

## CHARITIES SECTOR

### 2019 / 2020 CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

**ONLY FOR NON-PROFIT ORGANISATIONS, PUBLIC BENEFIT TRUSTS & NON-PROFIT COMPANIES (FORMERLY SECTION 21 COMPANIES)**

The Charities Distributing Agency (CDA), established in terms of the Lotteries Act, 1997 (No. 57 of 1997, as amended), is once again in the position to consider applications for funding (subject to availability of funds) from the proceeds of the National Lottery.

In adjudicating applications, the Charities Distributing Agency will focus on the following strategic funding areas:

	<b>AREAS OF FUNDING</b>	<b>PRIORITY AREAS / PROGRAMMES</b>	<b>OUTCOMES</b>
1	<b>Early Childhood Development (ECD)</b>	<p>ECDs may apply for skills development for ECD practitioners / educators (a skills development plan to be provided)</p> <p>Conditionally registered ECDs may apply for specific support that will enable them to meet required norms and standards</p>	<p>Improved foundation phase teaching and learning</p> <p>Increase in compliant ECDs</p>
2	<b>Protection and support for the vulnerable</b>	<p>Holistic, integrated community-based and / or residential wellness and support programmes<sup>1</sup> for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aged</li> <li>• People with Disabilities</li> <li>• Orphans</li> <li>• Substance Abuse (including in- and out-patient programmes, prevention and treatment)</li> <li>• Chronic and mental illnesses</li> <li>• Youth at risk / in conflict with the law</li> </ul> <p><i>Requests for funding may include: programmatic and operational costs, as well as infrastructure / renovations / maintenance and specific capital</i></p>	<p>Improved well-being of vulnerable groups</p>

<sup>1</sup> The specific programmes / services to be offered will be defined per category of vulnerability; stand-alone services (e.g. awareness campaigns or workshops, food distribution etc.) will not be funded.

		<i>items in relation to the programme, project and services to be offered.</i>	
<b>3</b>	<b>Gender-based violence</b>	Programmes to support women and children in crisis including provision and operation of safe houses and / or halfway centres for emergency support.	Access to safe environment for women and children
<b>4</b>	<b>Animal welfare</b>	<p>Sterilisation and vaccination drives in previously disadvantaged communities</p> <p>Education concerning and / or prevention of abuse and cruelty towards working animals</p>	Improved welfare of domestic and working animals

The criteria for a decision to fund or not will be based on the strategic fit of the application submitted. Applications that fall outside the strategic focus areas detailed above will not be considered.

The Distributing Agency for Charities will give preference to applications that advance rural, previously disadvantaged and poorer communities that support transformation and development; as well as projects that focus on job creation and the development of women and persons with disabilities.

Applications will be considered from appropriately registered, non-profit organisations that submit all the required documents and information, as outlined in the **Guidelines** for this sector.

Applicants that are awaiting a response on a previous application are advised not to apply until they have received correspondence on the outcome of the previous application.

Applications from intermediary grant makers, foundations linked to profit-making companies, schools (private and public), Technical Vocational Education Training (TVET) Colleges and Higher Education Institutions, Religious organisations and churches and social enterprises are **excluded from this call**.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

- **CONDUIT APPLICATIONS:** Applicants who have been in existence for less than six (6) months may apply through an agent / representative / conduit.
- **COOLING-OFF PERIOD:** No applicant to whom a grant was made by the National Lotteries Commission will be eligible to apply for another grant within a period of twelve (12) months from the date of receipt of that grant, irrespective of whether the project is different to the one previously funded. The twelve (12) month “cooling-off” period will be counted from the date of the NLC’s initial payment to the beneficiary. Please refer to clause 11 of the Grant Agreement signed with NLC.
- Applications will be categorised as follows:

<b>Categories of Grants</b>	<b>Value of application</b>	<b>Application form to be completed</b>
Small Grants	Not more than R500 000.00	Use <b>FORM 2010/2</b>
Medium Grants	R500 001 - R5 000 000.00	Use <b>FORM 2010/1</b>

**The following applications will not be considered for funding:**

- Applications not on the relevant prescribed application form;
- Faxed or e-mailed applications;
- Applications on Compact Disc (CD) or USB Flash Drive;
- Applicants that have not complied with the conditions of any previous NLDTF funding.

The prescribed application forms (**FORM 2010/1** and **FORM 2010/2**) and the **Guidelines** are available from the following NLC offices:

<p><b>Postal Address</b> Grant Funding Office Private Bag X101 Brooklyn Square 0075 Tel: 08600 65383</p>	<p><b>Eastern Cape Office</b> Phase 4A, Waverly Office Park Phillip Frame Road, Chislehurst East London 5200 Tel: 08600 65383</p>
<p><b>Free State Office</b> 282 Stateway Welkom 9459 Tel: 08600 65383</p>	<p><b>Gauteng Office:</b> Block D, Hatfield Gardens 333 Grosvenor Street Hatfield 0083 Tel: 08600 65383</p>
<p><b>KwaZulu Natal Office</b> Office 22, Smartxchange Building 5 Walnut Road Durban 4001 Tel: 08600 65383</p>	<p><b>Limpopo Office</b> 5 Landross Mare Street Polokwane 0699 Tel: 08600 65383</p>
<p><b>Mpumalanga Office</b> 25 Rood Street Sonheuwel Dorp Nelspruit 1200 Tel: 08600 65383</p>	<p><b>Northern Cape Office</b> 9 Roper Street, Suite D Kimberly 8300 Tel: 08600 65383</p>
<p><b>North West Office</b> 16 Aerodrome Crescent Industrial Side Mahikeng 2745 Tel: 08600 65383</p>	<p><b>Western Cape Office</b> Manhattan Place 130 Bree Street Cape Town 8000 Tel: 08600 65383</p>

Website: [www.nlcsa.org.za/charities/](http://www.nlcsa.org.za/charities/)

***NB The Distributing Agency reserves the right not to make grants or to decide on the exact amount to be allocated to successful applicants.***