



**Wokingham District
Cancer Care Trust**

**Are you living with
cancer or another
life-threatening
disease?**

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information on support available
in the Wokingham district.*

To find out more, read on.....





Who are we?

We are a registered charity operating in the Wokingham District to support people living with cancer and other life threatening conditions.

How can we help you?

One person in three is likely to experience cancer in some form during their lifetime and patients will have needs arising from the effects of the illness. Other diseases can have a similar effect.

We can help to provide support for the care of patients in their own home, for example, by funding extra nursing and specialist equipment.



About the trust

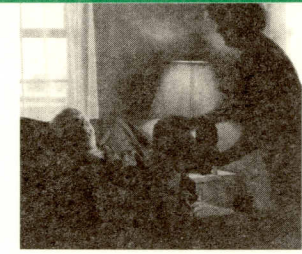
The Wokingham District Cancer Care Trust was founded in 1991 following a successful appeal for funds for the building of a Cancer Care day centre in Wokingham: Macmillan House in Wokingham Hospital.

Our constitution sets out our aim which is to provide:

“relief of suffering and the improvement of life of persons with cancer or other life threatening illnesses who are resident in the Wokingham District”.

We are able to supplement the services provided by the NHS, making it possible for patients to receive therapies that otherwise may not be possible.

Our work is directed by a board of trustees with representatives from the local area and health care professionals.

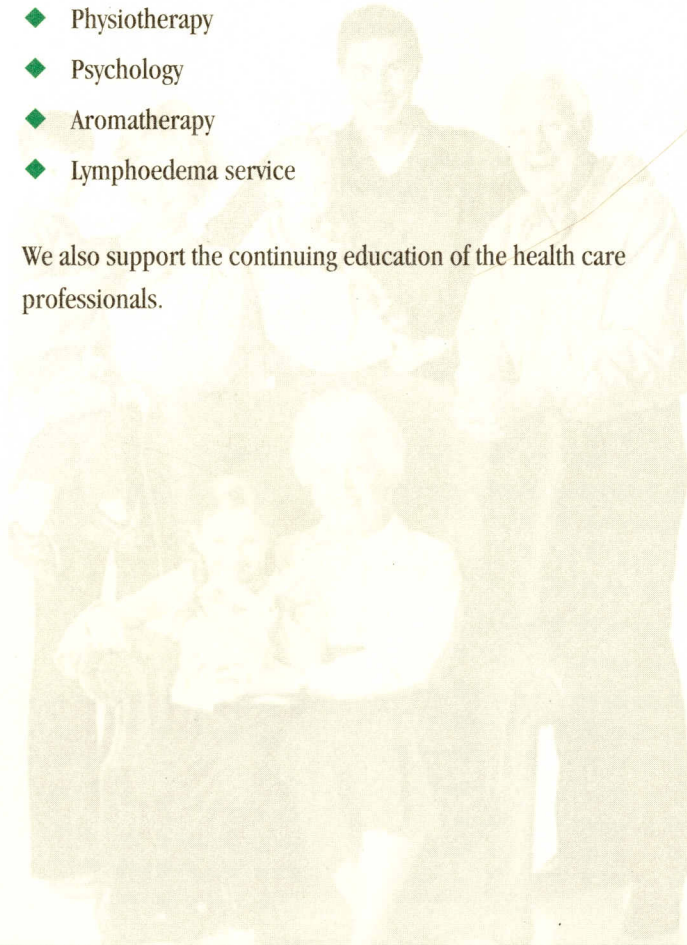


What support do we offer?

We work closely with health care professionals, social services and we support the palliative care day therapy service at Macmillan House by helping fund:

- ◆ Physiotherapy
- ◆ Psychology
- ◆ Aromatherapy
- ◆ Lymphoedema service

We also support the continuing education of the health care professionals.



How are we funded?

We do not have a paid fundraiser. Our team of dedicated volunteers organise fundraising events throughout the year.

Could you help us?

If you would like to help with the work of the Trust you could:

- ◆ Help with fundraising
- ◆ Help with other activities
- ◆ Make a donation
- ◆ Leave the Trust a Legacy
- ◆ Become a Corporate Sponsor

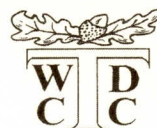
Cheques can be made payable to:-

Wokingham District Cancer Care Trust

The value of your donation can be increased by using Gift Aid or a covenant that allows us to claim back your tax relief.

If you are interested in helping in any way please contact us.

For information about covenants and gift aid you may also contact the treasurer directly by email.



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