



Road Miles Grant

helps cover the cost of travelling to and from hospital for treatment.



Who can apply for a Road Miles grant?

Families of a child/young person or young adult aged 0-24 receiving treatment for a cancer diagnosis (chemotherapy/radiotherapy/in patient as a result of surgery or transplant).

How do I apply for a Road Miles grant?

You must complete a Road Miles grant application form which can be obtained from your Cancer Fund for Children Specialist.

How is the grant paid?

The Road Miles grant is paid into the nominated bank account by the Finance Department, based in Cancer Fund for Children's Head Office.

What if I don't have a bank account?

A cheque can be issued to a third party and lodged into their account or a BACS payment can be issued with written consent from the person submitting the grant application.

Are Cancer Fund for Children's grants means-tested?

None of the grants offered by Cancer Fund for Children are means-tested.

Can grants be backdated?

Unfortunately grants can not be backdated.

How much can I apply for?

You can apply for Road Miles once every 12 weeks from your home address to the main treatment Hospital at 15 pence per mile. You can apply for this grant for up to two years or when treatment finishes, whichever comes first.

How are applications validated?

Cancer Fund for Children's Specialists will approve applications. In all cases signatures and dates are required.

How will I be notified that my grant has been paid?

You will receive a grant gift card on the day the money is paid into the nominated bank account.

What are Cancer Fund for Children's financial safeguards around personal banking details?

Once approved by the Director of Services and Services Manager the completed grant application forms are sent to the Finance Department. These copies are stored securely in the Finance Department for audit purposes and in compliance with the Data Protection Act 1998. Cancer Fund for Children's, Internet banking system operates within stringent procedures and safeguards.