You can help make our community a more just and caring place by remembering Mercy Services in your Will.

Mercy Services has been a ministry of the Sisters of Mercy since 1976. We are local and our low administration costs mean more funds go to client services.

We help people with disabilities, the frail aged and people affected by alcohol and other drugs through the following services:

- Community Nursing
- Community Transport
- Day Respite Centres (Tighes Hill & West Wallsend)
- Domestic Assistance
- Food Services
- Home Care Packages
- Home Maintenance
- Linen Service
- Newcastle Elderly Citizen's Centre
- Personal Care
- Residential Aged Care (Singleton)
- Support & Monitoring (Dementia)
- Social Support (Elermore Vale, Newcastle, Nth-West Lake Macquarie, Wallsend)
- Family, Alcohol & Other Drugs Services
 - Brighton House
 - Holyoake Support Groups
 - McAuley Community Housing
 - McAuley Outreach Service
 - McAuley Parenting Program

In serving the community,
Mercy Services seeks to promote the
dignity of each person.
Within all aspects of our service, staff and
volunteers remain committed to the core
values of: Justice, Respect, Service, Care
and Unity and we endeavour to translate

these into our behaviours.



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People who care as much as we do



Continuing to care through a gift in your will

Your will is your last chance to decide how your Estate is distributed following your death. Estate is the legal term for possessions, property and money. You need to look after those you love and who depend on your care in your will. If you die without a Will the Government will distribute your Estate according to its formula.

You might also want to use your will to be remembered as caring for the wider community through a gift to Mercy Services.

For your will to be legally binding it must be:

- ✓ In writing (handwritten, typed or printed);
- ✓ Signed by you (the testator); and
- ✓ Signed by two witnesses who are present when you sign your Will, and who are not beneficiaries.

If you already have a Will you need to see your solicitor, or legal advisor, to formally add Mercy Services to the Will.

You might want to choose one of the following five options to assist Mercy Services through your will.







□ Option1

I give to Mercy Services

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of the residue of my Estate for its general purposes, free of (or after payment of) all duties and taxes payable upon or in consequence of my death. I declare that a receipt issued by Mercy Services shall be a sufficient discharge to my Trustees.

☐ Option2

I give the sum of

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to Mercy Services for its general purposes, free of (or after payment of) all duties and taxes payable upon or in consequence of my death. I declare that a receipt issued by Mercy Services shall be a sufficient discharge to my Trustees.

☐ Option3

I give my Life Insurance

Policy No:

with (name of insurance company)

to Mercy Services for its general purposes, free of (or after payment of) all duties and taxes payable upon or in consequence of my death. I declare that a receipt issued by Mercy Services shall be a sufficient discharge to my Trustees.

☐ Option4

I give my property at:

to Mercy Services for its general purposes, free of (or after payment of) all duties and taxes payable upon or in consequence of my death. I declare that a receipt issued by Mercy Services shall be a sufficient discharge to my Trustees.

☐ Option 5

I give the whole of my Estate wherever it is situated to Mercy Services for its general purposes, free of (or after payment of) all duties and taxes payable upon or in consequence of my death. I declare that a receipt issued by Mercy Services shall be a sufficient discharge to my Trustees.