

## Freemasonry Cares

It's as easy as 1-2-3!



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Please get in touch:

Tel: **0800 035 60 90** Calls are free!

Email: [help@freemasonrycares.org](mailto:help@freemasonrycares.org)

Web: [www.freemasonrycares.org](http://www.freemasonrycares.org)

Mail: **Freemasonry Cares, 60 Great Queen Street,  
London, WC2B 5AZ**

*Can we help you?*

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).



Financial, healthcare and  
family help for you!



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# Can we help you?

Freemasonry Cares helps Freemasons and their family or dependants who have a financial, healthcare or family need, to access a range of services available to them.

Finding out whether you can obtain help via Freemasonry Cares is as easy as 1-2-3!

**1. Do you have a Masonic connection? YES**

**2. Do you have a need we can help with? YES**

**3. Contact us to discuss how we can help:**

- By phone **0800 035 60 90**
- By email **help@freemasonrycares.org**
- Via the web **www.freemasonrycares.org**

All enquiries are treated in the strictest confidence and dealt with sympathetically.

If you think you or someone you know may be able to benefit from what we offer – get in touch.

We're delighted to help if we can – and you have nothing to lose by contacting us.



## 1. Who is eligible?

Freemasonry Cares offers guidance on the help available to anyone who has both:

### A A Masonic connection

This includes:

- All current and former Freemasons under the United Grand Lodge of England
- Dependants of a Freemason, former Freemason or deceased Freemason: wives, widows, children and partners
- In some cases, non-dependant relatives who are clearly linked to a Freemason, former Freemason or a deceased Freemason: sisters, mothers

and

### B A real need

- This includes financial, healthcare or family-related support which the person concerned cannot easily meet from their own income or savings. It also covers certain other specific needs, for example moving into a care home.

## 2. What help do we offer?

### Financial:

- Household expenses and goods
- Home repairs and improvements
- Funeral costs
- Education support
- Emergency costs, arising from illness, death or redundancy

### Healthcare:

- Operations
- Dental treatment
- Mobility equipment and home adaptations
- Hospital treatment
- Medication costs
- Care advice

- Sheltered accommodation
- Nursing, residential and dementia care

### Family:

- Children's maintenance and education costs
- Care homes and sheltered accommodation
- Respite care
- Care advice
- Support for children with talent in music, sport or the performing arts
- Student accommodation
- Counselling, therapy and advice for children
- Holidays for older people

## 3. Contact us

Call us on **0800 035 60 90** email **help@freemasonrycares.org** or visit **www.freemasonrycares.org**

Eligibility for assistance will vary depending on individual circumstances.

# Tell your family!

Make sure that everyone in your family knows that obtaining help via Freemasonry Cares is as easy as 1-2-3!

Share this leaflet with your family and other dependants and encourage them to carry the key ring with them at all times. You never know when your circumstances may change. We are here to help today, tomorrow and in the future.

For you: Keep this card for future reference

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For your family: Pass this key ring on to a loved one

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