



The Invictus Fund

Supporting NCSS Member Agencies

The Invictus Fund targets to provide support to social service agencies providing critical services to vulnerable groups during this COVID-19 pandemic.

The Invictus Fund will support initiatives that seek to achieve the following outcomes.

1. Enhanced service continuity to meet the needs of service users; and/or
2. Improved staff welfare of frontline workers.

▶ Eligibility

This Fund is open to all full NCSS member agencies with an active IPC status. Assessment will be made based on scope of services, and the financial position of agencies.

Clarity in application on the use of the Funds would enable us to channel the resources to agencies that have higher needs.

▶ How to Apply?

Agencies will have to submit the application form at www.go.gov.sg/invictus-fund by **8 May 2020**.
Agencies will be notified of their application outcome by **31 May 2020**.

▶ For More Information

Please contact NCSS_FundAllocation@ncss.gov.sg or call 6210 2548 / 6210 2660.

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Frequently Asked Questions

1) What is The Invictus Fund?

The Invictus Fund is set up by the National Council of Social Service (NCSS) to provide support to social service agencies (SSAs) providing critical services to the vulnerable groups during the COVID-19 pandemic. This will be supported by donations raised through Community Chest. The additional support will help SSAs maintain their operations, make technology investments to better serve their users, and emerge stronger after this period.

2) What can my agency use the funds for?

The funds should be for the enhancements of critical services during the COVID-19 pandemic to enhance service accessibility and staff welfare.

Funds can be used for enhancements in the following categories:

- Enhanced service continuity to meet the needs of service users; and/or
- Improved staff welfare of frontline workers.

3) Do I need to submit the hardcopy application form?

No, hard copy of application is not required. Please submit the completed application form on FormSG. NCSS may approach some agencies for additional information to substantiate the fund usage.

4) How much funding will be provided to each agency?

NCSS will inform your agency on funding amount upon successful application.

5) When will my agency receive funding?

NCSS will include the information upon notice of successful application to agencies. To enable us to expedite the processing of applications, please provide all the required details in the form.

6) Does The Invictus Fund support individuals?

The purpose of this Fund is to support the needs of social service agencies. Individuals affected by COVID-19 can apply for other schemes such as The Courage Fund and Temporary Relief Fund, depending on the nature of need.

7) Do I have to submit receipts if I successfully obtain the funding?

No, the agency does not have to submit receipts. But your agency has to present the fund received as “NCSS - The Invictus Fund” in the FY20 financial statements. There are also reporting requirements on how the funds will be used. More details will be given to agencies upon successful application.