

Weston Health General Charitable Fund (107589)

Alternatively, if you'd like to speak to someone,  
you can contact the Fundraising department on:

01934 636363 and ask for extension 5421 or

email: [wnt-tr.fundraising@nhs.net](mailto:wnt-tr.fundraising@nhs.net)

Cheques should be made payable to:

**'Weston Area Health NHS Trust charitable funds'**

and can be handed in to the General Office at the hospital or  
posted to:

Communications and Fundraising Department, First floor  
Dormers, Weston General Hospital, Grange Road,  
Weston-super-Mare, BS23 4TQ

Thank you!



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or

Donating in memory

## Leaving a gift in your Will

Leaving us a gift in your Will gives you a chance to make a lasting difference.

Legacy gifts provide the extra funding we need to update our facilities, buy the latest life-saving equipment and develop new services for patients.

If you are considering leaving us a gift in your will, thank you. You don't have to leave us a fortune and you don't need to choose between the hospital and your family. Anything you do leave will be used right here in Weston General Hospital, helping us to deliver the best possible care for generations to come.

The money we receive will be used wherever the need is greatest, such as improvements to our cancer services, buying life-saving equipment or building new patient facilities. Currently, we have a Scanner Appeal to raise money for refurbishing our X-ray department and purchasing cutting edge digital scanning equipment so you can choose for your money to go towards this.

A gift in your will enables you to make a planned gift to a charity that you care about.

Charitable legacies are paid before tax is deducted, therefore reducing the amount of tax that has to be paid when your estate is being distributed. A gift in your Will can take the form of:

- A residuary gift – this is the remainder of your estate once your family have been provided for.
- A pecuniary gift - this is a specific sum of money pledged to charity.
- A specific gift - this can be property, stocks and shares or other valuables such as a piece of jewellery.

## Leaving donations in memory of a loved one

When a loved one passes away, many people nowadays choose to ask people to donate money to a charity instead of buying flowers. This can be arranged through the funeral directors. Alternatively, donations can be sent directly to us at the hospital. See the back page for easy ways to donate.

You could also set up a web page such as [www.justgiving.com](http://www.justgiving.com) where friends and family can leave tributes as well as donations.

