## Freemasonry Cares





# Financial, healthcare and family help



call now on freephone **0800 035 60 90** 

This leaflet contains important information for Freemasons and their dependants. Please keep it safe alongside your most valuable documents.

## Can we help you?

Freemasonry Cares offers confidential guidance on the financial, healthcare and family help available to Freemasons and their dependants.

Contact your Lodge Almoner or Freemasonry Cares on **0800 035 60 90** for advice on:

- The support available
- Who qualifies for assistance
- How to apply

The Freemasonry Cares service is free and confidential so you have nothing to lose by contacting us. Our experienced team is always happy to help if they can.

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Keep this card somewhere safe or pass it on to a loved one so they know how to access help should it be needed in the future.

For extra copies of this leaflet and the card, and information about the work of the Masonic Charities, contact Freemasonry Cares on **0800 035 60 90** 

## Who is eligible?

## Help is available to individuals with a Masonic connection, meaning:

- Freemasons under the United Grand Lodge of England (UGLE)
- Dependants of a Freemason under UGLE usually a wife, partner, widow or child
- A limited range of assistance is also available to grandchildren and other relatives of a Freemason under UGLE

#### What help is available?

A wide range of help is available from Masonic organisations for financial, healthcare and family related needs.

#### **Financial**

- Essential daily living costs
- Funeral bills
- Minor home repairs
- Hardship faced following an accident, redundancy, or other personal crisis

#### Healthcare

- Medical treatment
- Dental treatment
- Mobility aids and essential home adaptations
- Respite care

#### Family - Children in full time education or younger

- Maintenance allowances and welfare support
- Support for children and young people with severe disabilities
- Educational costs such as IT equipment, course materials, school uniforms and travel
- Scholarships and accommodation for students and postgraduates
- Grants to support young people with exceptional talent in music, sport or the performing arts

#### Family - Older people (65+)

- Care homes nursing, residential and dementia care
- Care advice

Holidays

Eligibility for assistance usually depends on the income and savings of the individual and other relevant criteria. For detailed and up to date information please contact Freemasonry Cares.

to find out more

Contact your Lodge Almoner or call Freemasonry Cares on 0800 035 60 90 help@freemasonrycares.org www.freemasonrycares.org

All enquiries to Freemasonry Cares are dealt with sympathetically and in the strictest confidence.

## Financial, healthcare and family help for you!

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Freemasonry Cares is a joint initiative of the central Masonic Charities.

The Freemasons' Grand Charity (Registered Charity No. 281942). Royal Masonic Trust for Girls and Boys (Registered Charity No. 285836), The Royal Masonic Benevolent Institution (Registered Charity No. 207360) and Masonic Samaritan Fund (Registered Charity No. 1130424).

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