

# Funding Overview: COVID-19

## Government and Philanthropic COVID-19 Response

- **Table 1** outlines the Government support packages and additional announcements in the 2020 budget to support COVID-19 relief and recovery. For a full analysis/details on the package please refer to the technical spec put together by JB Were , [here](#)
- **Table 2** details active contestable funds that are available for community groups to access support for COVID-19 impact and recovery. *A number of the initial rapid response funds that were established during lockdown have since closed as both Govt and funders move into supporting the medium to long term recovery phase. Both Creative NZ and Sport NZ have indicated that targeted COVID-19 funds will be open in August 2020*

Table1: NZ Government Covid-19 Support

Support Package	Details
<b>Government commitment to existing contract holders</b>	<p><b>Agreed approach to working with contracted social service providers</b></p> <p>The Ministry of Social Development, Oranga Tamariki (Ministry for Children) and other major Government funders of social services have developed a shared set of commitments to NGOs that they contract with. The underlying agreements and principles can be found <a href="#">here</a></p>
<b>Emergency Support (National Emergency Management Agency, Housing, MSD)</b>	<p><b>NGO Support - Foodbanks/welfare assistance</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Initial \$27m Package</b> – to assist NGOs and community groups to deliver services during the Alert Level 4 lockdown. This package included: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>\$16m</b> to existing essential social sector services delivered by NGOs so they can continue to support individuals, families, whānau and communities at risk through uncertain circumstances and respond to increased demand;</li> <li>- <b>\$6m</b> funding for disability Community Participation providers to put in place appropriate health mitigations for the current group orientated services and provide support for disabled people in lock-down;</li> <li>- <b>\$4.8m</b> to provide community grants or fund innovative community-led solutions to support local resilience. <b>(note this fund has closed)</b></li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Additional <b>\$30m</b> - support the delivery of food and welfare assistance – to be delivered through regional Civil Defence Emergency Management Groups. Aims to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Bolster the organisation of food parcels, and other household goods and services to people who contact the CDEM Group and meet the relevant criteria</li> <li>- Provide upfront funding to, or reimbursement of, local foodbanks, community food organisations and other welfare providers, to enable them to provide food and other essential household items to people who contact them directly</li> <li>- Help to fund emergency accommodation, until temporary accommodation can be arranged through MBIE's Temporary Accommodation Service or other arrangements</li> <li>- Refer <a href="#">here</a> for further information</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Budget 2020 \$32m (over three years)</b> - towards supporting communities to meet the additional demand for food that COVID-19 is placing on foodbanks, food rescue and other services. This includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>\$24m</b> to meet the increased demand for food from people, families and whānau over the next two years and to plan for longer-term food security in their communities.</li> <li>- <b>\$5.5m</b> for a bulk food storage and distribution network, for sending company-donated surplus food around the country to meet foodbanks' and food rescue orders.</li> <li>- <b>\$1.3m</b> to two umbrella organisations to increase and strengthen support for the food security sector, including collaborating for joined-up community systems and sharing best practices for food rescue, foodbanks and other community food services.</li> <li>- Refer <a href="#">here</a> for further information</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Housing</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>2000 transitional homes</b> - Budget 2020 provides for the funding of 2000 transitional homes (urgent housing) over the next five years, through Kāinga Ora, as well as continuation of the income-related rent subsidy available with eligible community housing providers.</li> </ul> <p><b>Children</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$1.4m - for NGOs supporting children in state care Oranga Tamariki are funding an additional \$1.4m for NGOs that look after children in the government's care.</li> <li>• Oranga Tamariki will also consider re-purposing existing funding to support its NGO partners that are incurring additional costs as a result of COVID-19.</li> <li>• Refer <a href="#">here</a> for further information</li> </ul>

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	<p><b>Māori, Pacific, former refugee and new migrant communities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Budget 2020 - \$36m</b> fund to support community groups to respond directly to COVID-19 and its impacts, with a particular focus on those who are from Māori, Pacific, former refugee and new migrant communities.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Wage Subsidy Extension</b></p> <p>(work and Income NZ)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Wage Subsidy Extension</b></li> </ul> <p>An 8-week wage subsidy extension is offered to those that continue to be severely impacted by COVID-19. With up to \$3.2bn has set aside for the wage subsidy extension.</p> <p>NGO's and charities are included but need to have experienced a minimum 40% decline in revenue for a continuous 30 day period. Refer <a href="#">here</a> for details on the criteria</p>
<p><b>COVID-19 Resurgence Wage Subsidy</b></p> <p>(work and Income NZ)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>2-week Resurgence Wage Subsidy</b></li> </ul> <p>A 2-week COVID-19 Resurgence Wage Subsidy payment will be available nationally for employers, including self-employed people, who are financially impacted by the resurgence of COVID-19 and changes to COVID Alert Levels.</p> <p>It is available for New Zealand employers who have had, or expect to have, a revenue drop of at least 40% because of COVID-19, for a 14 day period between 12 August to 10 September, compared to a similar period last year can get it. The subsidy is so businesses can keep paying their employees.</p> <p>You can't receive more than one COVID-19 payment from us for the same employee at the same time.</p> <p>Refer <a href="#">here</a> for further information</p>
<p><b>Income Relief Payment</b></p> <p>(work and Income NZ)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>COVID Income Relief Payment</b></li> </ul> <p>This is to support people who have lost their job as a result of the impacts of COVID-19.</p> <p>The payment will be available for 12 weeks from 8 June for anyone who has lost their job due to the impact of COVID-19 since March 1. It will pay \$490 a week to those who lost full-time work and \$250 for part-time.</p> <p>Please refer <a href="#">here</a> for details on the criteria</p>

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<p><b>Leave Support Scheme</b></p> <p>(work and Income NZ)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <p><b>COVID-19 Leave Support Scheme</b></p> <p>The COVID-19 Leave Support Scheme (used to be 'COVID-19 Essential Workers Leave Support') is available for employers, including sole traders, to pay their employees who can't work as a result of COVID-19.</p> <p>This means employees:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- can't come into work because Ministry of Health guidelines recommend they stay at home, and</li> <li>- can't work from home.</li> </ul> <p>Please refer <a href="#">here</a> for details on the criteria</p> </li> </ul>
<p><b>Family Violence Support</b></p> <p>(Ministry of Social Development, Oranga Tamariki)</p>	<p>Budget 2020 has committed to a \$203m Family Violence Services package, which represents the largest funding boost for family violence service providers in over a decade. The package includes \$8.6m for 200 domestic violence organisations coping with an increase in COVID-19 related demand.</p>
<p><b>Māori Communities Support</b></p> <p>(Te Puni Kōkiri, Ministries of Health &amp; Tourism, Te Arawhiti)</p>	<p><b>Initial COVID-19 \$56.5m GOVT Response Package</b></p> <p>This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$10 million reprioritised from Vote Māori Development for 'community outreach'</li> <li>• \$30 million for Māori health services</li> <li>• \$15 million for Whanau Ora</li> <li>• \$1 million to provide Māori business with advice and planning</li> <li>• \$470,000 for Te Arawhiti "to engage and work with iwi on their COVID-19 pandemic response plans" (Te Arawhiti is a Crown agency "dedicated to fostering strong, ongoing and effective relationships with Māori across Government).</li> <li>• Refer <a href="#">here</a> for further information</li> </ul> <p><b>Budget 2020 \$900m Package</b> - to support whānau, hapū and iwi to deal with the impact of COVID-19.</p>

