertonfc.com

Merseyside Refugee Support Network (MRSN)

1st Floor, St Anne's Centre, 7 Overbury Street, Liverpool, L7 3HJ

0151 709 7557 info@mrsnliverpool.org.uk

Family Refugee Support Project (FRSP)

Provides practical help to refugees "moving-on" from the asylum system and support to onward social and economic integration into life in Liverpool and beyond.

Toxteth Town Hall, 15 High Park Street, L8 8DX 0151 728 9340 info@frsp.org.uk

Opoko

Opoka aims to help women and children in the Polish community improve health, well-being, financial stability, and happiness by stopping domestic violence and abuse.

0300 365 1700 info@opoka.org.uk

Art Therapy - Heart4Refugees

Offer well-being and emotional and practical support to refugees and asylum seekers living in the Wirral area.

Grange Baptist Church, Whetstone Lane, Birkenhead, CH41 2QS enquiries@aheart4refugees.org

Wednesday 1 pm to 3 pm

Jewish Women's Aid

Jewish Women's Aid (JWA) was founded to support the thousands of Jewish women who, each year, will face physical, emotional, psychological, sexual or economic abuse from within their own close family.

020 8445 8060 info@jwa.org.uk

Riverside Women's Groups in Wirral



Women's Groups

Women's Health Information and Support Centre (WHISC):

Our Listening Ear service is available for women, telephone 0151 707 1826 to make an appointment or drop in to WHISC Centre. Open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 10 am to 4pm Daily activities available 120 Bold Street, Liverpool, L1 4JA 0152 707 1826 women@whisc.org.uk

Granby Somali Women's Group: 'GSWG Befriend Me'

A social network where elderly Muslim and minority ethnic women will come together, exchange ideas, have interesting discussions and participate in a number of activities, which will alleviate their loneliness.

12 Beaconsfield Street, Liverpool, L8 2UU contact@granbysomaliwomensgroup.org

The Women's Organisation: Enterprise Hub 54 St James Street, Liverpool, L1 0AB 0151 706 8113 enterprisehub@thewo.org.uk

National Association of Women's Clubs (NAWC) - Liverpool

01708 730805 nawc@btconnect.com

Paperwork Theatre - Women's Drama Group Luna, Northern Lights, 5 Mann Street, L8 5AF

info@paperworktheatre.co.uk

Females First

The Rock Ferry Salvation Army Community Church, 179 Old Chester Road, Rock Ferry, Birkenhead, CH42 3TA lburns128@gmail.com **Tuesday 10 am to 12 pm**

Tomorrow's Women

Tomorrow's Women deliver weekly activities across Wirral, please find a select list below. For more information contact the team.

0151 647 7907

admin@tomorrowswomen.org.uk

All Activities delivered at their centre Tomorrow's Women, Beckwith Street East, Birkenhead, Wirral, CH41 3JE

We Need Your Help group - Helping to support the continuous growth of the organisations Garden.

Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9.30 am to 2 pm

Better Solutions

Better Solutions is a 3 week rolling group consisting of three sessions that look into offending behaviours and how to change them.

Tuesday 5.30 pm to 6.30 pm

Yoga with Grace- 6 week Yoga course. **Wednesday 11 am**

Money Management and Debt Support Thursday 11 am to 1 pm

Guided Meditation

Friday 3 pm to 3.30 pm

Domestic Abuse Specialist with Morecrofts Drop in Wednesday 12.30 pm to 1.30 pm

Households into Work - Tomorrow's Women Monday 11 am to 1 pm

They also deliver a drop in advice sessions with local solicitors to find out more contact - **0151 647 7907**

admin@tomorrowswomen.org.uk

Riverside Women's Groups in Wirral



Women's Groups

GotTheTeeShirt Coffee Morning

The Lighthouse Centre at Involve Northwest 330 - 334 New Chester Road, Community Village, Rock Ferry, CH42 1LE 0151 644 4839 dateam@involvenorthwest.org.uk Friday 9.30 am to 11.30 am

Women's Motiv8! Gym - Motiv8! at Wirral Mind

Wirral Mind, 90-92 Chester Street, Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 5DL 0151 512 2200 learning@wirralmind.org.uk **Thursday 3 pm to 5 pm**

Blossom and Bloom Wellbeing Session - Our Happy Hub (Girls aged 11 to 16)

Our Happy Hub, Hillside School, Ridgeview Road, Noctorum, Wirral, CH43 9HG 07411316236 ginaourhappyhub@gmail.com **Bi-weekly Saturday 11.30 am to 2.30 pm**

Womens Wellbeing Workshop - Our Happy Hub

Our Happy Hub Ridgeview Road, CH43 9HG 07563531234 helenourhappyhub@gmail.com **Tuesday 5 pm to 8 pm**

