

Codicil Form

To make a legacy to: East Kent Hospitals Charity
Trust Offices
Kent and Canterbury Hospital
Ethelbert Road
Canterbury CT1 3NG
Registered Charity Number: 1076555

I (Full Name): _____

of address: _____

declare this to be a Codicil to my last Will which is dated
the (day) of (month), (year). *(Date of Will)*

I give to East Kent Hospitals Charity (Registered Number 1076555)

*the sum of £ _____

*or _____ % of my Gross Estate

*and/or items as identified herewith: _____

and I declare that the receipt of the Treasurer for the time being shall be
sufficient discharge to my/the Executors. In all other respects I confirm
my Will and any previous Codicils.

Signed by me this (day) of (month), (year).
(Today's Date)

Signed by the *Testator/Testatrix as Codicil to *his/her
Will in our presence:

(Your Signature, as Testator/Testatrix)

and then by us in *his/her presence:

Witness 1

Signature of first witness

Name _____

Address _____

Witness 2

Signature of second witness

Name _____

Address _____

(*delete as appropriate)

NB: Testator/ Testatrix and both witnesses must be present together when
signing this Codicil)

Please PLACE this form with your Will

Do NOT staple or clip it to your Will



East Kent Hospitals Charity

Thank you for your support

East Kent Hospitals Charity
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East Kent Hospitals Charity is a registered charity that manages
charitable money given to East Kent Hospitals University NHS
Foundation Trust. These gifts allow East Kent Hospitals Charity to
provide extra patient facilities and equipment at your hospitals.



East Kent Hospitals Charity

Leaving your Legacy

Celebrate your
life with a gift
to your local
hospital

This leaflet
provides
information on
how to make a
legacy donation in
your Will to East
Kent Hospitals
Charity.

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Legacies can make a lasting difference.

East Kent Hospitals Charity aims to support and help East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust provide the best possible healthcare.

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The NHS funds the core services which the Trust uses to provide patient focussed and sustainable health services. However we rely on donations from our community to provide additional services, equipment, facilities and to make extra improvements across all our hospitals and promote research into new treatments.

You can make a difference

You may wish your gift to be used across the Trust, enabling funds to be spent in the area where they are most needed. Alternatively you may choose to support a particular hospital or department.

Giving to charity is a rewarding experience but for many living on a fixed income, retired or with growing families, giving in their lifetime can be difficult.

Donating through a legacy is an attractive alternative, enabling you to leave a gift from your estate after your death. In addition, as gifts to charity are exempt from inheritance tax, it is also a very tax efficient way of giving.

Leaving a legacy is easy to do.

In order to leave a legacy you will need to write a Will which can be arranged by contacting a bank or solicitor.

There are different types of legacies.

A Pecuniary Legacy is for a specific sum of money.

A Residuary Legacy (or Bequest) - after your specific requests have been made and debts, tax and costs paid, there may be something left over. This is called the residue and you could consider leaving this to East Kent Hospitals Charity.

Alternatively you may wish to leave a **Specific Gift** - an item of value which could be sold to benefit the charity. It could be property, shares or items such as antiques.

If you already have a Will you can just complete the attached Codicil and place it with the original version of your Will (do not staple it or clip it to your Will, as any marks may delay Probate). You will not need to prepare a new Will, but it is worthwhile advising your next of kin of your decision.

If you wish, please tell us why you have decided to remember East Kent Hospitals Charity in your Will. We would love to hear your story.

We will recognise every donation however large or small. The contribution to your hospitals will be remembered for many years to come. You can be assured that your legacy will go directly to improving people's lives.



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**Thank you for supporting East Kent Hospitals
Charity by making a legacy in your Will.**