

We understand and respect that your decisions about your will are private, personal and made after much consideration. We understand that your family and loved ones come first. If you remember Assert in your will we will use your gift carefully so it achieves the greatest possible impact for the individuals that we support. You can change your mind about a gift to Assert at any time and any gifts left will be handled with respect and sensitivity.

What to do next

It's really straightforward to include a gift to Assert in your will.

All you have to do is give your solicitor our registered address and charity numbers.

Your solicitor will do the rest, so it really couldn't be easier.

How to choose a solicitor?

The Law Society can help you find a solicitor in your area. For more information please call

020 7242 1222 or visit
www.lawsociety.org.uk.

A bit more about Autism

Asperger syndrome and High Functioning Autism are forms of Autism, a lifelong condition that affects how a person makes sense of the world, processes information, relates to and communicates with others.

AS and HFA are hidden conditions, which means that you can't tell that someone has them from their outward appearance.

People with AS and HFA often have above average intelligence and the condition is known as a 'spectrum condition', as it affects people in different ways and to varying degrees.

Assert

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For more information or if you have any questions please email Sarah Bourne at sarahb@assertbh.org.uk



Help us to support
adults on the autism
spectrum in the
future.



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Our vision here at Assert is that adults on the autism spectrum are well supported, have a high quality of life with independence and opportunities. We aim to reduce isolation and to promote the many positive aspects of the condition.

We are a small local charity supporting over 450 vulnerable adults in Brighton and Hove.

With your support we can continue to provide a service which includes:

- Advice and advocacy Practical and emotional support
- Life Skill courses
- Social groups and regular health walks and activities
- Befriending and Mentoring service

Assert provides an essential service that cannot be accessed elsewhere in the city.

Would you consider remembering Assert in your will?

Here at Assert we have a vision that 10% of our income will in future come from donations from legacies.

Every gift in every will makes a huge difference to the service that we provide.

Crucially, you will be showing your commitment to help make change happen by maintaining and shaping the future of services for people on the spectrum and ensuring that they continue to do so.

You can make a positive impact on generations to come.

Please feel free to contact us or visit our website for more information.

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Types of gifts that can be made in a will.

A share of your estate - Known as a 'residuary legacy', it is a percentage of what remains of your estate after all other gifts and expenses have been paid. One of the advantages of this gift is that it won't be affected by inflation as its value will change in line with the value of your estate. This means you're less likely to need to amend it in the future.

A specific sum of money- Called a 'pecuniary legacy', a gift of a set amount.

A specific item - It could be something valuable such as an antique, painting, property or shares.

A reversionary gift - This gift allows you to leave your estate to your loved ones while they are living, but after they pass away the share you intended for Assert will pass to us.