



Wills & Trusts

Become a partner in transforming healthcare and healing by naming Henry Ford Health System in your will or charitable trust. Donors just like you have made a lasting difference in the Henry Ford programs and services that are most meaningful to them. Your thoughtful generosity can embolden superior, seamless **patient-centered care**, inspire **research and innovation**, galvanize leading-edge **education and training**, and help power key **community health and wellness programs**.

YOUR BENEFITS:

Estate gifts are simple and straightforward, giving you the chance to make a transformational and lasting impact at HFHS, while also providing flexibility to adjust your plans as needed.

- Maintain **control** and access to your assets during your lifetime.
- Modify your gift at any time to address changing circumstances.
- Enjoy the **flexibility** of directing your gift to a purpose you are passionate about.
- Gain tax advantages.

MAKE A GIFT THROUGH YOUR WILL

Step 1: Your lasting impact

Think about the area(s) where you would like to make a meaningful difference. Perhaps it's cancer care, or supporting research initiatives. Direct your gift to a cause you're passionate about.

Step 2: Sample language

Commonly, this language reads as follows:

I give, devise and bequeath to Henry Ford Health System, a qualified 501(c)(3) charitable organization located in Detroit,

Estate Gifts at a Glance:

Youngest Donor - 29 Oldest Donor - 101 Gift Range - \$1-\$8 million Median Gift Intention - \$27,600 Median Gift Realized - \$20,000 Total Legacy Society Members - 613 More than \$150 million given to Henry Ford Health System in Estate Gifts over the past 60 years.

Michigan, ______ percent of my residual estate (or a specific bequest of \$______, or other personal or real property appropriately described) for (a specific program, department or unrestricted use), to be used in accordance with the terms of the most recent written directive I have signed with Henry Ford Health System, and, if none exists, to be used as directed by the (e.g. Senior Vice President of Development, Chair of the Department of _____, etc.) at Henry Ford Health System.

Step 3: Let us know

We want to say thank you, and ensure that your gift is used in accordance with your wishes.



WE'RE HERE TO HELP

If you need help or have questions, please don't hesitate to be in touch:



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"My mission is to be a representative of Henry Ford, explaining to people the important work it is doing, and try to help in any way I can. A bequest is an easy way to do that." - Linda Hayman

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