

University of Manchester - Payroll Giving Scheme Inspiration for charities you may wish to support

Signing up guidance

When signing up for the Payroll Giving Scheme you will need:

- Your NI & Staff ID number
- The name of your charity. There is a drop-down list of charities that recognises the 500 most donated to charities through CAF, however this is not the finite list of registered charities employees can donate to. You can also free-type in the box, so for any other charities it is fine to just write the name as they will be set up on CAF's system, just not in the top 500. CAF's team will then receive this request and identify the charity. If they have any questions about the address etc. they can contact you directly to check.
- Sign up via our [Payroll Giving link](#)
- Watch videos and read [messages of thanks](#) from charities being supported by staff

List of charities

Please find below a list of charities for inspiration. Please note these are not recommendations and this list is regularly updated.

Amnesty

Amnesty International is the world's leading human rights organisation, campaigning against injustice and inequality everywhere. This is one of the top ten charities being supported by staff via the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered charity number: 1051681

<https://www.amnesty.org.uk/amnesty-international-uk-charitable-trust>

Anxiety UK

Anxiety UK is a national registered charity formed in 1970, by Katharine and Harold Fisher, for those affected by anxiety, stress and anxiety based depression. Since then, we've become a nationwide organisation but we still have the same basic aims. Whether you have anxiety, stress, anxiety-based depression or a phobia that's affecting your daily life, we're here to help you. And we're fully supported by an expert team of medical advisors.

Registered charity no: 1113403

<https://www.anxietyuk.org.uk/>

Big Change Campaign - Manchester Ending Homelessness

Big Change is a central fund that supports individuals who are homeless to move away from the streets. 'Big Change' was chosen by UoM staff to receive Staff Survey donations in 2017.

Registered Charity: 1177546

<https://streetsupport.net/manchester/bigchangemcr/about/>

Booth Centre

The Booth Centre is a community centre run with and for people affected by homelessness. We provide a warm welcome, an opportunity to belong, to gain a purpose and rebuild lives. Our programme includes activities such as volunteering, creative projects and sports, as well as training and help to gain employment. We also support people to improve health and wellbeing, to access emergency accommodation, and to secure and maintain a permanent home. The Centre is run in partnership with the people who attend and they apply their skills and experience to influence strategic change.

Registered charity no. 1062674

<https://www.boothcentre.org.uk/>

Building Hope

We are a small but productive charity set up in 2005 by a UoM member of staff, after a trip to Ethiopia working as a volunteer. The charity works to raise the standard of living in a very poor area of Dessie in Ethiopia. It has built and equipped a school library, funded new houses for families of former-leprosy sufferers and supports young people through further education. It is currently providing funding to improve hygiene and sanitation in schools.

UK Registered Charity No.1110814

<https://www.facebook.com/Building-Hope-278175448869881/>

<https://wonderful.org/charity/buildinghope>

British Red Cross

The British Red Cross helps people in crisis, whoever and wherever they are. This is one of the top ten charities being supported by staff via the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered charity number: 220949

<https://www.redcross.org.uk/>

Cancer Research UK

Cancer Research UK is the world's largest cancer charity dedicated to saving lives through research. CRUK was chosen by UoM staff to receive Staff Survey donations in 2013 and is one of the most popular charities with staff using the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered charity number: 1089464

<https://www.cancerresearchuk.org/>

City of Trees

City of Trees is an innovative and exciting movement set to re-invigorate Greater Manchester's landscape by transforming unloved underused, unloved woodland and planting a tree for every man, woman and child who lives there. City of Trees was chosen by UoM staff to receive Staff Survey donations in 2017.

Charity registration number: 1072706

<http://www.cityoftrees.org.uk/>

Crohns and Colitis UK

We are the UK's leading charity for Crohn's and Colitis and we have over 50 pages of information to help inform anyone affected, including friends, family, medical professionals and even employers. Find out more about the conditions, their symptoms and treatment – and how you can get a diagnosis if you think you have Crohn's or Colitis. If you have any queries about the conditions, contact our dedicated Information Service.

Charity reg no: 1117148

<https://www.crohnsandcolitis.org.uk/>

Emmeline's Pantry

We are a foodbank run by women for women and their families in need, ensuring they are provided with the best possible support. Emmeline's Pantry helping women access the things they need most. They are based in Manchester – just off Oxford Road. A number of staff on campus at the University collect for this charity. Please download the [drop off locations](#) if you wish to donate food or toiletries.

Registered Charity Number 1169796

<https://emmelinespantry.com/>

Lifeshare

Lifeshare is a voluntary organisation established to help meet the needs of homeless and vulnerable people in Manchester and Salford.

Registered Charity No. 1042500

<https://www.lifeshare.org.uk/>

Maggie's Manchester

Maggie's offers the best possible support free to anyone with cancer and their families who walk through our doors. Get free one-to-one help and information from our professional team or join groups and activities that are right for you. Come in for a cup of tea, meet people who understand what you're going through or just take a moment to gather your thoughts. We can also support online. We are based opposite The Christie Hospital and behind the Manchester Cancer Research Centre.

