

- Struggling to cope with your home
- Just moving into your own home
- Living or looking for accommodation in the North East of Glasgow

Find out more by giving them a call on 0141 771 6161

CHARITY SHOPS

FARE (Family Action in Rogerfield & Easterhouse) -

Bannatyne House, 31 Drumlanrig Avenue, Easterhouse, Glasgow, G34 0JF

Sense Scotland “children's charities disabled charities” -

Unit 35, Shandwick Centre, Easterhouse, Glasgow, G34 9DT

Prince & Princess of Wales Hospice -

Unit 37, Shandwick Centre, Easterhouse, Glasgow, Lanarkshire, G34 9DR

Prospects charity shop - 37 Tollcross Road, Forge Market, Glasgow, G31 4UG

The Salvation Army - 4 Auchencrow Street, Easterhouse, Glasgow, G34 0BW

PRH foundation - “Mens Charity. Help for guys who suffer from mental health issues” -

71 Dunskaith Street, Easterhouse, Glasgow, G34 0AN

Barnardos Youth Involvement Project “Believe in children” -

Westwood Business Centre, 69 Aberdalgie Road, Easterhouse, Glasgow, G34 9HJ

How to contact us

By phone 0141 781 2277 By email enquiries@easthallpark.org.uk
via Facebook or Twitter [#Easthallpark](https://twitter.com/Easthallpark) or calling in to the office at:
Glenburn Centre, 6 Glenburnie Place, Easterhouse, G34 9AN

Opening hours;

9 am – 5pm Monday/Tuesday/Thursday

9 am – 3pm Wednesday

9 am – 3.30pm Friday

We always welcome your views and comments about improving our service.

If you would like this leaflet in another format, for example in large print or on tape, or in another language, please contact reception at the above address.



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Whether you are on benefits, facing financial hardship or homeless there are services in and around the East End of Glasgow which can offer help and financial assistance. These services can support you with the cost of starting and keeping your tenancy.

If you require assistance in accessing any of these services listed, our Welfare Rights Service is available to help with applications and referrals. Please contact our office to make an appointment or just pop in on a Friday between 10am – 12pm.

SCOTTISH WELFARE FUND

Two types of grants available:

- Crisis Grants to provide a safety net when someone experiences an emergency situation, such as a fire or flood and there is an immediate threat to health and safety.
- Community Care Grant to enable independent living or continued independent living and prevent the need to go into care. A Community Care Grant may also be able to help a family facing exceptional pressure.

Eligibility

You can get a crisis grant if you are aged 16 or over, on a low income and you are unable to get financial help from any other appropriate source.

You do not have to be getting a benefit to be eligible. However if you are getting income support, income-based jobseeker's allowance, income-related employment and support allowance, universal credit or pension credit then you will be considered to be on a low income.

What Can I Apply For?

- **Crisis Grant – Processed in 2 working days**
Expenses for Food, Travel, Fuel, Gas, Electricity.

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• Community Care Grant – Processed in 15 working days

Sofa	Carpet	Wardrobe
Beds	(Orthopaedic) Mattresses	Lino
Dining Table	Cots	Armchair
Curtains	Clothes	Bedding
Towels	Kettle	Cooker
Heater	Hoover	Kitchen Utensils
Pots & Pans	Crockery	Cutlery

How do I apply?

Make an Appointment with our Welfare right Assistant or visit Glasgow City Councils website – www.glasgow.gov.uk : Living>Welfare Reform>Scottish Welfare Fund
Telephone – 0141 276 1177 Mon to Fri: 9am to 5pm

LOCAL FURNITURE PROJECTS PROVIDING LOW COST, RE-USED FURNITURE:

Re-Connect Glasgow - Tel: 0141 556 7085

90 Camlachie St, Glasgow, G31 4AD

Web: <http://www.connect-ct.org.uk/reconnect/reconnect/>

How to get help: Re-Connect provides a community-based recycling and reuse service within the East End and Glasgow. They are looking to provide support to anyone looking for a bargain on quality upcycle furniture:

- Housing associations / support organisations
- Landlords furnishing properties for let
- Local businesses
- Ethical consumers
- Students

ARCH Move On Service (AMOS) - Tel: 0141 554 2497

36 Muslin Street, Glasgow, G40 4AP

Email: amos@thearchproject.co.uk

How to get help: They take donations of furniture and white goods and supply to those in hardship or low income. They have their own van so can do pick-up and delivery. They also supply starter packs which are referral based.

Emmaus Glasgow- Tel: 0141 353 3903,

101 Ellesmere St, Glasgow, Lanarkshire G22 5QT

Email: info@emmausglasgow.org.uk Web: www.emmausglasgow.org.uk

Opening hours: The shop is open Monday - Saturday 10am - 4pm

How to get help: This is a furniture charity shop so just drop in.

Salvation Army Trading Co Ltd - Tel: 0141 334 7253

4 Auchencrow St, Glasgow, Glasgow City G34 0BW.

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 9-5.

How to get help: This is a charity shop aiming to provide low cost goods. Drop into shop for more information.

Second Opportunities - Tel: 0141 425 1177

Furniture Reuse Centre at 302 Broomloan Rd Ibrox Glasgow G51 2JQ.

Email: contact@newtwo.org.uk Web: www.secondopportunities.org.uk

Opening hours: Mon-Thu 9.00 - 4.30, Fri 9.00-3.30

How to get help: A discounted pricing structure is available by referral from Housing Associations, Social Work Offices, CABs, Scotcash or drop into the Furniture Reuse Centre at 302 Broomloan Rd, Ibrox, Glasgow G51 2JQ.

