

Appendix 1: Time-limited community funding in response to COVID-19 by Vote

Vote	Initiative name	Initiative description	Duration of funding and funding source	Total funding to date
Social Development	Food Secure Communities	Four tranches of funding to provide support to meet the additional demand during COVID-19 lockdowns on foodbanks, food rescue and other community providers.	2020 - June 2023 CRRF	\$206.1 million
	Community Connection Service	Three tranches of funding initially establish then extend contracts for Community Connectors and discretionary funding. <i>Note this includes delta funding for priority populations where discretionary funding was given to organisations without community connectors.</i>	2020 - June 2023 CRRF	\$207.225 million
	Building Provider Capability and Resilience Fund	Two tranches of funding to ensure providers can deliver necessary services to support their communities in responding to and recovering from impacts of COVID-19.	2020 - June 2022 CRRF	\$32.6 million
	Community Capability and Resilience Fund	Funding to support community-led initiatives that support recovery from COVID-19.	2020 - June 2022 CRRF	\$36 million
	Iwi COVID-19 Fund	Funding to enable iwi to respond to critical need.	2020 - June 2022 CRRF	\$2 million
	Community Awareness and Preparedness (CAP)	Funding to support regional service gaps and create bespoke solutions as part of the Care in the Community welfare response model	2020 - June 2023 CRRF	\$4.4 million
	Iwi partnerships	Two tranches of funding to build Māori partnerships aimed at strengthening social and economic wellbeing.	2020 - June 2023 CRRF	\$10 million
	Regional leadership groups (RLGs), Regional Public Service Commissioners (RPSCs), Iwi RLG funding	Funds for RLGs, RPSCs and iwi participation in RLGs.	December 2021 - June 2023 CRRF	\$18.1 million
	Support for NGOs and community groups to continue providing essential services	Funding for social services and community groups to continue provision of essential support to communities (e.g. food, accommodation, support for disabled people to maintain critical wellbeing, keep families safe from harm and offer crisis support and community resilience activities).	2020 – June 2020 CRRF	\$27 million
	Building Financial Capability (BFC) services	Strengthens MSD-funded Building Financial Capability (BFC) services, ensuring the sustainability of providers to maintain their services during a time of expected increase in demand due to COVID-19.	2020 – June 2022 CRRF	\$29.534 million
	Family Violence services	Grants for MSD-funded family violence providers to increase their capacity and ensure they are prepared to respond to an expected increase in need for services as a direct result of COVID-19. This funding will also support the development of a digital service to support people to seek help.	2020 – June 2022 CRRF	\$12.6 million
	Employment Service for Disabled People	Funding to expand employment services by increasing the capacity of the Employment Service so more people can access it and making it available to young people in their final two years of school.	2020 – June 2022 CRRF	\$12.5 million
	OSCAR services	Grant funding to enable Out of School Care and Recreation service providers to deliver in-home childcare for essential workers during	June 2020 CRRF	\$6.76 million
	Ākonga Youth Development Community Fund	Funding to support ākonga aged 12 – 21 years in need of youth development support to continue their learning.	2020 - December 2022 CRRF	\$10.46 million
Māori Development	Building Sustainable and Resilient Communities	Funding to support sustainable and resilient communities during the post COVID 19 recovery by investing in capability and providing resources to support iwi and Māori organisations to grow, primarily in rural and isolated communities.	Sep 2021 - June 2022 CRRF	\$16.32 million
	Direct provision through Whānau Ora Commissioning Agencies	Four tranches of funding have been provided to Whānau Ora Commissioning Agencies to support whānau to manage the impacts of COVID-19 (including specifically the Delta and Omicron outbreaks).	2020 - June 2022 <i>Budget 2020 and CRRF</i>	\$214.63 million
	COVID-19 Whānau Recovery Fund	\$10 million (Sept 2021-June 22). Additional funding of \$5m was received from MOH to deliver a Regional Vaccination Programme. (superseded by the MCCF)	Sept 2021 - June 2022 CRRF	\$15 million
	Māori Communities COVID-19 Fund	Two tranches of funding to support Māori, iwi and community groups ahead of shift to CPF, and to support communities through the Omicron outbreak.	2021 - June 2022 CRRF	\$160.05 million
Pacific Peoples	The Pacific Aotearoa Communities Outreach initiative	Two tranches of funding to support vulnerable Pacific communities to respond to the impact of COVID-19, including Omicron specifically.	2021 - June 2023 CRRF	\$20 million
Education	Urgent Response Fund	Funding to support learners affect by the COVID-19 lockdowns.	2020 - June 2021 CRRF	\$50 million
	Re-engaging children and young people in learning	Funding to support Auckland learners to re-engage in learning following long periods of distance learning.	2021 - June 2022 <i>Funding reallocated</i>	\$15 million

			<i>from savings in Vote Education</i>	
	Online Teaching and Learning	Funding to enable students' access to online teaching and learning.	2020 - June 2022 CRRF	\$36.4 million
			Total time-limited funding	\$1.143 billion