

## Grant Timeline

# How long does it take?

1 Week

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This time scale is dependant on client

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**Instructions given to NFL to act in connection with an application for a grant (only)**  
Initial instructions – face to face meeting OR e mail.

2

NFL will confirm your instructions and provide Terms of Engagement – we will confirm our charges.

3

Client provides instructions to proceed.

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NFL will ascertain the value of the deceased's estate in order to prepare the application for the Grant. Values of the deceased's assets, liabilities, funeral expenses and lifetime gifts will be declared on the application for the Grant which is submitted to HMCTS.

We aim to obtain the Grant within 6 months of being instructed.

The Probate Registry are currently taking up to 16 weeks to issue Grants.

Up to 6 months  
Up to 16 weeks

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Grant issued. NFL will submit bill for settling and when in receipt of cleared funds will provide client with sealed copies of the Grant.

1 to 2 Weeks