

Notice of your intention

The nature of Will-making is such that most often the donation PMRGCAuk receives is an unexpected wind-fall. However, the knowledge that someone felt moved to remember PMRGCAuk and its work after their death is especially gratifying and we would welcome the opportunity to show our appreciation of your gift during your lifetime.

This has no binding legal consequences, does not limit your freedom to change your Will in the future, and will be treated in the strictest confidence.

- Name
- Address
- Postcode
- Telephone No
- Date

I am making a Pecuniary/Residuary/Specific legacy to PMRGCAuk in my Will (please delete as applicable).

If you wish, you may give an indication of the approximate estimated value of your legacy, although this is by no means expected.

Please post this information, marked confidential, to

Legacies, BM PMRGCAuk, London, WC1N 3XX. The letter will be treated in the strictest confidence and kept in a secure place by the Treasurer. Thank you!

How will my legacy make a difference?

At PMRGCAuk we aim to ensure that as much as possible of our income, which largely comes from people who suffer, or have suffered with these debilitating illnesses, is used to make real improvements and help people manage their condition better. We operate a free helpline system, provide information packs to newly-diagnosed patients, and send out a regular newsletter to our members and supporters. If you haven't already become a member, please contact us about it.



We have a growing network of support groups around the country, and our aim is that everyone with PMR or GCA should be able to access information and support as and when they need it.

These are very under-researched diseases, and we also work in partnership with clinicians and scientists, to increase knowledge and widen the range of diagnostic and treatment options. To find out more, please visit www.pmr.gcauk.com

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POLYMYALGIA RHEUMATICA & GIANT CELL ARTERITIS UK



PMRGCAuk

Making a legacy to help others with Polymyalgia Rheumatica and Giant Cell Arteritis

Information and advice



Leaving a Legacy to benefit people who contract PMR and GCA

“Your pledge, no matter what size, will help PMRGCAuk plan ahead for research and support.”

Lord Butler of Brockwell Patron, PMRGCAuk

PMRGCAuk is held in high esteem by those who come in contact with us. There is a real danger that the work we do is taken for granted; that people believe we will always be there. However, we are run by volunteers and we need financial support to grow. We never ask for payment to access our services and only request a very small membership fee. Our support of course is not free to deliver and we are determined to improve patient outcomes in the future.

We raise funds in all manner of ways in order to deliver our aims. Of these, the legacy – money left to PMRGCAuk in a Will – is the one which produces the warmest sense of something shared by

the giver and the receiver: that sense of caring so much about others during your lifetime that is carried over; offering a chance for improvement in quality of life for others to live with less pain.

Our charity was founded with a very generous legacy and we would not have been able to set up the helpline, website and support without that funding.

How you can help us

By including PMRGCAuk among the beneficiaries mentioned in your Will, you can play a direct part in helping to ensure our long-term success.

Types of Legacy

Pecuniary Legacy

This is a fixed sum of money. The limitation of this type of gift is that its value decreases with subsequent rises in inflation.

Residuary Legacy

This can be a bequest of the remainder, or a proportion of the remainder, of your estate after other legacies, Inheritance Tax, debts and expenses have been paid.

Specific Legacy

You can also bequeath specific personal assets such as property, stocks and shares, art and antiques etc.

Contact Us

BM PMRGCAuk
London, WC1N 3XX

0300 999 5090

Suggested wording to take to your solicitor:

Pecuniary Legacies

I give the sum of ...£x... to the charity known as PMRGCAuk (charity no. 1128723) absolutely for its general purposes and I direct that the receipt of the treasurer or other proper officer shall be a full and sufficient discharge to my executors.

Residuary Legacies

I give the residue (or x percent of the residue) of my estate to the charity known as PMRGCAuk (charity no. 1128723) absolutely and for its general purposes and I direct that the receipt of the treasurer or other proper officer shall be a full and sufficient discharge to my executors.

Specific Legacies

I give my ... (full description of item/ items and its/their location) to the charity known as PMRGCAuk (charity no. 1128723) absolutely and for its general purposes and I direct that the receipt of the treasurer or other proper officer shall

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