

# St Elizabeth Hospice

Help ensure the future  
care of others by leaving a  
**gift in your Will**



IPSWICH St Elizabeth  
Hospice

Registered Charity No. 289154

**Leaving a gift to St Elizabeth Hospice in your Will is a great way to ensure that we can continue to make a difference not only now, but in the future. It is with the help of gifts in Wills (sometimes known as legacies) that we will be able to continue to develop our services and help even more patients and their families and friends.**

For some people, leaving a legacy is a good way of remembering someone special. You could specify that a St Elizabeth Tribute Fund is established in memory of your loved one. This could be used to continue to raise money far into the future and ensure their memory lives on.

Making a Will is the first step if you are considering leaving a gift to the Hospice. If you already have a Will you can speak to your solicitor about amending it.

Gifts in Wills to St Elizabeth Hospice are free from Inheritance Tax as we are a registered charity.



# 6 ways you can help St Elizabeth Hospice in your Will

## 1) Residuary legacy

A gift of the remainder of your estate after all debts and other gifts have been made. The gift may be for the whole or a part or percentage of your estate.

## 2) Pecuniary legacy

A gift of a fixed sum of money.

## 3) Specific legacy

A gift of a particular item, for example land or shares.

## 4) Conditional legacy

A gift that carries a condition; If you are considering this please be aware that the projects and work of the Hospice varies considerably over time and so we may not be able to fulfil your condition. It is often more helpful for your gift to be unconditional.

## 5) Gift in trust

A gift managed and looked after for a specific period of time by trustees who have been appointed by the Executors of your Will, for example until the intended beneficiary reaches a certain age.

## 6) Codicil

An additional gift in your existing Will.

Please consult your solicitor for advice on the most appropriate way for you to leave a gift to the Hospice in your Will.

“**The Hospice provided such wonderful care for my husband and me. You enabled us to spend precious time together in a friendly and homely atmosphere. By leaving a gift in my Will to St Elizabeth Hospice, I know that other people will be able to receive the same level of care and support which makes a real difference.**” Janice

## Other ways to help

There are many simple ways that you can raise funds to support our work. Every penny counts and helps us to continue to provide our services to patients and their families free of charge.

- **Take part in one of our events**
- **Organise your own fundraising event**
- **Play our lottery**
- **Visit our shops**
- **Volunteer your time**
- **Fundraise at work**
- **Set up a St Elizabeth Tribute Fund in memory of a loved one**

St Elizabeth Hospice cares for patients in East Suffolk who have a life-limiting illness for whom the focus of care is quality of life. Our aim is to meet all of our patients' physical, emotional, social and spiritual needs whilst giving support and help to family, friends and carers.

Our services include an in-patient unit, day care services, out-patient clinics, a Hospice at Home service, family support team, physiotherapy, occupational therapy and complementary therapies such as massage, reiki and aromatherapy.

St Elizabeth Hospice is an independent charity and all of the wide ranging services are provided free of charge to patients, families and carers. It costs £10 per minute to run St Elizabeth Hospice, with annual running costs of £5.2 million.

To find out more, please visit our website **[www.stelizabethhospice.org.uk](http://www.stelizabethhospice.org.uk)**, call the fundraising team on **01473 723600** or email **[fundraising@stelizabethhospice.org.uk](mailto:fundraising@stelizabethhospice.org.uk)**

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