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	<p>This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$136m for Whānau Ora to support whānau and communities most affected from the impacts of COVID-19, and an extra \$11 million to Māori NGOs to support vulnerable whanau;</li> <li>• \$40 million to help tackle the housing challenges Māori face, through the MAIHI (Māori and Iwi Housing Initiative) programme (a Government partnership with Māori community housing providers and other Māori and Iwi providers to expand supply and use land for transitional and long-term housing);</li> <li>• \$50m Māori trades training fund as part of a wider Māori Employment Package of more than \$200m</li> <li>• \$400 million towards Māori education; including \$200 million of funding for Te Kōhanga Reo</li> </ul>
<p><b>Pasifika Communities Support</b> (Ministry of Health, Ministry for Pacific Peoples)</p>	<p><b>Initial \$17m COVID-19 Pacific Response Package –</b></p> <p>To Package aimed to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support Pacific health and disability services facing increased demand;</li> <li>• Ramp up public health messaging and guidance for Pacific communities in Pacific languages;</li> <li>• Roll out a new outreach programme putting non-clinical health support staff into Pacific communities, linking high-risk Pacific people with important services.</li> </ul> <p><b>Budget 2020 \$195m Funding</b> for Pacific focused initiatives include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A Pasifika Culture and Heritage Fund to enable festivals to continue to provide platforms of opportunities to the festival ecosystem (\$12.0 million)</li> <li>• Progressing the establishment of a New Zealand Fale Malae (\$10.0 million)</li> <li>• Toloa - Empowering Pacific participation in STEM (\$4.9 million)</li> <li>• Expansion of Tupu Aotearoa programme across New Zealand (\$13.9 million)</li> <li>• Developing Pacific community content (\$1.7 million)</li> <li>• The Pacific Aotearoa Community COVID-19 Recovery Fund (\$3.0 million)</li> <li>• The Auckland Pacific Skills Shift – an initiative that supports Auckland Pacific peoples in low skilled precarious work, to transition into quality employment (\$22.1 million)</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pacific education initiatives will be announced soon by the Associate Minister of Education, Hon Jenny Salesa (up to \$80.2 million)</li> <li>• Improving housing for Pacific families and communities (up to \$41.3 million).</li> </ul>
<p><b>Ethnic Communities Support</b></p> <p>(Dept of Internal Affairs - OEC)</p>	<p>Repurposed the Ethnic Communities Development Fund that helps ethnic communities better connect and take part in society. The standing priorities of the Fund have been suspended to instead support ethnic communities navigate the impacts of COVID-19.</p> <p>The \$4.2m annual grant fund is now available for projects or activities that provide alternative means of staying socially connected, employment initiatives, and community resilience and recovery.</p> <p>Ethnic groups with legal status (including trusts and incorporated societies) can apply for over \$10,000 per application.</p> <p>Budget 2020 establishes a \$36m fund to support community groups to respond directly to COVID-19 and its impacts, and its particular focus includes those supporting refugee and migrant communities (in addition to those supporting Māori and Pasifika).</p>
<p><b>Arts – supporting creative communities</b></p> <p>(Ministry of Culture and Heritage, Creative NZ)</p>	<p><b>Initial CNZ Emergency Response Package (\$29m)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• \$16 million investment (14 April to 30 June 2020) included \$4.5 million of new money plus \$11.5 million repurposed from other programmes.</li> <li>• An additional \$13m provided</li> <li>• This fund has closed after attracting an unprecedented level of demand</li> </ul> <p><b>Budget 2020 \$57m</b> support package for museums and heritage services (mostly from the Government's \$50b COVID-19 Recovery Fund). This includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>\$25m</b> - Creative New Zealand – <i>CNZ has released its COVID-19-driven investment plan for the next 12 months <a href="#">here</a></i></li> <li>• <b>\$18m</b> - Te Papa Tongarewa</li> <li>• <b>\$4m</b> - Waitangi National Trust Board</li> <li>• <b>\$1.4m</b> - Antarctic Heritage Trust</li> <li>• <b>\$2m</b> - Royal New Zealand Ballet</li> </ul>

