

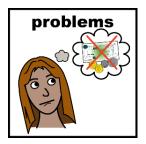
# Are you worried about money or about being in debt?



There may be lots of reasons why you are worried about money. You may suddenly have no money, be in debt, owe money, or you have to choose to spend money on food or heating or paying bills. Or you may be waiting on benefits payments.



Here is some information on the ways to contact people for help and advice with your money problems if you live in Glasgow.



#### **Crisis Grant**

If you are experiencing a crisis or disaster and you have difficulties coping with unexpected expenses, you may be able to get a Crisis Grant.

Contact Scottish Welfare Fund or GLASGOW CITY: Glasgow Central Citizens Advice Bureau or

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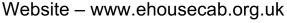
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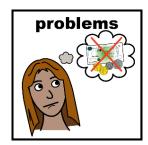


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#### Making your money go further

Anyone who is worried about money can get a free benefit check. This will make sure you are getting the right amount of money and get advice on other ways to save money. For example, cheaper gas or electricity or free school meals.

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#### Benefit help

If you have made a new claim for benefits you might be able to get money in advance to pay for things like rent or food. This money is a loan and must be paid be back. It will be taken from your benefits once they start, so make sure you talk to someone before you ask for an advance benefit payment.

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#### Hardship payment

If you have had money stopped from your benefits, you may be able to get a hardship payment from the DWP (Department for Work and Pensions). These payments are not made straight away and not everyone will be able to get one.

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If you get a hardship payment for Universal Credit you will need to pay this money back.

If you get a hardship payment for Jobseeker's Allowance or Employment Support Allowance, you **do not need** to pay this money back.



#### Challenge a decision

You can challenge a decision about your benefits. This may be because they have been stopped or reduced. Or you have been refused benefits or told you have been overpaid. You will have to make this challenge within one month.

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### You may be eligible for support from Social Security Scotland

Contact - Social Security Scotland

Phone - 0800 182 2222

Website – mygov.scot/benefits



## For legal services on human rights, immigration, asylum and more

Contact - Ethnic Minorities Law Centre

Phone - 0141 204 2888

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#### For advice and representation in courts

Contact – Legal Services Agency

Phone – 0800 316 8450 (freephone)

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#### For energy efficiency advice

Contact – Home Energy Scotland

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Website - www.moneyhelper.org.uk



#### For housing advice

Contact - Shelter

Phone - 0808 800 4444

Website - scotland.shelter.org.uk



#### For support and advice (single parent families)

Contact - One Parent Families Scotland

Phone - 0141 847 0444

Phone – 0808 801 0323 (helpline)

Website – opfs.org.uk



#### For mental health support

Contact – Breathing Space

Phone - 0800 83 85 87

Website - www.breathingspace.scot



### For support for anyone experiencing domestic violence

Contact – Scotland's Domestic Abuse and Forced Marriage Helpline Phone – 0800 027 1234 (24 hours)



#### For support, information and advice

Contact – Glasgow Helps Phone – 0141 276 1185

Website - www.glasgowhelps.org



#### For support to those affected by asbestos

Contact – Action on Asbestos

Phone - 0800 089 1717

Website – actiononasbestos.org.uk



#### For independent advocacy

Contact - Independent Advocacy

Website - www.siaa.org.uk/find-an-advocate



## For migrants with No Recourse to Public Funds (NRPF), Refugees and Asylum Seekers

Contact - Govan Community Project

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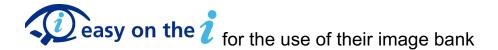
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