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Society

Better bone health for everybody

UPDATING YOUR CURRENT WILL

Helping the next
generation stand tall



**MAKE A
LASTING
DIFFERENCE**

4 reasons to keep your will up to date

To look after the people and causes you care about

Keeping your will up to date is important to make sure that your loved ones and causes you care about are looked after. It will also make it easier for your family and friends at a difficult time.

To ensure your wishes are carried out

Updating your will may feel daunting, but it's vital your will reflects your wishes. A regularly updated will can ensure your wishes are acted upon after you pass away.

To reflect life changes

Our lives are constantly changing – we meet and lose people, we change the causes we support and we acquire things that will one day need a different home. Taking a fresh look at your will every few years can make sure these changes are accounted for.

To reduce Inheritance Tax

Not only is the amount you leave to charity exempt from Inheritance Tax, but if you leave 10% or more to charity, the tax liability on the rest of the estate will go down from 40% to 36%. This means leaving a gift to charity could also help your children, family and friends.

Updating your will

We strongly recommend consulting a solicitor before making a will.

To find a solicitor who can help you with making your will, visit the Law Society's website and use the quick search option.



[Solicitors.lawsociety.org.uk](https://www.lawsociety.org.uk)



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Choosing a law firm that is a member of the Law Society's **Will and Inheritance Quality Scheme** means that your solicitor will meet the high standards for wills and probate services set by the Law Society. You will also be using a specialist.

The Royal Osteoporosis Society is the only UK-wide charity dedicated to achieving a future without osteoporosis.

For more information on how to leave a gift to the Royal Osteoporosis Society in your will, please get in touch.



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