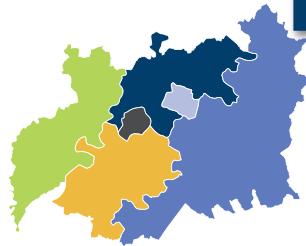


# 10 things you should know about the VCSE in Gloucestershire

1 There are over 5500 VCSE organisations in Gloucestershire.



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2 Almost 7000 people are employed by registered charities, with over 14000 volunteers.



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The most common areas of support are for older people, rural areas and health.



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Registered charities, excluding educational institutions, had an income of £464,662,775 in 2018-19.

5 33.6% of organisations have a turnover of £25,000 or less.



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6 87% of organisations receive grant funding which remains the lifeblood of the sector.



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50% of VCSE organisations deliver on public sector contracts.



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73% of organisations surveyed were concerned about their long-term future.

9 Problems in recruiting volunteers poses an ongoing risk to the viability of small organisations.



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10 Over 52% of VCSE organisations thought that recruiting Trustees was an ongoing problem.



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