

TFN Impact Report

Name of your Organisation:	The OLLIE Foundation
Name of the project TFN funded:	Removing the stigma of the topic of suicide
Date Funded by TFN:	2 nd September 2016
Were you able to undertake your project as planned?	Yes
Can you describe and/or demonstrate the specific impact that TFN funding has had against your initial objectives?	<p>Removing the stigma of the topic of suicide and increasing awareness of the ways to seek help for those people thinking this is the only option. Improving accessibility of help to vulnerable young people within their community and working within communities to promote good mental health among young people.</p> <p>As a result of the TFN fund, OLLIE has delivered ASIST and safeTALK sessions to professionals working with young people, and young people directly to enable peer to peer help. The fund has covered the cost of 1 ASIST course and contributed towards 2 other safeTALK courses.</p>
What portion of the project did TFN fund?	100% ASIST, 50% safeTALK
How many direct beneficiaries did the TFN funded project reach?	76
How many indirect beneficiaries did the TFN funded project reach?	hundreds
Were you able to leverage further funding as a result of TFN support?	Yes
If yes, how much were you able to raise?	On going applications to other organisations, press coverage enabled further fundraising in the local area and brought awareness and support to the charity, increased corporate support.
Did you receive any pro-bono support, volunteer offers or introductions as a result of the event?	Yes
If yes, please can you provide details of the support you received?	Volunteer helpers for fundraising events, support for website and marketing development, increased volunteers to work with peer to peer support groups in the area, increased exposure through Radio Verulum.
How important was TFN funding in helping you achieve your objectives?	We would have found it difficult to achieve our objectives without TFN funding.
Since presenting at TFN, has your	Increased trustees and variety of skills on board of trustees, increased

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organisation undergone any other significant changes?	events and training availability, looking to appoint part time administrator to assist with the day to day running of the charity.
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