

## What does Mind in Croydon do?

Mind in Croydon works to promote good mental health. It seeks to empower people to lead a full life as part of their local community. We work with and support people with mental health issues, and their relatives and carers, living in Croydon and surrounding areas..

## Each year, on average we provide:

- Social Support for 300 people
- Advice and information for over 2000 people
- Counselling for 250 people
- Training and work opportunities for 60 people
- Access to exercise, sport, leisure and art activities for more than 200 people
- Welfare Benefits Advice for 350 people
- Carers Support for 200 people
- Advocacy to 115 people

Our services support people with complex, long-term mental health issues, people in crisis and people who may be experiencing their first episode of mental ill-health, and who may be referred by their GP, a community link worker or contact us directly for support.

Mind in Croydon also raises awareness of mental health issues like depression, anxiety, stress, self-harm and suicide through training, work placements for trainee counsellors and psychologists, providing up to date information, reducing stigma and promoting wellbeing and good mental health.

## Contact us

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# Leaving a Legacy



Have you thought  
about leaving  
something to Mind in  
Croydon in your will?

**We would like to thank you if you have decided to remember Mind in Croydon in your will. Your legacy will help bring hope and understanding to many peoples' lives.**

**This leaflet is aimed at simplifying things for you and your solicitor.**

[www.mindincroydon.org.uk](http://www.mindincroydon.org.uk)

## Have you thought about giving something back once you are gone?

Although we receive funding from statutory services, like the local council and the NHS, we still need to raise thousands of pounds every year to help us deliver our services.

Your legacy would help us to provide more support for people with mental health issues. For example, it could provide seed funding for new projects and services, events and activities. It could even help to save people's lives through raising awareness of mental health in your local community. Legacy giving and donations help us to pioneer new and innovative work.

For example, our ground breaking Hoarder's project and De-Clutter Buddies have helped dozens of people to take back control in their lives and to live fulfilled, independent lives.

Our Active Minds service, supporting people with their mental health and wellbeing through gardening, sport and other outdoor activities, was set up with seed funding from individual donors.

We now reach hundreds of people each year and have gone on to win ongoing funding for these successful, sustainable projects, which really make a difference.

We can all do something amazing for the world, and for our local communities, just by leaving a gift in our wills to a charity like Mind in Croydon. We have been providing support for people in Croydon for over 50 years and with your help we will be able to continue.

Your will is one of the most important documents you will ever sign and there are a number of things you should take into consideration when writing or making amendments to your will. To ensure that your will genuinely reflects your wishes, consult a solicitor in your local area who is experienced in will-making.

## What do I need to tell my solicitor?

It is important that you make sure that our name and registered charity number are used as follows:

Mind in Croydon  
26 Pampisford Road  
Purley, CR8 2NE  
Charity number: 1073880

## What about the wording? For a Residuary Gift

This is a gift of the whole or a share of whatever remains of your estate after all other gifts of money and specific items have been distributed and any debts and taxes paid.

"I give \_\_\_\_\_\* of the residue of my estate absolutely to Mind in Croydon, of 26 Pampisford Road, CR8 2NE, registered charity number 1073880, for its general charitable purposes.

I direct that the receipt of the Treasurer or other duly authorised officer for the time being of Mind in Croydon shall be sufficient discharge to my executors."

*\*Indicate the percentage or fraction of your residuary estate.*

## For a Pecuniary Gift

This is a gift of a fixed sum of money to Mind in Croydon. If you would like a pecuniary gift to be index-linked to protect it from inflation, ask your solicitor for advice.

"I give free of any inheritance tax payable on my death to Mind in Croydon, of 26 Pampisford Road, CR8 2NE, registered charity number 1073880, the sum of £\_\_\_\_\_ \* for its general charitable purposes and I direct that the receipt of the Treasurer or other duly authorised officer for the time being of Mind in Croydon shall be sufficient discharge to my executors."

*\*Amount you wish to leave.*

## For a Specific Gift

This is a gift of a specific item that you wish to leave to Mind in Croydon.

"I give free of any inheritance tax payable on my death to Mind in Croydon, of 26 Pampisford Road, CR8 2NE, registered charity number 1073880, my \_\_\_\_\_\*"

for its general charitable purposes. I direct that the receipt of the Treasurer or other duly authorised officer for the time being of Mind in Croydon shall be sufficient discharge to my executors."

*\*Description of what you wish to leave.*