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	<p><b>29 May \$175 million package</b> - to support the art and creative sector, with targeted support for the NZ music industry.</p> <p>The package includes four new funds and a jobseekers programme:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Job seekers programme</b> (\$7.9m over four years) for "careers support for creative jobseekers", designed to support artists and creatives back into sustainable work.</li> <li>● <b>Creative Arts Recovery and Employment Fund</b> (\$70m over three years) to support the rebuild of the creative industries, by supporting creative projects at a national and local level that will provide employment and apprenticeship opportunities.</li> <li>● <b>Cultural Innovation Fund</b> (\$60m over three years) to create through cross-sector partnership new ways to add value to the economy, particularly through digital exports- including supporting innovative approaches to Māori artforms and traditional knowledge.</li> <li>● <b>Cultural Capability Fund</b> (\$20m as an immediate response) to support legal services, online delivery and audience development.</li> <li>● <b>New Zealand Music Recovery Fund</b> (\$16.5m over two years) directed towards the contemporary popular music industry to support new song releases (NZ on Air) and live music tours throughout New Zealand.</li> </ul>
<p><b>Sport and Recreation</b></p> <p>(Sport New Zealand / IHI Aotearoa)</p>	<p><b>Initial \$25m package</b> - Sport NZ - to provide short-term relief for sporting and active recreational organisations at all levels of play. Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● \$15m Community Resilience Fund to help struggling local and regional sport and recreation organisations, as well as endorsed Māori sports organisations. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Clubs can apply for \$1,000 in support.</li> <li>▪ Regional Sports Organisations can apply for up to \$40,000.</li> <li>▪ The Fund will be administered and distributed by New Zealand's 14 Regional Sports Trusts.</li> </ul> </li> <li>● \$6m partner support fund to help Sport NZ and its high performance investment partners maintain critical business functions</li> <li>● \$1m exceptional system support fund to help maintain critical business functions of national organisations who are not normally in receipt of Sport NZ investment</li> <li>● \$3m physical activity fund to promote active recreation and sport to those who most need it - such as those less active, disabled or who live in high deprivation areas.</li> </ul> <p><b>Sector Recovery Package - \$265m over four years</b> – This funding will be provided over four years, and will help the sector do three things:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Reset and rebuild</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Strengthen and adapt</li> <li>▪ Different and Better</li> </ul> <p>The following initiatives are the initial first wave of \$80m support for the sector:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Tu Manawa Active Aoteroa</b> - \$68 million over four years for an activation fund for tamariki and rangatahi and those most impacted by COVID-19. Applications will be open by the end of August 2020.</li> <li>• <b>Community Resilience Fund for Clubs and Regional Sports Organisations</b> - Funding support for community-based organisations to cover fixed and operational costs. This will be a \$10 million continuation of the Sport NZ Community Resilience Fund. Aiming to be live in August</li> <li>• <b>World Cup Ready Accessible Facilities</b> - Investment to support accessible gender-neutral facilities at venues for World Cups hosted by New Zealand. Funding has been allocated to upgrade changing room facilities at the match venues and training grounds that teams will use during the upcoming World Cup tournaments: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ ICC Women’s Cricket World Cup – 6 February–7 March 2021</li> <li>▪ 2021 Rugby World Cup 18 September–16 October 2021</li> <li>▪ FIFA 2023 Women’s Football World Cup</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>These are the facilities that will receive upgraded amenities in Part One of the project:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Eden Park - West and South Stadium changing room</li> <li>▪ Waitakere Stadium (The Trusts Arena)</li> <li>▪ Northland Events Centre (Semenoff Stadium)</li> </ul> <p>Part Two of the project will be to upgrade the community changing room facilities at the training grounds that the teams will use in the Auckland and Whangarei regions. Part Three of the project is to scope what may be required for the Cricket and Football World Cups. A total of \$7.3 million has been set aside in the 2020/2021 financial year to fund these projects.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>\$25.4 million investment</b> for the first wave of Sport NZ’s existing investment partners (active recreation and sport) to accelerate the strengthening and future-proof planning for their organisation and network. This includes \$4.9 million in funding for 12 national partners like Basketball NZ and Hockey NZ to help run their premier national leagues</li> </ul> <p>For further information on the funds available – please refer <a href="#">here</a></p>
<b>Provincial Growth Fund</b>	PGF funding being repurposed to help protect jobs and businesses



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	<p>Funds that are unallocated from the PGF are to be redirected into regional projects that will have an immediate impact to support workers and businesses, and stimulate local economies.</p> <p>More information will be communicated by ministers in the coming weeks about how and where this will be done.</p>

