


## Oldham Community Advice Network (OCAN) Online Referral System Directory

Compiled in October 2021, this directory is an interim reference guide of organisations registered on the new OCAN online referral system. A directory website will be launched in due course.

Organisation	Service Offer	Criteria	Face to Face	Phone / Email	Website / Social Media
<p><b>The Ancora Project</b></p> 	<p>Broad range of help and information about benefits, housing, debt, money, social care and support, food &amp; fuel poverty, No Recourse to Public Funds.</p> <p>Money Management &amp; Life Skills Courses</p>	Open to all adults.	Yes – if required and by arrangement.	<p>☎ 0161 6695868</p> <p>✉ <a href="mailto:Ancora@keyring.org">Ancora@keyring.org</a></p>	<p>🌐 <a href="https://www.keyring.org/ancora">https://www.keyring.org/ancora</a></p> <p>Facebook: The Ancora Project – Oldham</p>
<p><b>Christians Against Poverty (Oldham and Saddleworth)</b></p>	Free help with unmanageable debt.	Open to anyone.	Yes- if required and by arrangement.	<p>☎ 0800 328 0006</p> <p>(Central national booking line)</p>	<p>🌐 <a href="https://capuk.org/i-want-help">https://capuk.org/i-want-help</a></p> <p>🌐 <a href="http://capdebthelp.org">capdebthelp.org</a></p>

<p><b>Citizens Advice – Oldham</b></p> 	<p>Free, independent and impartial accredited advice on a range of issues, inc:          -Debt inc council tax arrears.          -Benefits inc some casework.          -Challenging a benefits decision.          -Energy Advice.          -Benefit Checks          -Employment          -Relationships and Family.</p>	<p>Anyone</p>	<p>We are working on this and hope to be holding face to face advice sessions in the community shortly.</p>	<p>☎ Adviceline: 0808 278 7803</p>	<p>🌐 <a href="https://www.casort.org/">https://www.casort.org/</a></p>
<p><b>Support &amp; Action Women’s Network</b></p> 	<p>Range of support and information provided to women and also run a furniture bank.</p>	<p>Open to Black African women</p>	<p>Yes – if required and by arrangement.</p>	<p>☎ 07960501088          📧 <a href="mailto:sawn.org@gmail.com">sawn.org@gmail.com</a></p>	<p>🌐 <a href="https://sawn.org.uk/services/">https://sawn.org.uk/services/</a></p>

<p><b>Oasis Hub Oldham</b></p>  	<p><b>Hubs in Hollinwood and Leesbrook:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Advice and guidance</li> <li>-Debt support</li> <li>-Emergency food provision</li> <li>-Employment support</li> <li>-NEET support</li> <li>-Holiday activities</li> <li>-Social activities including cooking and gardening</li> </ul> <p>Navigator – youth intervention for victims or perpetrators of violence</p>	<p>Open to everyone</p>		<p>☎ 0778 611 0914</p> <p>✉ <a href="mailto:adele.stanton@oasisuk.org">adele.stanton@oasisuk.org</a></p> <p>☎ 07765782736</p> <p>✉ <a href="mailto:hannah.barton@oasisuk.org">hannah.barton@oasisuk.org</a></p>	<p>🌐 <a href="http://www.oasishuboldham.org">www.oasishuboldham.org</a></p>
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