

# How Can You Help the Mater?

To provide the level of service needed by the hospital and its patients, financial support above that provided by the State is necessary. The Mater Foundation gives this funding with help from volunteers and donors.

The Mater Foundation was set up in 1985 as the official fundraising body of The Mater Hospital. Funds raised through the Mater Foundation are used to buy equipment, improve facilities and to ensure that all patients in the hospital are cared for in a comfortable environment.

There are many ways you can help and your donation will bring enormous benefit to patients in the hospital – present and future.

## Some ways you can help:

- ✓ Take part in any marathon around the country and raise vital funds for the hospital
- ✓ Take part in the Flora Women's Mini Marathon
- ✓ Register to become a volunteer
- ✓ Buy our Christmas cards
- ✓ Attend our Midsummer Garden party in aid of the Neurological Institute
- ✓ Hold your own fundraising event for one of our main appeals or for a specific ward in the hospital
- ✓ Remember The Mater Foundation in your will

The Mater Foundation is deeply grateful to the many caring individuals, families, communities and companies who have helped us over the years.

## For more information please contact:



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# **THE MATER HOSPITAL SHOP**

Founded in 1994, it is run by a group of over 30 volunteers who give their time freely.

Location: 17 Lower Dorset Street, Dublin 7.  
Opening Hours: Monday to Saturday 10:00 am - 4:00 pm.  
Telephone: 01 - 878 7801

## **Making a donation**

Please visit the shop and if you have any items you would like to donate the Mater Hospital would be most grateful. We regret we can only accept goods in a clean, saleable condition.

All money raised in the shop goes towards patient care and comfort in the hospital.

## **What do we sell?**

We sell ladies and gents clothes, clothes for children of all ages, bric-a-brac, books and household goods.