

## A BRIEF COMPARISON OF DIFFERENT GIVING AVENUES

Please consider making the Restless Legs Syndrome Foundation an enduring part of your life by becoming a member of our Ekbohm Heritage Society. Estate philanthropy is one of the most meaningful ways to leave a legacy and a wonderful way to show support to an organization that has special meaning in your life. Gifts from supporters like you—those who plan ahead for their future—will ensure that the RLS Foundation of tomorrow is as strong as the RLS Foundation of today.



### CHOOSE A GIFT PLAN THAT BEST MATCHES YOUR GOALS

This information is not intended as legal advice. Before committing to any planned gift, consult with an attorney so that your particular gift complies with local state law and federal tax law. Tax benefits will depend on your personal situation and you should consult with a professional to determine the best gift to match your goals.

YOUR GIFT	GIFT IN A WILL	GIFT OF CASH	GIFT OF SECURITIES
<b>Your Goal</b>	To defer a gift until after your lifetime	To make a quick and easy gift	To avoid tax on capital gains
<b>How To Make the Gift</b>	Name the RLS Foundation in your will with a designated amount or a percentage share of the residue	Give cash, write a check, or charge on a credit card. A monthly deduction from your checking account is another option to consider	Contribute long-term appreciated stock or other securities by transferring the asset to the RLS Foundation
<b>Your Benefit</b>	Full control of your assets during your lifetime and a donation that is fully exempt of estate tax	Potential immediate charitable income tax deduction.	Potential immediate charitable income tax deduction & no capital gains tax on the sale of the asset
<b>RLS Foundation Benefit</b>	Your gift will ensure future opportunity for the RLS Foundation	Your gift will have immediate impact	Your gift will have immediate impact

YOUR GIFT	INSURANCE GIFT	REAL ESTATE GIFT	CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUST
<b>Your Goal</b>	Make a large gift with little or no cost to you	Make a gift of an asset and generate a tax deduction	Reduce gift and estate taxes on assets you pass onto your heirs
<b>How To Make the Gift</b>	Name the RLS Foundation as the policy's owner and beneficiary	Donate property	Create a trust that pays a fixed percentage of trust assets or a fixed dollar amount
<b>Your Benefit</b>	Full control of your assets during your lifetime and a donation that is fully exempt of estate tax	Potential immediate charitable income tax deduction	Receive a fixed/variable income for life and receive a potential immediate income tax charitable deduction
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