

ST GEMMA'S HOSPICE
MAKE A **WILL**
M O N T H
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2019

Becoming grandparents?

Getting married?

Having a baby?

Moving house?

Have your Will
written in exchange
for a donation to
St Gemma's
Hospice

Call 0113 218 5506

www.st-gemma.co.uk/makeawillmonth



October is Make a Will Month

St Gemma's Make a Will Month takes place every year in October, giving you the opportunity to have your Will written by a local solicitor in Leeds, in exchange for a donation towards patient care at St Gemma's Hospice.*

Why Make a Will?

We spend our lives working to provide for ourselves and our loved ones. As life changes around you, it is a good time to consider making your Will. A Will is the only way to make sure your money, property, possessions and investments (known as your estate) go to the people and causes that you care about.

Only 3 out of 10
people in the UK
currently make a Will...

Putting your affairs in order
now can make life much easier
for your loved ones later.



*Please note this is not a free Wills scheme, a donation must be made in return for your Will.



Moving house?



Getting married?

To take part in St Gemma's Make a Will Month...

Step 1



Choose a solicitor from the list in this leaflet and contact them to arrange an appointment to take place in October.

As appointments are limited, we would advise you to contact them as soon as possible to reserve your slot.

Step 2



Have your Will written by the participating solicitor of your choice.

The offer applies to standard Wills, mirror Wills and codicils only. If your Will is not standard, your solicitor will advise you and agree a fee with you before continuing the process.

Step 3



Relax, safe in the knowledge that you have put your affairs in order for you and your family.

Every donation will help us to support patients and families through their difficult journey, providing peace, comfort and dignity at the end of life.



Having a baby?



Becoming grandparents?

You WILL make a DIFFERENCE

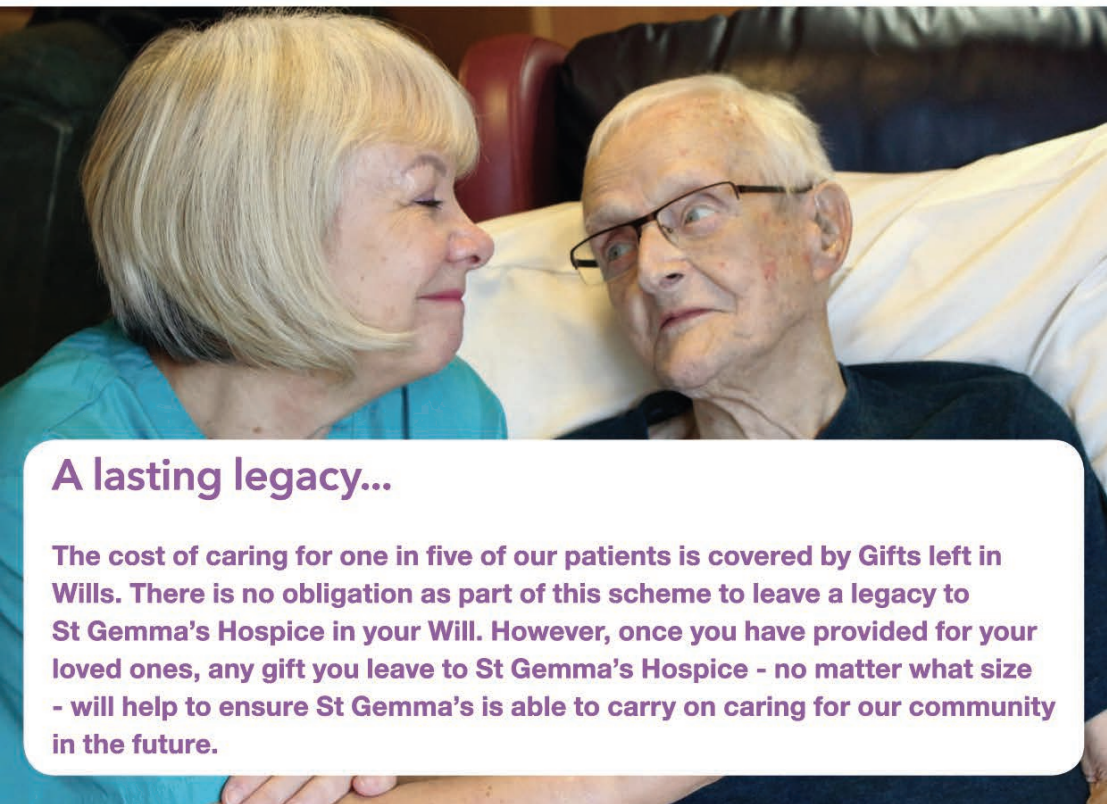
By making a donation to St Gemma's Hospice in return for having your Will written, you WILL make a big difference. Your donation will provide important care, comfort and support, helping patients and families to make the most of the precious time they have left.

