

Would you like to know more?

If you would like more information on leaving a bequest, or the work of the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDANZ), please complete the form below.

Name:

Address:

Suburb:

City:

Postcode:

Phone:

Email:

Preferred method of contact?

Do you require more information?

- I would like information on how to make a gift to MDANZ through my will
- I would like information on what MDANZ does in my community
- I have already set up a gift in my will for MDANZ

Please complete your details, tick the appropriate box above and post this form to:

Freepost authority No. 191915

Muscular Dystrophy Association of New Zealand Inc.

PO Box 12063, Penrose, Auckland 1642



Muscular Dystrophy
New Zealand

If you would like to talk to us,
please contact our team
directly on 0800 800 337,
or email info@mda.org.nz

www.mda.org.nz

The MDA is a registered charitable entity CC31123

Your good will
benefits families



We have been helping Kiwi families for more than 60 years and by making a bequest, you are ensuring the sustainability of our organisation so that we can continue to be there for generations to come.

Why support us?

Any bequest, no matter what size, will directly help those living with incurable muscle wasting neuromuscular conditions, and enable us to continue our work within your community. Every dollar helps in our efforts to:

- Provide specialised information about rare neuromuscular conditions to individuals, families, health professionals, schools, and communities
- Offer free counselling and social support to individuals, whānau and carers living with neuromuscular conditions
- Be an independent advocate for the community that we serve
- Advance research and link New Zealanders with treatment opportunities, promoting medicines access and innovative science for these incurable conditions
- Fund life enhancing resources that are not met by government funding.

What to do next

Once you have decided that you would like to leave a gift in your will to MDANZ, discuss your wishes with your family and solicitor.

If you choose to leave a gift in your will, the following wording is suggested:

"I give and bequeath free of all duties to the Muscular Dystrophy Association of NZ Inc. (charity registration CC31 123) the sum of \$..... (or a percentage, or the residue of my Estate, or a description of the property or asset given) for its general purposes and declare that the receipt of the Chief Executive or other proper officer of the Muscular Dystrophy Association of NZ Inc. shall be a full and sufficient discharge to my trustees."

Hazel, aged 3 years,
MDANZ member



We want to acknowledge you

Thank you for considering a gift in your will to ensure our vital work continues. If you would like to receive more information, or stay connected with us, we would welcome the opportunity to keep you up to date with our work. Our contact details are over the page.

We appreciate that your will is a confidential document and that you may not wish to tell us you have arranged to leave a planned gift to our organisation for the benefit of New Zealanders living with neuromuscular conditions.

If this is the case we offer our sincere gratitude in advance. Your actions will make a difference and enrich people's lives.

If you do decide to include us in your will, please let us know so that we can formally recognise your generosity.

Thank you.



"I'm third generation in my family to be affected by muscular dystrophy and am so confident that the work of the Muscular Dystrophy Association makes a difference, I have updated my own will to contribute to the future work of the association. You too can make a difference for children like Hazel and whānau like mine."

Ngā mihi, Ronelle Baker – Member, MDANZ.