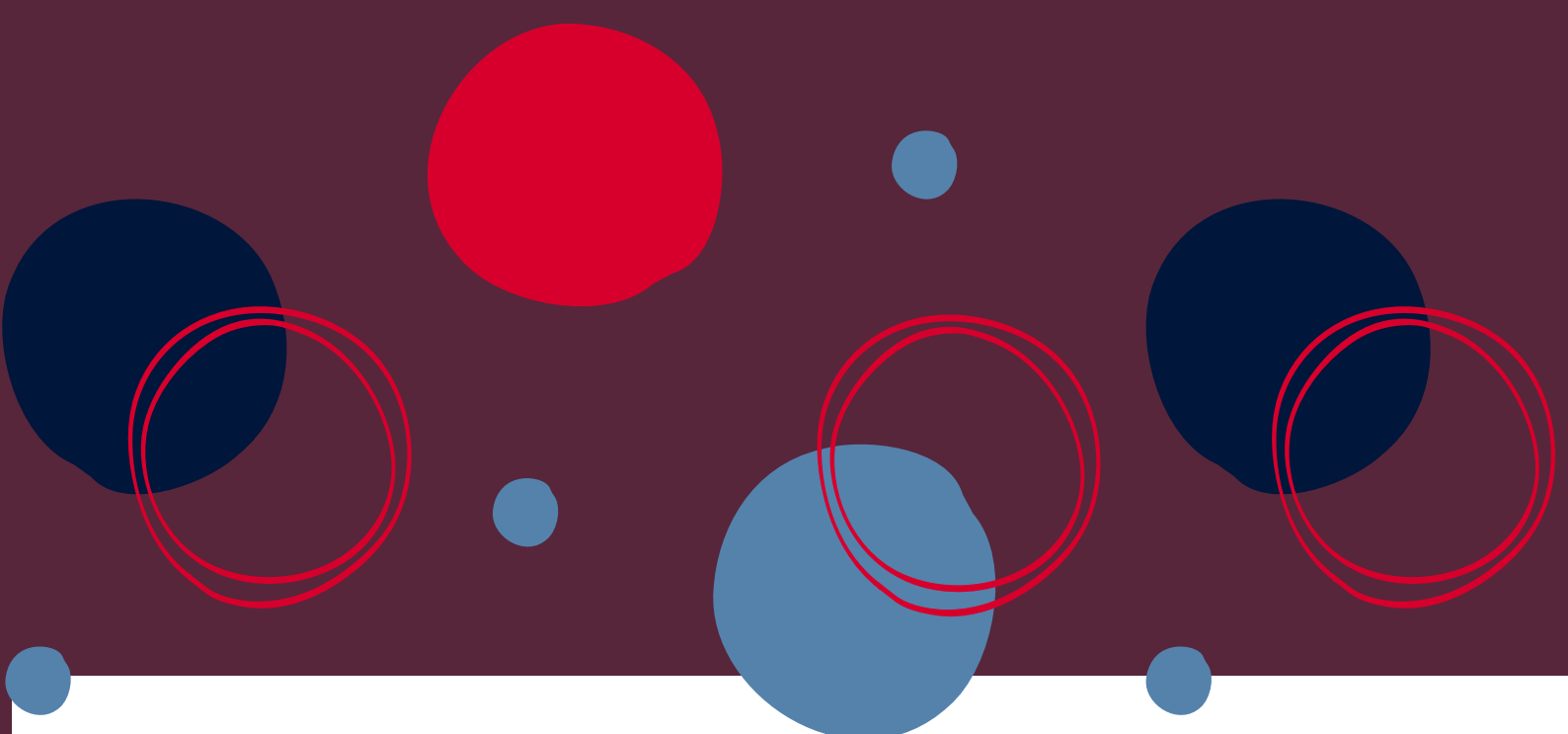




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FAQ



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Frequently Asked Questions

Can you give more information on who could benefit from the funding?

A very wide range of people from Armed Forces communities could benefit from this funding.

There are a wide range of project areas that could be considered. Projects could:

- support people who have been bereaved
- support those with unmet needs from physical injury
- support people serving in the Armed Forces who were born overseas or who have immediate family overseas
- support the needs of Armed Forces families coming to the UK
- support serving personnel and veterans from LGBT+ communities
- support female veterans
- support veterans and families with needs that make them particularly vulnerable
- support those from Armed Forces communities who struggle with barriers with to accessing help (such as language or cultural barriers)
- explore socio-economic considerations or needs relating to disabilities
- provide additional support to those who have been negatively impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic.

This is not a definitive list. Projects could also benefit people from Armed Forces communities that are not on this list. You should tell us what the need is, and why it is compelling in your application.

How does this programme fit within the wider Covenant Fund themes?

The project that you are seeking funding for will need to fit within our four core funding themes. These themes have been central to the Covenant Fund since we formed in 2015. Your project could cover more than one of these themes.

- Non-core healthcare services for veterans.
- Removing barriers to family life.
- Extra support, both in and after Service, for those that need help
- Measures to integrate military and civilian communities and allow the Armed Forces community to participate as citizens.

We do not anticipate funding across all four themes equally within our grant programmes this year; and will instead fund the projects that can show that they will make significant difference to specific groups within Armed Forces communities; and that there will be an ongoing legacy after the grant has finished.