



MND
Scotland
Making time count

Tomorrow starts here

Gifts in Wills Guide

Company number: SC217735

Charity number: SC002662



We can't thank you enough

From all of us at MND Scotland, thank you for considering leaving a gift in your Will.

At MND Scotland, we are incredibly grateful to those who support our work through a gift in their Will. Legacy gifts are a cornerstone of our work. They enable us to offer our care and support services and fund groundbreaking research to find a cure for motor neuron disease (MND).

By including a gift in your Will, you have the power to make an extraordinary impact. Every gift, big or small, helps **make time count** for people living with MND and their families when they need us most.

Your compassion and commitment can help create a future where no one faces MND alone, and where hope continues to grow every day.

Together, we can move closer to a world free from MND, a future shaped by your kindness.



We support



We campaign



We research



We inspire



We champion

You can find out more on our website:
www.mndscotland.org.uk



“MND robbed my dad of his two favourite things to do – walking and talking. He took his very last breath on 27 Sept 2014 aged 78. It’s such a horrible, painful illness.

Thankfully my Dad did not suffer long. He was joking and laughing with us right to the end. He is still sorely missed.

We desperately want a cure for this terrible illness which is why we decided to include MND Scotland in our Will.” – Yvonne & Andrew

Impact Overview

At MND Scotland, 31% of our annual income comes from generous gifts in Wills, playing a crucial role in sustaining our work. We are committed to being fully transparent about how every pound is spent, ensuring your legacy makes the greatest possible difference.

A gift in your will helps us:

Support individuals and families affected by a motor neuron disease (MND) diagnosis through essential care, equipment, and emotional support.

Fund groundbreaking research aimed at finding treatments and ultimately a cure for MND.

Campaign for better care and policies, giving a stronger voice to those affected by MND across Scotland.

This chart illustrates how the funds raised by MND Scotland are distributed across our key areas.



49% Care and Information

39% Research

13% Raising Other Funds

Tomorrow starts today

If you would like to help us, make time count for generations to come, a gift in your Will is an incredible way you can support MND Scotland.

We're here to support you every step of the way. MND Scotland has partnered with the National Free Wills Network to make writing your Will simple, free, and accessible. When you use the [National Free Wills Network](#), there's no obligation to leave a gift to MND Scotland. However, if you do choose to include us, we would be incredibly grateful.



Remembering MND Scotland

Write or Update Your Will

You'll need a valid, up-to-date Will. If you don't already have one, we recommend using a qualified solicitor or a service like the National [Free Wills Network](#), which we partner with to offer a free Will-writing service.

Decide on Your Gift

Think about the type of gift you'd like to leave. This could be a specific amount, a percentage of your estate, or what remains after your loved ones are taken care of.

Choose MND Scotland

To ensure your gift reaches us, your Will should include our full details:

MND Scotland
Scottish Charity Number: SC002662

Registered Address:
6th Floor,
Merchant Exchange,
20 Bell Street,
Glasgow,
G1 1LG

Speak to Your Solicitor

Share your wishes with your solicitor, who can include the correct legal wording in your Will.



Types of Legacy Gifts

A Residuary Gift

This is a percentage of your estate after all other gifts and expenses have been paid. Even a small percentage can make a significant difference.

Sample wording:

"I give [all or a share of] the residue of my estate to MND Scotland (Scottish Charity Number SC002662), of 6th Floor, Merchant Exchange, 20 Bell Street, Glasgow, G1 1LG, for its general charitable purposes."

A Pecuniary Gift

This is a fixed sum of money.

Sample wording:


"I give the sum of £[amount] to MND Scotland (Scottish Charity Number SC002662), of 6th Floor, Merchant Exchange, 20 Bell Street, Glasgow, G1 1LG, for its general charitable purposes."

A Specific Gift

This is a specific item, such as property, shares, or other assets.

Sample wording:

"I give my [specific item] to MND Scotland (Scottish Charity Number SC002662), of 6th Floor, Merchant Exchange, 20 Bell Street, Glasgow, G1 1LG, for its general charitable purposes."





It's Your Decision

Including a gift in your Will is entirely your choice, and there's no obligation. Your loved ones always come first, and we're grateful for any support you can offer.

You Can Update Your Will

If you already have a Will, you don't need to rewrite it entirely. Your solicitor can add a simple amendment called a codicil to include a gift to MND Scotland.

It Makes a Big Difference

Gifts of all sizes combine to help us provide vital services and fund life-saving research.

Keep in Touch

Whether you've already made a pledge or are still considering your plans, we'd love to hear from you. Letting us know where you are in the process allows us to better plan for the future of our support services and research. You can do so by emailing us at fundraising@mndscotland.org.uk

Come and See Us

We hold special Legacy Events where you can learn more about our work, meet the team, and see the difference your support could make. More information about our upcoming events can be found on our website and social media accounts.



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