

Leaving a Lasting Legacy for Women's Health

Thank you for taking the time to read about how you can leave an ongoing Legacy to advance women's health.

Your decision to contribute can make an extraordinary impact, whether through leaving a gift in your Will or upon retirement, establishing a named perpetual scholarship or grant, and witnessing the transformative results of your philanthropy during your lifetime.

Leaving a gift in your Will to a charitable organisation is one of the most generous decisions you can make in your lifetime; an invaluable legacy providing opportunities for the organisation to meet ongoing needs.

Your gift to the RANZCOG Women's Health Foundation, will help RANZCOG continue to provide advances in Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Women's Health and Māori Women's Health, Global Women's Health initiatives, and Women's Health Research opportunities for promising early-career researchers across Australia and New Zealand, sharing our vision to create excellence and equity in women's health.

If you plan to include the RANZCOG Women's Health Foundation in your Will, or are considering establishing a scholarship in your name, please let us know. We would like the opportunity to extend our heartfelt thanks and, with your permission, keep in touch about the transformational work your gift will make possible.

About the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists (RANZCOG) Women's Health Foundation.

The RANZCOG Women's Health Foundation supports the philanthropic activities the College in the areas of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Women's Health and Māori Women's Health, Global Women's Health initiatives, and Women's Health Research, providing scholarships and grants that fund promising early-career researchers across Australia, and the Pacific including New Zealand. Supporting RANZCOG's vision of Excellence and Equity in Women's Health.

- For almost 50 years, The RANZCOG Women's Health Foundation has been supporting research training for promising young Australian Fellows and scientists who undertake high quality research and research training at an early stage of their careers.
- The RANZCOG Women's Health Foundation disburses approximately \$120,000 per year towards basic and advanced research training in obstetrics, gynaecology and in women's health.

Including the RANZCOG Women's Health Foundation in your Will

A gift in your Will is a profoundly meaningful and enduring gesture. Once you have taken care of your loved ones, including a charitable organization in your Will can be a straightforward and impactful way to create a lasting positive impact.

Many people leave a gift in their Will to causes they care about, by supporting the philanthropic initiatives of RANZCOG you are advancing women's health, helping to create a healthy future for all women.

Alternatively, you may wish to establish a perpetual scholarship or grant in your own name and see the results of your philanthropy in your lifetime.

There are several ways to leave a lasting legacy:

- **A Living Legacy**

We invite you to establish a Fellowship, through the Foundation, supporting outstanding young scholars to travel overseas and gain clinical experience or conduct research annually.

- **A Legacy in Memorium**

Ensure your family members wishes to make a difference are protected, continue their legacy of compassion and support. Help their compassion live on by creating a Scholarship in their name.

- **A Bequest Legacy**

Leaving a legacy for future generations - many people leave a gift in their Will to causes they care about. By supporting the philanthropic initiatives of RANZCOG you are helping advance women's health, we will always direct your gift to where it can make the biggest difference.

How to establish your scholarship or leave a gift in your Will.

Whether you are establishing a scholarship or grant now or writing your Will to provide for the future, establishing your legacy through the RANZCOG Women's Health Foundation is a simple process.

What do you want your legacy to be?

The RANZCOG Women's health Foundation is committed to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander women's Health and Māori Women's Health initiatives; Global women's health and Women's Health research and can establish scholarships in any of these areas. If you want your gift to go toward something specific, you may want your scholarship dedicated to an area of personal importance to you.

Let us know.

Contact the Women's Health Foundation foundation@ranzcoг.edu.au or +61 3 9412 2916 we are here to ensure all the information and help you need is available to develop your specific legacy.

Let your family know.

We recognize that your loved ones are your first priority. It is important to have open discussions with your family and loved ones about your decision to support the RANZCOG Women's Health Foundation in such a meaningful way.

If you are considering a Bequest, we recommend consulting with your solicitor or Trustee Company to determine the best approach for incorporating your philanthropic intentions into your estate planning. Their expertise can guide you in navigating the process and ensuring that your wishes are carried out effectively.

Your solicitor or Trustee Company can help with suggested wording for leaving a gift in your Will to THE ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND COLLEGE OF OBSTETRICIANS AND GYNAECOLOGISTS (ABN 34 100 268 969).