

## Welsh Government ICF Respite Grant

### Guidance Notes when making a referral

**Due to the Pandemic and the current restrictions regarding travel, we will be purchasing vouchers for the short break enabling the Carer to book specific dates when restrictions are lifted.**

#### **Carers can apply for Grants up to £500 to enable them to take a break from their Caring role**

- The grant can include the cost of the person in receipt of care and/or a family member, partner, or friend, to accompany the carer on the break.
- The break can be taken anywhere in the UK if the company

#### **The Grant is intended to support Adult Carers who:**

- Live in Carmarthenshire
- Care for an individual who is aged 26 years and over

#### **Anonymous case studies:**

We are keen to hear stories of how the Grant has benefited carers. We therefore request case studies to show how the Grant has impacted on their Caring role. All information, feedback and case studies used will be as anonymous as possible without losing the essence of the story. All real names are removed from case studies and are only used where permission has been granted. We respect that some people may not be comfortable with the idea of their caring situation being used for a case study and would ask that they are clear about communicating this wish by ticking the box provided stating that they do NOT wish their story to be used for this

**1. Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February and Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2021**

**2. Monday 1<sup>st</sup> March and Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2021**



**There will be two opportunities to apply for the Grant which will be open to applications between the following dates:**