

Change the course of Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis in Canada

You want a future free from Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis. We do too. By making a planned gift to Crohn's and Colitis Canada, you can help bring us closer to finding the cures, while also creating tax benefits for your estate.

Fifty years ago, Crohn's and Colitis Canada was established with the vision of creating a future without inflammatory bowel disease (IBD). Today, we are closer to this vision than ever before.

We invite you to join us in our vision by adding a gift in your will to Crohn's and Colitis Canada. Your support will help sustain innovative research and create a brighter future for those living with IBD.

Did you know?

- Making a gift in your will is simple and you will still retain control of your assets
- You can bequeath cash, securities, or even a percentage of your estate. Your estate receives a charitable tax receipt that can decrease the estate taxes
- It's entirely optional to notify a charity if you've made a gift to them in your will—of course, we'd love to hear from you to provide updates on our work
- Gifts can be made through wills, Life Insurance, and/or RRSPs/RRIFs



At Crohn's and Colitis Canada, we are most grateful to those who have left gifts in their will. As such, we commit to:

- Your privacy—any information shared will be held in strict confidence
- Your family comes first and decisions can be made within your timelines
- Regular communications with you as a Legacy Donor
- Accountability—we are accredited by Imagine Canada indicating that we have attained the highest level possible of standards within the non-profit sector



What information will my lawyer need?

Legal Name: Crohn's and Colitis Canada

Registered Charitable Number: 11883 1486 RR0001

Address: 2110-439 University Avenue, Toronto, ON M5G 1Y8

Telephone: 1-800-387-1479

For more information and to discuss the impact a gift in your will can have, please contact:

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Glossary

Bequest: This is a gift left to charity in your will. You can leave a set amount of money or a percentage of the residual in your estate.

RRSPs & RRIFs: Beyond a will, you can name a charity as the beneficiary of your RRSP or RRIF account(s). As such, upon death, Crohn's and Colitis Canada would receive the balance of the amount in your account.

Life Insurance: Similar to an RRSP or RRIF, you can name a charity as the beneficiary of your Life Insurance Plan. By choosing this option, Crohn's and Colitis Canada would receive the insurance proceeds upon your passing.

Stocks, Bonds & Mutual Funds: If you transfer ownership of your stocks, bonds or mutual funds to Crohn's and Colitis Canada before you sell them, you will receive a tax receipt for the fair market value of the stock, bond or mutual fund on the day of transfer.

Disclaimer: It is in your best interest to consult legal and financial professionals to assist you in making the best decision for you and your future. Crohn's and Colitis Canada does not endorse any particular professionals for these purposes but can answer questions about our programs.



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