Riverside Men's Groups in Wirral



Men's Groups

Active Through Football - Men's Football

Brookvale Recreation Centre, WA7 6EP Fridays 4 pm to 5pm

Richard.Jones@liverpoolfa.com

Sean's Place

Mental Health Support for Men in Sefton and Liverpool

211 Linacre Lane, Bootle, Liverpool, L20 6AD 0151 922 5444

Andys Man Club Liverpool

Meet Monday at 7 pm
UNIS Compliance Stadium, Cantilever Park,
Common Ln, Warrington WA4 2RS
info@andysmanclub.co.uk

James' Place Liverpool

Offer free, life-saving treatment to suicidal men **0151 303 5757 liverpool@jamesplace.org.uk**

ManKind Project

There are MKP men's groups all over the UK & Ireland. Some of these groups meet online and in person. For more information about finding your nearest group contact

mensgroups@mankindprojectuki.org

Mind Halton

Peer support and social groups offer an opportunity to talk to others who know what you're going through in a safe, supportive environment. All groups are facilitated by staff and assisted by trained volunteers.

Mind Halton, 3 Wellington Street, WA7 1LB

01928 563612

info@mindhalton.org.uk

Men's Motiv8! Gym - Wirral Mind

Wirral Mind, 90-92 Chester Street, Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 5DL 0151 512 2200 learning@wirralmind.org.uk **Wednesday 3 pm to 6 pm**

Bee Wirral Projects

Bee Wirral's Elemental Project is a well-being project with activities just for men to improve their well-being. It aims to reduce the isolation of men in the Wirral through activities and community integration.

0739 505 4402/0151 647 7587 Info@beewirral.co.uk

Silverback Social

The Liberty Community Centre, 7 Whetstone Lane, Birkenhead, Wirral CH41 2QS

Monday 10 am to 2 pm

Allotment - Bee Wirral Elemental Project

Bee Wirral Ecotherapy Hub, Lansdowne Place Allotments, Landsdowne Place, Wirral CH43 7RP **Wednesdays 10 am to 4 pm**

Woodwork Workshop

The Malebox Woodshop, Tam O'Shanter Farm, 25 Boundary Road, Birkenhead, Wirral CH43 7PD **Tuesday 11 am to 3 pm**

Crown Green Bowling

Birkenhead Park, Park Dr, Birkenhead, CH41 4HY **Tuesday and Friday 10 am to 12 pm**

Creating a Community Garden

Sandbrook Community Centre, 11 Sunningdale, Chapelhill Road, Moreton, Wirral, CH46 9RG **Thursday 11 am to 3 pm**

Riverside Men's Groups in Wirral



Men's Wellbeing Group - Equilibrium North West CIC

Livingstone Street Play and Community Centre, 130 St Anne Street, Birkenhead, Wirral, CH41 3HX 07731 478096/0151 647 6044 equilibriumnwteam@gmail.com

Monday 6 pm to 8.30 pm, Friday 12 pm to 2pm

Men's One-to-One Listening Support & Signposting - WEB Merseyside

Please contact to register WEB Merseyside, 32 Argyle Street, CH41 6AE **0151 653 3771** info@webmerseyside.org

Paul Lavelle Foundation

Offers therapeutic support to males who feel they are experiencing or have experienced domestic abuse.

The Community Village, 330-334 New Chester Rd, Birkenhead, CH42 1LE

0151 294 4176

info@paullavellefoundation.co.uk

Riverside LGBTQ+ Support in Wirral



LGBTQ+

Trans Support Service (TSS)

The Beat Hanover Street/David Lewis Street Liverpool L1 4AF

0151 317 8581 Tss.merseycare@nhs.net

Spirit Level Transgender Support Group

https://spiritlevel.org.uk/spirit.level@yahoo.com

Sahir

Sahir House, 4th Floor, 151 Dale Street L2 2AH 0151 673 1972 info@sahir.uk.com

THE Action Youth (Trans Health Education) (YPAS)

36 Bolton Street, L3 5LX www.ypas.org.uk **0151 702 6087 gyro@ypas.org.uk**

Citizens Advice Liverpool - LGBTQ+ Hate Crime Support Service

Practical & emotional support for people who have been affected by LGBTQ+ hate incidents, and their families, across Merseyside.

