Gift Aid Agreement

- You are appointing Marie Curie Trading Limited to act as your agent on your behalf in attempting to sell or dispose of the goods that you bring into the shop. Where goods are sold, a commission of 5% of the sale price plus VAT will be charged for this service and deducted from the proceeds of sale.
- You own all of the goods that you bring into the shop for sale, you obtained them in a legal manner and you are not acting as a business. You agree that neither Marie Curie Trading Limited nor Marie Curie will be responsible for any loss or damage to any goods brought into the shop for sale.
- You confirm that Marie Curie Trading Limited is instructed, as your agent, to donate the net proceeds of sale of your goods to Marie Curie and that it is not necessary to write to you to confirm the donations, provided that the total value of the net proceeds of sale of your goods so far in that tax year has not exceeded £1,000 (or such higher amount as is specified by HM Revenue and Customs from time to time). Once a sale is made that brings the total value of the net proceeds of sale of your goods to more than £1,000 (or such higher amount as is specified by HM Revenue and Customs from time to time), you will first write to us to confirm that you agree to those funds over and above the initial £1,000 being donated. You will have 21 days from the date of notification to contact us for receipt of these funds less the commission specified above. You may notify us in writing at any time (at the address stated on the previous page), if you no longer want this arrangement to apply.
- An end of year letter, informing you of the value of all goods sold on your behalf in that tax year, will be sent to you before 31 May in the following tax year. This is a requirement of HM Revenue and Customs in order to confirm your status as a tax payer during the year and therefore our eligibility to claim the Gift Aid.
- You are a UK tax payer and you would like Marie Curie Trading Limited to make donations to Marie Curie on your behalf and you would like all donations that you make, or have made in the last four years, to be treated as Gift Aid donations (until you notify us otherwise or this agreement is terminated). You understand that if you pay less Income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all your donations in the current tax year it is your responsibility to pay any difference. In order to cover an initial donation of up to £1,000 without further notification from us, you must have made at least £250 income tax or capital gains tax in the UK during this tax year before you sign up to this agreement.
- If we are unable to sell any of your goods after a period of 12 months from the date on which you brought them into the shop, Marie Curie Trading Limited is instructed, as your agent, to transfer ownership of those goods to Marie Curie.
- Don’t forget to let us know if any of your details or circumstances change.
- You waive the right to claim interest that may have accrued on any cash you decide to reclaim from the sale of the items.
- Either you or we may terminate this agreement at any time by written notice.
- We may vary the terms of this agreement at any time by written notice to you.

Donate it + giftaid it = 25% more care

We’re here for people living with any terminal illness, and their families. We offer expert care, guidance and support to help them get the most from the time they have left.

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**Fill me in – and boost the value of your donation**

**Gift Aid Agreement**

Signing up to Gift Aid, means that for every £1 Marie Curie raises from the sale of your goods, we can claim a further 25p from HM Revenue and Customs. By signing this form you are agreeing that you have read and understood the agreement overleaf.

Please fill in and return me with your donated items. Complete in block capitals.

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We would like to keep you up to date about our work, fundraising activities and ways to get involved – please tell us how you are happy to hear from us:

- [ ] Yes please, I’d like to hear from you by **email**
- [ ] Yes please, I’d like to hear from you by **text message or MMS**
- [ ] No thanks, please don’t contact me by **post**
- [ ] No thanks, please don’t contact me by **telephone**

You can update your preferences, including how often you hear from us at any time by calling us on **01793 582529** or emailing **shopsga@mariecurie.org.uk**

We will not sell or swap your details with other charities or third parties. We will keep your details safe and will only use them in accordance with our privacy policy – **mariecurie.org.uk/privacy**

**Your local Marie Curie Shop urgently needs more goods to sell.**

So if you have a spare skirt, a too-tight top, an old ornament or anything else that’s taking up precious space, we’d love you to donate it. You don’t have to fill a whole bag with items and it doesn’t matter what condition they’re in. And the best thing is, you can make your donated goods worth even more by simply adding Gift Aid.

“**This isn’t just my job, it’s my way of life.**”

John Kane, Marie Curie Nurse

**Everybody loves to get something for nothing** – and that’s exactly what Gift Aid’s all about. It means that, for every £1 Marie Curie raises from the sale of your donated goods, we’ll get an extra 25p. Because we reclaim the tax from the government, it’s essentially free money which will go directly to Marie Curie. So, if you’re a UK taxpayer, all we need you to do is complete the attached form and return it with your donated items. Easy.

“**The nurses are so caring – they really can’t do enough for you.**”

Rona Hant, patient

**Gift Aid** is a simple way to add 25% to the value of your donated goods – and it won’t cost you a penny. By signing up, you’re helping our nurses and hospices offer more nursing care to people with terminal illnesses, right until the end.

If you need to contact us at any time, you can do so by phone at **01793 582529** or in writing by post at: Marie Curie, Suite 1 Enterprise House, Cheney Manor Industrial Estate, Swindon, Wiltshire SN2 2YZ or email at **shopsga@mariecurie.org.uk**

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