



## Grants awarded under the Veterans Mental Health and Wellbeing Fund in 2019/2020

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1 grant totalling £300,000

Organisation	Project Title	Grant Amount	Project description
Help for Heroes	Team UK Invictus Games Trials	£300,000	The Team UK Invictus Games Trials - Sheffield 2019 is the national championships and trials for wounded, injured or sick (WIS) service personnel and veterans. A grant of £300,000 will support the delivery of the trials including physical, medical and psychological support for 500 athletes and their families and friends.

### Grants under the Veterans Health and Wellbeing Fund: Strategic Pathways Programme

6 grants totalling £1,650,752

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Combat Stress	Combat Stress Training for Veterans Wellbeing	£251,000	Combat Stress will share the insight they have gained from a century working solely with veterans suffering with mental health problems with other organisations. They will offer targeted training and development to Positive Pathway grantholders. This will help such organisations to more productively engage with and create

			better outcomes for veterans as they move along a wider recovery pathway.
Cobseo	Mental Health Pathways Programme Coordinator	£100,000	Cobseo will provide support to link the Positive and Strategic Pathways Programmes to provide a single point of access for smaller charities, assist smaller charities to identify their best fit into the programme; develop commonality of case management between charities; encourage proven existing programmes alongside new initiatives; and support and monitor delivery.
Hafal	Joining Forces	£264,000	Joining Forces will use the experience Hafal has linking armed forces veterans' services, sharing their knowledge and expertise with smaller organisations, to deliver Pan-Wales joined-up, effective support to veterans (who may have mental health problems).
St John and Red Cross Defence Medical Welfare Service (DMWS)	Positive Pathways Projects Support Service	£280,000	Support, advice, and guidance for organisations to prepare, develop, and successfully deliver activity based projects supporting the Armed Forces Community with their mental health; and enabling those organisations to develop meaningful and valued partnership working with other service providers and local and regional mental health networks.
The Royal Foundation (The Endeavour Fund)	The Endeavour Fund	£250,000	The Endeavour Fund supports the ambitions of wounded, injured and sick (WIS) service personnel and veterans to use sport and adventurous challenge as part of their recovery and onward rehabilitation.
Walking With The Wounded	Strategic Pathways Northern England, Northern Ireland and Scotland	£505,752	Walking With The Wounded (WWTW) will establish a mentoring and guidance team in the North of England, Scotland and Northern Ireland to support applicants and recipients of the Positive Pathways grants. The team will operate out of existing WWTW hubs in the North and be embedded with the Aftercare programme in Northern Ireland.