0151 522 1400 ext 5006 LGBTHateCrime@caliverpool.org.uk

Switchboard LGBT+ Helpline

0800 0119 100 hello@switchboard.lgbt

Merseyside non-scene LGBT Social Group

https://www.meetup.com/MERSEYSIDE-LGBT-SOCIAL-GROUP/

stev arts@yahoo.co.uk

Merseyside LGBT Creative Writing Group and Book Groups (18+)

https://www.meetup.com/LGBT-Creative-Writing-And-Book-Group-MeetUp-Merseyside/

Galop

Supports all LGBT+ people who've experienced hate crime, domestic abuse or sexual violence. **0800 9995428 help@galop.org.uk**

Sahir House - HIV Support, Information and Training Centre

Sahir House, 4th Floor, 151 Dale Street, L2 2AH 0151 673 1972 info@sahir.uk.com

LIV.FAST Network

Provides peer support and advice for those who identify somewhere within the FTM (Female-to-Male) spectrum.

The Beat, Hanover Street/David Lewis Street, Liverpool, L1 4AF

liverpool.ftm@gmail.com

Body Positive

Body Positive is a Cheshire based charity providing a range of services in sexual health and relationships and to the LGBT+ communities. Information, support, counselling and condoms available.

01270 653150

health@bpcnw.co.ukinfo@silverrainbows.com

Loving Me

Loving Me is a service which provides one-to-one support and advocacy, for Trans and Non-Binary victims of domestic abuse or sexual violence who are aged 18 and over and live in England.

07902 478958/ help@lovingme.uk

Riverside LGBTQ+ Support in Wirral



National Resources

Stonewall https://www.stonewall.org.uk/

LGBT Foundation https://lgbt.foundation/ 0345 3 30 30 30 helpline@lgbt.foundation

Mermaids https://mermaidsuk.org.uk/

Mind - Mindline Trans+ - helpline for LGBT / non-binary people - 0300 330 5468

Mindout - Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Trans & Queer Mental Health Service Online Chat 01273 234839 info@mindout.org.uk

Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (FFLAG)

0300 688 0368 info@fflag.org.uk

Riverside Additional Support in Wirral



Sexual Violence Support

Rape and Sexual Abuse Centre (RASA)

RASA Merseyside provides support to anyone in Merseyside impacted by sexual violence.

0151 666 1392 helpline@rasamerseyside.org

Rape Crisis

A service for anyone aged 16+ in England and Wales who has been affected by rape, child sexual abuse, sexual assault, sexual harassment or any other form of sexual violence – at any point in their life.

0808 500 2222

SAFE Place Merseyside: Sexual Assault Referral Centre (SARC)

24 hour telephone support service **0151 295 3550**

Silent Solution

Helps people who are unable to speak, but who genuinely need police assistance. After calling 999, dial 55 to be put through to your local police station. If you are not able to speak, listen carefully to the questions and instructions from the call handler so they can assess your call and arrange help if needed.

Rape and Sexual Abuse Support RASASC (Cheshire & Merseyside)

The Rape and Sexual Abuse Support
Centre (Cheshire & Merseyside) is a registered
charity that aims to provide crucial specialist
support, independent advocacy, counselling,
help and information, for those affected by rape,
sexual assault and/or abuse – a free of charge
service delivered in a safe and non-threatening
environment.

PO Box 35, Warrington. WA1 1DW 01928 477980/0330 363 0063

Hate Crime

General victims of hate crime can call their Local Neighbourhood Police Team on telephone number 101 or Liverpool Direct on 0151 233 3001 to report

Stop Hate UK

Stop Hate UK is available 24 hours a day. The helpline is confidential and independent.

You can report a hate crime by:

0800 138 1625 Text: 07717 989 025 Text relay: 18001 0113 293 5100

Webchat at https://www.stophateuk.org/talk-to-

us

Anthony Walker

Racial or religious hate crime - this support service is delivered by the Anthony Walker Foundation (AWF). AWF delivers specialist counselling and support for victims.

LCVS Building 3rd Floor, 151 Dale Street, L2 2AH

0151 237 3974

info@anthonywalkerfoundation.com

Daisy Inclusive UK

Disability hate crime - provided by charity Daisy Inclusive UK. Daisy UK have a dedicated hate crime officer who supports victims from the point of contact through to support and guidance through the judicial system, if required.

0151 261 0309 disabilityhatecrime@daisyuk.com

Citizens Advice Liverpool

LGBTQ+ hate crime - this support service is delivered by Citizens Advice Liverpool. They can help you to make a report to the police if you wish, understand your rights, liaise with organisations and help you to access specialist support services such as counselling.

0800 144 8848

Riverside Additional Support in Wirral



Hate Crime Victim Support - Remedi UK

The Cheshire Hate Crime Victim Service are a support service for all victims and witnesses of hate crime and hate incidents. They can offer

- Confidential emotional and practical support
- Support at court
- Advocacy
- Access to a range of support agencies
- Support with your Victim Personal Statement

0800 640 6466 (Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm) hatecrimevictimservice@remediuk.org