

# What is the Personal Recovery Support Fund?



The Personal Recovery Support Fund makes available small awards to assist individuals being supported by ACHIEVE (across Bolton, Salford and Trafford) to achieve their recovery goals.

**Applications MUST be supported by your ACHIEVE worker**

They can access the form to fill in at the link below and help you complete it.

[www.recoverybst.co.uk/content/recovery-fund](http://www.recoverybst.co.uk/content/recovery-fund)

Your Achieve worker will need to write a supporting statement and submit it on your behalf. A decision is typically given in around six weeks.

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The Personal Recovery Support Fund is managed by Salford CVS on behalf of the Achieve partnership.

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Practical support for Achieve service users in reaching their recovery goals

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## What support might be available?

The Personal Recovery Support Fund is here to help you overcome practical barriers to achieving your recovery goals.

Please note that due to demand only requests for **one large item** (refurbished laptop, cooker etc.) can normally be considered.

Here are some examples of support provided and why:

### Refurbished furniture, kitchen appliances or home furnishings

If you've moved to a new home you may be in urgent need of household items.



### Hobby, craft or musical instruments for diversionary activities

Items that support you develop new or existing hobbies or pastimes can be considered. Examples could include artist supplies, a fishing rod and equipment, a guitar, sewing materials, etc.



### Refurbished laptop

A laptop at home can enable attendance on Achieve recovery courses and assist with job seeking and welfare claims.



### Note on Gym memberships

We are working to negotiate 3-month gym membership options with local providers.



### Smart clothing for interviews

As well as giving a good impression to potential employers, looking smart for an interview can boost your self-confidence.

### Kennelling for dogs or cats

If you're attending residential treatment (e.g. detox or rehab) this could be considered.

### Getting a qualification

A short course might be what you need to access work and maintain your recovery. This could include a DBS check.

### Please note:

We do not provide cash. Goods or services are typically purchased directly by Achieve colleagues at Salford CVS. In some circumstances awards may be made in the form of vouchers for use at certain shops. Please note that good quality refurbished items or basic standard new items will be sourced for successful applicants. High spec top-of-the-range items will not be considered.