List of grantees 2026

September

- **Deaf Choices UK**

  Funding for: A web-based tool that translates written or spoken English into Cued Speech, making the sound structure of language visually accessible to deaf children.
  Funded £15,000

- **The HealthBus Trust**

  Funding for: Bespoke outreach features, outcome measurements and practical resources to be added to their clinical system, and to develop an open source toolkit for other charities.
  Funded £15,000

- **Middlesex Association for the Blind**

  Funding for: The move from an in-house proof of concept tool to a cloud-based service which will allow charities to convert print publications into verified accessible formats at no cost.
  Funded £5,562

May

- **Haltwhistle Film Project**

  Funding for: Increasing awareness and the effectiveness of how the quality of decision-making can be enhanced or diminished by the use of AI in creative film making.
  Funded £4,013

- **Swansea MAD**

  Funding for: One to one sessions and workshops to teach digital skills, and digital capacity training for local charities, with evaluation of the project conducted by Swansea University.
  Funded £5,000

- **Chasing the Stigma**

  Funding for: The design and pilot of a secure, scalable Open API for the Hub of Hope, enabling charities, NHS services and other not-for-profit platforms to embed live mental health support data directly into their own digital services.
  Funded £15,000

March

Excelsior Trust

Funding for: Digital skills training in 3D modelling, digital imaging and media capture of nationally significant maritime assets for up to 100 young people and volunteers in Lowestoft.
Funded £15,000

Sickle Cell Care Manchester

Funding for: A pilot and evaluation of a pain and trigger tracking tool to help those with the disease proactively manage their condition.
Funded £13,490

Bexley Deaf Centre

Funding for: Equipment to produce service and product information videos in British Sign Language for other organisations to host on their websites, so that deaf people can enjoy the same level of access as hearing people.
Funded £1,114