Spruce Carpets - Tel: 0141 425 1555

308 Broomloan Rd, Glasgow, Lanarkshire G51 2JQ,

Email: info@sprucecarpets.org.uk Web: www.sprucecarpets.org.uk

How to get help: Spruce sells quality refurbished, unused and new carpets from our Govan showroom and through retail partners.

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ONE PARENT FAMILIES SCOTLAND (OPFS)

One Parent Families Scotland aims to encourage and enable parents across Scotland to make the most of the opportunities available to them so they can flourish as happy, healthy and achieving families.

They run services across Scotland to provide help to all single parent families; mums, dads, young parents and kinship carers. Services they provide include:

Information & Advice

They work with families to build better lives by providing information, training and support. They also have experienced rights workers, and offer unique, free and confidential advice services.

Childcare Services

They provide a flexible, affordable, customised service to the many parents (from both single- and two-parent families) who struggle to find essential childcare that matches their family's individual needs.

Family Support

They encourage parents across the country to take positive steps towards their family's future. They offer parenting skills, advocacy, activities, signposting, mentoring, and single parent groups.

Employability

They offer a wide range of support to help with the road to employment, providing support for families in their local communities, giving them the opportunity to make realistic and informed work choices.

Looking for free, confidential, impartial advice? Call their National Lone Parent Helpline: Freephone 0808 801 0323

FOOD BANKS IN THE EAST END OF GLASGOW

Day / Time	Location
Monday 14:00-16:00	Calton Parkhead Parish Church. 142 Helenvale Street.
Tuesday 14:00 - 16:00	Sandyhills Parish Church. 28 Baillieston Road.
Wednesday 14:00 - 16:00	Calton Parkhead Parish Church. 142 Helenvale Street.
Wednesday 17:00 - 19:00	Garthamlock Community Group. 22 Barholm Square.
Thursday 11:00 - 13:00	St. Francis in the East. 26 Queen Mary Street, Bridgeton
Friday 14:00 - 16:00	Calton Parkhead Parish Church 142 Helenvale Street.
Friday 14:00 - 16:00	Shettleston Old Parish Church. 85 Killin Street.
Saturday 10:00 - 12:00	Garthamlock Community Group. 22 Barholm Square.

Did you know Easthall Park is a distributor for Glasgow NE Foodbank?

This means we can give foodbank vouchers to those of our residents who are most in need. If you feel this is a service you would benefit from please do not hesitate to contact the office on 0141 781 2277. This service is entirely confidential and the vouchers can be given out in a private interview.

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EAT, SLEEP, LEARN, PLAY!

Eat, Sleep, Learn, Play! is an early-intervention crisis grant programme, providing essential household items – such as a cot bed, cooker, pushchair, educational toys and books to low-income families with young children who lack the funds to purchase these basic items themselves.

Eligibility

All families must meet all three criteria for a grant to be awarded:

1. Is there a child living in the family home aged under 36 months or is the mother 28 weeks or more pregnant at the time of applying?

2. Is/are one or more of the child's parents/carers currently in receipt of any of the following benefits and do they meet the low income threshold?

- Income-based income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's allowance
- Income-related employment and Support allowance
- Healthy Start
- Child Tax credit (income of £16,190 or less, 2014/15)
- Working Tax credit that includes a disability or severe disability element
- NASS support (for asylum seeking families) or Section 4 support of the immigration and asylum act 1999 (for failed asylum seekers)

3. Is the child living in the home lacking basic, essential material items, affecting their ability to eat, sleep, learn or play there?

What Can I Apply For?

Gas Cooker/Electric Cooker	Fridge/Fridge Freezer	Washing Machine
Portable Heater	Single Pushchair/Twin Pushchair	Highchair
Dining Table with 4 or 6 Chairs	Household Voucher	Cot Bed Package
Single Bed Package	Bunk Bed Package	Children's Bedroom Set
Toy & Books Pack		

How do I apply?

A referral partner must carry out a home visit to the family's current address then gather relevant benefit letters or other evidence then complete and send the application. Contact our Welfare Right Assistant if you are interested in this.

BRITISH GAS ENERGY TRUST

The British Gas Energy Trust helps individuals and families living in fuel poverty or other suffering or distress who are struggling with their gas and/or electricity debts by awarding grants to clear those debts. The aim of the Trust is to give vulnerable individuals a fresh start and enable them to keep free of fuel debts going forward.

Eligibility

Applications to the British Gas Energy Trust are welcomed from individuals and families in need, it is **not** restricted to customers of British/Scottish Gas. However you must be living within England, Scotland or Wales to be eligible to apply.

What Can I Apply For?

To clear domestic gas and electricity debts owed to British Gas and other suppliers. To purchase essential energy efficient white goods and cookers (Further Assistance Payment)

For Bankruptcy and Debt Relief Order fees

For boiler repairs/replacements

To contribute towards funeral arrears

How do I apply?

Online or Print Application – <http://www.britishgasenergytrust.org.uk/>

GENR8

GENR8 (part of Action for Children) provides housing support for 16-24 year olds in the East and North East of Glasgow who are homeless or at risk of homelessness.

Eligibility

GENR8 could offer you support if you are:

- 16 - 24 years old
- Homeless or at risk of homelessness