



# Request information



Help Us Provide Love,  
Hope, Compassion,  
and Support to Future  
Generations

# you can make a difference

After making provision for your loved ones, you may wish to leave some of your estate to Eva's Place.

By naming Eva's Place in your Will, you can be sure that your gift will provide ongoing pregnancy and early parenting support for women in need of such service.

Your solicitor or trustee company will explain the procedure to you when preparing your Will.

## CHLOE'S STORY

When Chloe found out she was pregnant, she didn't know what to do. There were lots of things to think about, including her temporary visa situation. Some people said she shouldn't continue the pregnancy, but she wasn't so sure. Chloe thought she would like to continue the pregnancy. She needed someone to talk to and found Eva's Place on Google. Chloe phoned Eva's Place and then went to see them.

Chloe really wanted to mother this child and decided to continue the pregnancy. She loved coming to Eva's Place each week and meeting with her mentor. They helped her prepare for labour and motherhood and she learnt so much! Chloe loves being a mum and can't imagine not having her baby in her life. "Eva's Place gave me confidence to do what was in my heart, to keep going and have this baby," she said.





# THE BEQUEST PROCESS

**We recommend you consult your solicitor to make sure your Will is prepared in accordance with your intentions and wishes.**

The process of including Eva's Place in your will is straightforward. If desired, you can even nominate how you would like your gift to be used.

## **Some points to remember when making your Will:**

- We encourage you to think first of your immediate family. Your solicitor will be able to provide advice on how you can reduce the risk of future legal challenges to your Will.
- Discuss with your solicitor whether it is appropriate in your circumstances to leave gifts which allow for change in the value of your estate over time (i.e. a gift of a percentage of your estate) or whether a fixed monetary gift would be more appropriate.

# TYPES OF BEQUESTS

## **Residuary**

A Residuary Bequest is a gift of all or a percentage of what is left in your estate after specific gifts, taxes and debts have been satisfied. Because it is not a specific amount, a Residuary Bequest maintains its value over time regardless of economic changes and automatically adjusts as the value of your estate fluctuates.

## **Specific**

A Specific Bequest is a gift of a particular item of property which can be used by Eva's Place to generate funds, such as a home, artwork, shares or the proceeds from a designated bank account.

## **General Purpose**

A General Purpose Bequest is the gift of a set dollar amount determined by you at the time of making your will.

# MAKING A GIFT TO EVA'S PLACE IN YOUR WILL

If you intend to leave a gift to Eva's Place in your Will, the following wording can be used and may be helpful for your solicitor:

## **To give a residuary gift of your estate to Eva's Place:**

"I GIVE a \_\_\_\_% share of the residue of my estate to Eva's Place Pregnancy & Early Parenting Support Inc (ABN 43 273 369 256) for its general charitable purposes and I DECLARE that the receipt of the treasurer, secretary or other proper officer of the organisation at the time shall be sufficient discharge to my executor".

## **To give a specific gift of your estate to Eva's Place:**

"I GIVE (my estate) or (\_\_\_\_% share of the residue of my estate) or (the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_) to Eva's Place Pregnancy & Early Parenting Support Inc (ABN 43 273 369 256) for (state purposes as widely as possible) and I DECLARE that the receipt of the treasurer, secretary or other proper officer of the organisation at the time shall be sufficient discharge to my executor."

## **To give a general purpose gift of your estate to Eva's Place:**

"I GIVE the sum of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Eva's Place Pregnancy & Early Parenting Support Inc (ABN 43 273 369 256), free of all duties for its general charitable purpose and I DECLARE that the receipt of the treasurer, secretary or other proper officer of the organisation shall be sufficient discharge to my executor.



### **How will my gift be used?**

Your gift will further the work of Eva's Place, supporting mums to be their best to love and nurture their babies. Your gift will be applied to a particular area of need at the time it is received.

### **Can I request which programs or Centre my gift will support?**

Yes! You can specify a particular program (eg counselling, mentoring, baby goods) or a Centre. Simply discuss this with your lawyer as you prepare your will.

### **Should I let Eva's Place know that I have included them in my will?**

This is entirely up to you. Although it is not necessary, nor inappropriate, it would be appreciated.

## **Donation suggestions**

### **At 2021 values...**

\$1,200 provides Eva's Place one year access to the client management database

\$5,000 provides digital advertising for one year so young women know where they can find help

\$12,000 assists with the annual rent of an Eva's Place Centre

\$50,000 provides seed operational funding for a new Eva's Place Centre

\$500,000 supports the property acquisition for an Eva's Place Centre

\$1,000,000+ supports the purchase of permanent Eva's Place Head Office and Centre in Toowoomba

# ABOUT EVA'S PLACE

Eva's Place is a not-for-profit, Christian based community agency that supports women facing unintended or crisis pregnancy. Through a suite of services, Eva's Place gives quality pre and post decision care and offers personalised case management to provide holistic support, from the earliest days of pregnancy until baby is one year old.

Services include Counselling, (including reproductive loss counselling), Mentoring, Baby Goods Program and Support Groups Program. Eva's Place advocates for clients, offers individualised support to suit their needs and provides practical help to empower women to be their best and love and nurture their babies.







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If you have any questions about including Eva's Place in your will, do not hesitate to contact us.

We would love to help you with this important decision.

We greatly value your consideration of Eva's Place as a beneficiary in your Will. Gifts to Eva's Place will provide valuable assistance in allowing us to provide ongoing pregnancy and early parenting support for women in need.

Please note that this booklet is intended to be used as a brief guide and should not be used in the place of legal advice.