Table 2 – Open COVID-19 Funds

Funder	COVID-19 Fund Details	Total Fund	Application Level	Fund Dates	Region	Website
<b>Office of Ethnic Communities</b>	<p><b>Ethnic Communities Development Fund</b></p> <p>Repurposed the Ethnic Communities Development Fund that helps ethnic communities better connect and take part in society. The standing priorities of the Fund have been suspended to instead support ethnic communities navigate the impacts of COVID-19.</p> <p>The \$4.2m annual grant fund is now available for projects or activities that provide alternative means of staying socially connected, employment initiatives, and community resilience and recovery.</p> <p>Ethnic groups with legal status (including trusts and incorporated societies) can apply for over \$10,000 per application.</p>	\$4.2m	\$10,000	Open now	National	<a href="#">Office of Ethnic Communities</a>
<b>Ministry of Social Development</b>	<p><b>Community Capability and Resilience Fund</b></p> <p>The Community Capability and Resilience Fund (CCRF) is a fund available to community groups for initiatives that support the rebuild and recovery from COVID-19.</p> <p>The CCRF builds on the success of the Community Awareness and Preparedness Grant Fund (CAP Fund), which was established by the government to provide immediate support to communities during the COVID-19 lockdown. The CCRF allows the success of the CAP Fund to continue on a larger scale. Like the CAP Fund, the purpose of the CCRF is to provide assistance and support for community groups working with priority populations as they rebuild and recover from the impacts of COVID-19.</p> <p><b>Priority Groups</b> - The CCRF will be targeted towards initiatives that support priority groups, which include Māori, Pacific, ethnic migrant communities, and culturally and linguistically diverse (CALD) groups.</p>	\$36 million		Open 1 August 2020  Two years	National	<a href="#">Community Capability and Resilience Fund</a>

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<b>Ministry for Pacific Peoples</b>	<p><b>Community Covid-19 Fund</b></p> <p>The Community Covid-19 Fund supports Pacific communities and groups who are leading and driving their own solutions to respond and recover from the impacts of Covid-19. There are three categories of funding that applicants can apply for:</p> <p><b>Grassroots initiatives</b> (grants up to \$5,000) Funding for groups that have a new idea that they want to test and pilot.</p> <p><b>Acceleration initiatives</b> (grants up to \$10,000) Funding for an initiative that has already had a positive impact in the community and you would like to improve it.</p> <p><b>Lift off initiatives</b> (grants up to \$50,000) Funding for an initiative that has already had a positive impact in the community and you would like to collaborate with others to scale up or expand to deliver in other regions.</p>		Three funds up to \$50,000	Opens 27 July 2020	National	<a href="#">MPP</a>
<b>Creative New Zealand</b>	<p><b>12 Month Investment Plan – incorporates response to COVID-19 into annual investment plan for the arts.</b></p> <p><b>Arts Grants:</b> first round (of eight) – short-term project funding to support more sustainable careers, encourage innovation and the development of arts practice, and provide opportunities for diverse communities to access the arts (funding may be for projects that include international activity).</p> <p><b>Annual Arts Grants 2020</b> – supporting the presentation of a regular or continuous programme of activity over a 12-month period and/or produce or present a significant event or project.</p>	Includes \$25m new money alongside annual investment	<p><b>Arts Grants</b></p> <p>\$5,000 - \$75,000</p> <p><b>Annual Arts Grants 2020</b></p> <p>Up to \$150,000</p>	<p>8 rounds</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> round closes 28 August</p> <p>Closes 2 Oct 2020</p>	National	<a href="#">CNZ Funding</a>

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<b>Sport New Zealand</b>	<p><b>Sport NZ Community Resilience Fund (Phase 2)</b></p> <p>The Community Resilience Fund aims to provide financial support to play, active recreation and sport organisations who are experiencing financial hardship in the period 1 July to 30 September 2020, as a result of Covid-19. It is to help ensure that those organisations are able to continue delivering quality physical activity experiences to get Every Body Active in Aotearoa New Zealand.</p> <p>Welcome applications from organisations that have not previously received funding from Sport NZ, and those that may have received some support already through Community Resilience Fund in May/June 2020. Applicants for the earlier Community Resilience Fund had to be affiliated to Sport NZ national partners, but this is not a requirement for Community Resilience Fund Phase 2.</p> <p>The fund is not intended for organisations that already receive investment directly from Sport NZ.</p> <p>One key change to the previous Community Resilience Fund will be the ability to claim assistance for a broader range of costs including operational costs that are critical to delivering activities and programmes to support the reactivation of active recreation and sport now that New Zealand has moved to Alert Level 1.</p> <p>Apply through the Regional Sports Trust</p>		<b>Up to \$25k</b>	Funds opening from beginning August through Regional Sports Trusts	National	<p><a href="#">Sport New Zealand Fund Overview</a></p> <p>Apply through Regional Sports Trust</p> <p><a href="#">Sport Northland Active</a></p>
<b>Namaste Foundation – Through Gift Trust</b>	<p><b>Caremongering NZ - COVID-19 Relief</b></p> <p>When the COVID-19 pandemic turned the world on its head in March, a global Caremongering movement sprung up to support communities by spreading acts of compassion.</p> <p>The Namaste Foundation, a Gift Trust account holder, created a \$100,000 Caremongering fund to support the urgent funding needs of vulnerable communities in the Wellington region. The Gift Trust is administering the fund.</p>	\$100,000	<b>Unlikely to make individual grants over \$10,000</b>		Wellington	<a href="#">Caremongering Fund</a>

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<b>Northland Community Foundation</b>	<p><b>The Northland COVID-19 Recovery Fund</b> (Northland COVID-19 Fund) was created in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.</p> <p>Funding will go towards essential services supporting our most vulnerable Northland communities dealing with COVID-19.</p>			Unclear	Northland	<a href="#">Northland Community Foundation</a>
<b>Auckland Community Foundation</b>	<p><b>COVID-19 Community Response Fund</b></p> <p>To ensure that the gaps in community need are identified, prioritised and supported through financial grants.</p> <p>Refer to the Foundation for further details.</p>				Auckland	<a href="#">Auckland Community Foundation</a>
<b>Urgent Response Fund</b>	<p><b>Responding to the impact of the COVID-19 lockdown on children and young people</b></p> <p>Schools and early learning services can now apply for funds to help address attendance issues, or support well-being, and engagement in learning, for children and young people following the COVID-19 lockdown.</p> <p>Regional groups of leaders are being convened, working with the Director of Education, to identify priority needs in each region. These regional groups will decide how the local allocation of the \$50 million fund is best distributed, to make a difference to attendance and engagement in learning for children and young people.</p> <p><b>The fund is available to:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Centre-based early learning services: licensed nga kōhanga reo, playcentre, kindergarten, and education &amp; care services (including casual); and</li> <li>- Schools: state schools, state integrated schools, Māori medium kura, special schools.</li> </ul>	\$50 million		Open now	National	<a href="#">Urgent Response Fund</a>

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<b>The Lottery COVID-19 Community Wellbeing Fund</b> (not open until last quarter of the year)	<p>A new lottery fund worth \$40 million has been established to focus on community and social initiatives in response to COVID-19.</p> <p>The funding will be able to be used to support groups that have lost access to funding sources, have extra demand on their services or are now working in different ways in responding to COVID-19.</p> <p><b>The Fund will provide one-off grants and is expected to be up and running in the last quarter of the year.</b></p>			To be opened in the last quarter of the year		<a href="#">Fund Announcement</a>

## COVID-19 Guides and Resources

Organisation	Guide/Resource Details	Website
<b>Government</b>	Official COVID-19 Website	<a href="https://covid19.govt.nz/">https://covid19.govt.nz/</a>
<b>MSD</b>	Support for Social Services organisations	<a href="#">MSD Support</a>
<b>Parry Field Lawyers</b>	Legal Guide	<a href="#">COVID19 Legal Handbook</a>
<b>Strategic Grants</b>	List of Funding available for COVID-19 impact and recovery	<a href="#">Strategic Grants</a>
<b>Paerangi</b>	A place for whānau to quickly and easily find Covid-19 information and support services in Tāmaki Makaurau.	<a href="https://paerangi.nz/">https://paerangi.nz/</a>
<b>Salvation Army – Social Policy and Parliamentary Unit</b>	COVID-19 Dashboards	<a href="#">COVID19 Dashboards</a>