

Organisation: National Schizophrenia Fellowship (Scotland) operating name:
Support in Mind Scotland

Any Collaborators: No

Locality: City wide

Neighbourhood: City wide

Potential theme: Staff support; App-based security software; IT equipment

Short Description: Due to increased demand in our services as a result of the cost-of-living crisis and ongoing effects of COVID-19 we want to ensure we provide a safe environment for our staff and quality support for our service users. We want to provide a safe working environment for our lone working frontline staff, supporting people in the local community affected by mental ill health. We will do this by providing PeopleSafe, an App-based security software for lone workers, which logs and records the start and end of each visit ensuring staff safety. In addition, we shall be funding essential IT equipment (Laptops) to support our staff in the running of these services which has increased over the past twelve months. Staff have long-needed an upgrade in core equipment in order to support their role and the services they provide. In Edinburgh that is namely, Mental Health Resource Centre, Veterans Café, National Services, Information Line, Mental Health and Money Advice.