Charity reg no: SC024414

<https://www.maggies.org/our-centres/maggies-manchester/>

Mind

We provide advice and support to empower anyone experiencing a mental health problem. We campaign to improve services, raise awareness and promote understanding.

Registered Charity No: 424348

<https://www.mind.org.uk/about-us/>

Mind Manchester

Manchester Mind is an independent mental health charity delivering support to 7,000 young people and adults in emotional and mental distress. We raise our own funds to ensure our local services can continue to provide advice, information and emotional support, both now and in the future.

Registered Charity: 1102058

www.manchestermind.org

Moodswings

Moodswings, an award winning Manchester based Charity. It's been our aim to help people recover from mood problems and the severe emotional distress they can cause. Moodswings was chosen by UoM staff to receive Staff Survey donations in 2017.

Registered Charity No: 1077513

<https://www.moodswings.org.uk/>

Mustard Tree

Mustard Tree helps people to change their lives, secure better accommodation and economic wellbeing. Our focus is on tackling both the causes and consequences of poverty and homelessness. Mustard Tree was chosen by UoM staff to receive Staff Survey donations in 2015.

Registered Company No. 04386613

<http://www.mustardtree.org.uk/>

NSPCC

The NSPCC is the UK's leading children's charity, preventing abuse and helping those affected to recover. This is one of the top ten charities being supported by staff via the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered charity No: 216401

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/>

Oxfam

Oxfam is a globally renowned aid and development charity with 70 years of experience, working and campaigning with partners in over 90 countries worldwide. This is one of the top ten charities being supported by staff via the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered charity No: 202918

<https://www.oxfam.org.uk/>

Proud Trust

The Proud Trust is a life-saving and life enhancing organisation that helps young people empower themselves to make a positive change for themselves and their communities. We do this through youth groups, peer support, managing the LGBT Centre for Manchester, delivering of training and events, campaigns, undertaking research and creating resources.

Registered charity no: 1161102

<https://www.theproudtrust.org/>

RSPCA

We specialise in animal rescue & furthering the welfare cause for all animals. This is one of the top ten charities being supported by staff via the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered charity no.219099

<https://www.rspca.org.uk/>

Save the Children

We stand side by side with children in the toughest places to be a child. We do whatever it takes to make sure children survive, get protection when they're in danger, and have the chance to learn. This is one of the top ten charities being supported by staff via the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered Charity No. 213890

<https://www.savethechildren.org.uk/>

Shelter

Shelter helps millions of people every year struggling with bad housing or homelessness through our advice, support and legal services. This is one of the top ten charities being supported by staff via the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Charity number: 263710

<https://www.shelter.org.uk/>

St Ann's Hospice

Our purpose is to provide excellent care and support to people living with or affected by life-limiting illnesses. We support patients from right across Greater Manchester and also have dedicated teams of community and Hospice@Home professionals caring for people in the place they call home. St Ann's Hospice was chosen by UoM staff to receive Staff Survey donations in 2015. Registered Charity Number 258085

<https://www.sah.org.uk/>

The Christie Charitable Fund

The Christie charity provides enhanced services over and above what the NHS funds. Gifts from the public make a huge difference to the care and treatment that The Christie is able to provide to our patients and their families. The Christie charity was chosen by UoM staff to receive Staff Survey donations in 2013 and 2015.

Registered number 1049751

<https://www.christie.nhs.uk/the-christie-charity>

UNICEF

Unicef is the leading organisation working for children. We ensure more of the world's children are vaccinated, educated and protected than any other organisation. We've done more to influence laws and policies to help protect children than anyone else. This is one of the top ten charities being supported by staff via the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered charity 1072612

<https://www.unicef.org.uk/>

Water Aid

We change millions of lives every year, working in 28 countries to provide clean water, decent toilets and good hygiene. Water Aid was chosen by UoM staff to receive Staff Survey donations in 2013 and is one of the most popular charities with staff using the Payroll Giving Scheme.

Registered charity number: 288701

<https://www.wateraid.org/uk/>

Wood Street Mission

We support families living on a low income in Manchester and Salford who struggle to make ends meet. We offer help with the basic things that can make a difference to everyday life. Every year University staff donate to their Easter Egg Appeal and Christmas Appeal. For more information email

muriel.shingler@manchester.ac.uk.

Registered Children's Charity Number 1078337

<https://www.woodstreetmission.org.uk/>

The University of Manchester programmes

The University depends on our dedicated supporters to fund pioneering research and life-changing scholarships. Your support means they can find answers to some of the world's biggest problems, like climate change, cancer and poverty. It also means that talented students from poor families can follow a new path to a brighter future.

<https://www.manchester.ac.uk/collaborate/give/donate/>