# International recruitment fund for the adult social care sector: application form

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Use this form for grant applications for both the 2022 to 2023 and 2023 to 2024 financial years.

This grant is for the provision of regional or sub-regional support and interventions to be set up by the lead local authority in collaboration with any of the following in the geographic area:

* other local authorities
* care alliances
* other groupings of care providers

1. Applicants must complete all sections of this form.
2. Grant applications should be submitted to [ascinternationalrecruitment@dhsc.gov.uk](mailto:ascinternationalrecruitment@dhsc.gov.uk).
3. Deadline for submission of bids accessing 2022 to 2023 funding - 24 February 2023.
4. Deadline for submission of bids accessing 2023 to 2024 funding - 17 March 2023.
5. Applicants should review the [guidance for local authorities](http://www.gov.uk/government/publications/international-recruitment-fund-for-the-adult-social-care-sector) before completing this form.

## Section 1: contact details

### Lead authority contact details

Name of local authority submitting the application

Enter your response here.

Name of the responsible officer

Enter your response here.

Job title or position in local authority

Enter your response here.

Telephone number

Enter your response here.

Address and postcode

Enter your response here.

Email address

Enter your response here.

### Local authorities covered by the partnership

List all the local authorities covered by this partnership

Enter your response here.

## Section 2: local needs

What are the main barriers to international recruitment in your local area that you are proposing to address with this grant? (250 words maximum)

Enter your response here.

## Section 3: the proposal

How will you use the funding to address the main barriers identified in section 2? (250 words maximum)

Please explain how you will build on this proposal in the second year (only applicable for applicants applying for both 2022 to 2023 and 2023 to 2024 funding).

Enter your response here.

Is your region already acting collaboratively to boost international recruitment within the adult social care sector? (delete as applicable)

Yes

No

If you answered yes, how will these proposals support what you are already doing in your region? (250 words maximum)

Enter your response here.

How do you plan to strengthen ethical practices in international recruitment and the employment of staff working in adult social care? (250 words maximum)

Enter your response here.

Please summarise any existing collaborative action in your area that supports international recruitment. (250 words maximum)

Enter your response here.

## Section 4: evaluation

How will you assess the impact of these proposals to overcome the main barriers to international recruitment?

Enter your response here.

## Section 5: criteria

How has the partnership involved care alliances or other groupings of adult social care providers in the area in developing this proposal? (250 words maximum)

Enter your response here.

How will you involve adult social care providers in developing and implementing the planned actions in your proposal? (250 words maximum)

Enter your response here.

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