

# Need advice about Benefits and **Universal Credit?**

Key services in Leeds offering free, impartial & confidential support for Universal Credit (UC) and other benefits.

# Help for NEW claims for UC Citizens Advice

- **8** 0800 144 8 444
- citizensadviceleeds. org.uk/universal-credit

## Advice and support for UC and other benefits

## Welfare Rights Unit

- **3** 0113 376 0452
- ➤ Welfare.Rights@leeds.gov.uk
- www.leeds.gov.uk/benefits/ welfare-rights

# Age UK Leeds

- **3** 0113 389 3000
- **6** 0113 389 3004
- info@ageukleeds.org.uk

  info@ageukleeds.org.uk
- www.ageuk.org.uk/leeds

## **Better Leeds Communities**

- **3** 0113 275 4142
- info@betterleeds.org.uk

  info@betterleeds.org.uk
- betterleeds.org.uk

#### Citizens Advice Leeds

- **3** 0808 278 7878
- citizensadviceleeds.org.uk/ benefits-2

#### **Chapeltown Citizens Advice**

- **3** 0808 278 7878
- www.citizensadvice.org.uk/local/ chapeltown/contact-us/

#### Scope

- **8** 0800 800 3333
- ☐ Textphone: Dial 18001 then 0808 800 3333
- ► helpline@scope.org.uk
- www.scope.org.uk/advice-andsupport









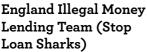
#### **Useful Contacts**

#### **DWP Universal Credit**

**3** 0800 328 5644

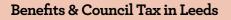
#### JobCentre Enquiry Line

**3** 0800 169 0190



If you are worried that you, or someone you know has borrowed from a loan shark, help is available

- **3** 0300 555 2222
- ☐ Textphone: 07860 022116
- ▼ reportaloanshark@
  stoploansharks.gov.uk



#### Council Tax

- **8** 0113 222 4404
- www.leeds.gov.uk/council-tax/ discounts-and-exemptions/ council-tax-support







#### Free School Meals

www.leeds.gov.uk/schoolsand-education/apply-for-freeschool-meals

For help or advice about housing benefit, council tax support, free school meals and other support you can also call or visit Leeds Community Hubs.

- **3** 0113 222 4444
- www.leeds.gov.uk/ community-hubs

## If you need urgent help

If you are experiencing an emergency or crisis and meet the eligibility criteria, you can apply for support with food, energy

and essential household items through the Local Welfare Support Scheme.

- **6** 0800 953 2303 (Freephone)
- www.leeds.gov.uk/ benefits/local-welfaresupport-scheme



For details of all organisations and services in Leeds offering free, impartial and confidential help with money problems, please visit www.leedsmic.org.uk