

Yes, I would like more information about how I can help support quality healthcare at the Hanover and District Hospital by joining the HDH Foundation's Planned Giving Program.

I would like specific information about:

- Bequests through a Will
- In Memoriam Gifts
- Special Occasion Gifts
- Gifts of Marketable Securities
- Trusts
- Gifts of Life Insurance
- Volunteering with the Foundation
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- I am please to let you know that I already made arrangements for the HDH Foundation in my Will.

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Registered Charity # 12678 1442 RR0001

## What Legacy will you Leave?



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FOUNDATION

## The Foundation

The Hanover and District Hospital Foundation was incorporated in 1989, Registered Charity # 12678 1442 RR0001. The HDH Foundation is dedicated to helping meet the current and future requirements of equipment needs, healthcare education, and patient care at the Hanover and District Hospital. Due to limited government funding, it is necessary to raise funds locally to meet the healthcare needs of the community and area now and in the future.

## How Will My Gift Be Used?

You can choose to benefit any area of the hospital with your gift.

- ◆ The Money can be given to the General fund to be allocated according to the greatest need at the time of the gift, or the money can be designated to a specific project.
- ◆ Most commonly, planned gifts are held as a permanent Endowment Fund. The purpose of this fund is to accumulate the principal so that the interest earned is spent only for needed capital equipment, renovations, and education that will assist in providing quality healthcare to all patients.



Your Hospital  
Your Gift  
Your Legacy

## Planned Giving

We are indebted to our donors who have the foresight and vision to make a gift for a healthy future. Planned Giving is a very effective way to help others, all while providing a wise investment for your future, and for the future of your community. Your gift to the Hanover and District Hospital Foundation will help to improve local healthcare, providing immediate and long term benefits to you, your family, and to your neighbours.

A gift to the Hanover and District Hospital Foundation is a gift that you can see with real improvements in care and technology happening daily.

Your gift will also help to reduce tax strain on your loved ones after have passed.

## Donor Recognition

We are filled with gratitude from any gift made to the Foundation and are pleased to recognize you in any way that you see fit from recognition on our Endowment Wall to a donor's wish for anonymity. Other options for recognition include acknowledgement on our website, in the local paper, and in our newsletter annual report.

## In Memoriam Gifts

- ◆ The HDH Foundation can be designated as a recipient of memorial gifts when making funeral arrangements. Upon the death of a loved one, many families request that donations be made to the Foundation in lieu of flowers.
- ◆ Special memorial donation cards are available at local funeral homes including the Mighton and Watson Funeral Homes. Gifts in honour of a loved one can also be made on our website.
- ◆ In addition, you may ask that donations be made to our garden of fond memories. Donations of this sort will be pooled together to purchase an engraved item in the garden. This is a great way to leave your mark on the community. For a full list please visit [www.hdhospital.ca](http://www.hdhospital.ca)

## Your Will

- ◆ A bequest in your will is the most common way to make a planned gift. Designating the HDH Foundation as a beneficiary in your will is a direct way for you to help others in your community.
- ◆ Your gift may be cash, securities, or other property. Such a gift is paid before property is distributed to your heirs, and your Estate will receive a tax receipt for the value of your bequest.

## A Gift of Insurance

- ◆ Another way of making a significant gift to the HDH Foundation is through a life insurance policy. All premiums paid by you on the policy are eligible for a tax receipt.
- ◆ The simplest method is to donate a paid up policy which you already own.
- ◆ Alternatively, you can purchase a new policy with the HDH Foundation as the owner and beneficiary.

## Trusts

You can invest money or property in a trust and receive income from it for life. The HDH Foundation will receive what remains in the trust after you have passed on and your family and loved ones will receive a donation receipt for the value of the remaining capital.

## Marketable Securities

When you make a gift of stock, bonds, or mutual funds, your capital gain is not taxed, and a charitable tax receipt is made for the full value of the shares on the day that they are received by the Foundation.

## What are the Benefits?

- ◆ As the donor, you have the satisfaction of leaving a lasting legacy for your community.
- ◆ You may also benefit tangibly through tax benefits and recognition.
- ◆ Your community benefits via top level healthcare facilities and personnel.