A standard Will costs around £150.00 before VAT. St Gemma's needs to raise over £26,000 every day so that we can provide support to local people living with the effects of incurable illness, so your donation really matters.

Single Will

Joint Will

The suggested minimum donations for the St Gemma's Make a Will month are...



A lasting legacy...

The cost of caring for one in five of our patients is covered by Gifts left in Wills. There is no obligation as part of this scheme to leave a legacy to St Gemma's Hospice in your Will. However, once you have provided for your loved ones, any gift you leave to St Gemma's Hospice - no matter what size - will help to ensure St Gemma's is able to carry on caring for our community in the future.

Entitlement Voucher

Thank you for making every day count for patients and families.

Please complete this voucher and place it with your donation into the envelope which your solicitor will provide.

Title: Forename:

Surname:

Address:

..... Postcode:

Telephone: Email:

Please tick if you are happy receive updates & occasional marketing via email

Where did you hear about Make a Will Month?

Which solicitors did you use?

Donation amount: £100 £150 Other £.....

Have you left a Gift in your Will to St Gemma's Hospice?

(You are not obliged to tell us, but letting us know gives us the opportunity to say thank you)

Yes No Prefer not to say

Would you like more information on leaving a Gift to St Gemma's Hospice?

(Tick to receive pack)

Method of Payment *(please tick as appropriate)*

I would like to make my donation by:

Cheque or postal order (payable to 'St Gemma's Hospice')

Cash

Credit/Debit Card *(please complete card details below)*

Name on card:

Card Number:/...../...../.....

Valid from: / Expiry date: /

Issue No: Security no. (3 digits on the back of your card):

Signed: Date:

We take your data seriously. To update your information or change how we contact you, call 0113 218 5555, email supportercare@st-gemma.co.uk or visit www.st-gemma.co.uk/privacy.

Glossary of Terms

Here are a few terms you may find useful to understand before making your Will

Beneficiary - A Person who benefits from a gift in your Will

Bequest/Legacy - A gift in your Will

Codicil - A 'supplement' making a change or addition to your existing Will

Estate - Total sum of all your possessions, property and money

Executor/Executrix - A person you ask to make sure the wishes expressed in your Will are carried out. Executors can also be beneficiaries

Inheritance Tax - The tax levied on your estate if it is more than an amount specified by HM Revenue and Customs. A gift to charity is exempt from inheritance tax

Mirror Will - Two identical Wills written for husband and wife

Pecuniary Legacy - A gift of a specified sum of money

Residuary Legacy - A gift of what is left of your estate (or part of) after all debts, taxes, costs and other bequests. It can be a percentage, fraction or part of an estate

Reversionary Legacy - A gift of a Will that reverts to another beneficiary (such as a wife, husband or child) when the original beneficiary dies

Specific Legacy - A gift of a particular item in your Will e.g. a painting, antique, jewellery, etc

Witness - A person present at the signing/authorising of your Will. A witness cannot be a beneficiary



For further information please call 0113 218 5500
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Or find us on:

