

## **London Borough of Bromley & NHS South East London, Integrated Commissioning Board (ICB) Innovation Fund (IF) FAQ**

### What is the IF?

- A funding programme financed by Bromley Council and NHS SE London (ICB)
- The IF is a commitment to transformation, learning and progress. Commissioners are looking for new and creative ideas, with innovative projects to support prevention and early intervention
- It is not a fund to support everyday business as usual, existing projects funded by the Council / NHS, or duplicating existing provision

### What are the Project Priorities?

- Project priorities should be aligned to the Bromley Corporate Strategy, and the Adult Care & Health Portfolio Plan:

<https://www.bromley.gov.uk/policies-plans/making-bromley-even-better-corporate-strategy-london-borough-bromley>

<https://www.bromley.gov.uk/downloads/file/573/adult-care-and-health-portfolio-plan>

- Key priorities will be detailed on the opening of each funding round

### Who is eligible to apply?

- All voluntary, community and not for profit organisations based or operating in Bromley for the benefit of Bromley residents; please refer to the full guidance document for eligibility

### How and when can the funding be accessed?

- Quarterly bidding rounds will be advertised in advance and opened in March, June, September, & December
- Projects will normally last 1 year and some may extend to 2 years
- Up to £20,000. per project or exceptionally up to £50,000.
- As this is a test and learn programme, applicants must consider project sustainability, and an exit strategy for the continuation of the project

### What is the Application Process?

- Applications are submitted online via the Community Links Bromley bidding platform with full guidance and support available
- Organisation and project details to be provided as requested
- Applications will be assessed by the IF panel and agreed by senior officers
- Key performance indicators and outcome data requirements will be agreed at commencement

Please ensure you read the full guidance documents for each round and if you require further information, contact: Maya Vadgama, Integrated Strategic Commissioner, London Borough of Bromley [maya.vadgama@bromley.gov.uk](mailto:maya.vadgama@bromley.gov.uk)

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