## **Grant 15 Joy Clemo – February 2022**







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ADDOR is pleased to announce a further grant in support of the continued fight against Huntington's disease (HD), providing financial assistance to help an HD sufferer Joy Clemo.

## **Joy Clemo**

Joy now 66 years old, lives in Pool Redruth, Cornwall and was diagnosed with HD at the age of 53. She inherited this tragic disease from her mother. Joy who is divorced has two sons and four grandchildren. The two sons have been tested for HD, with a negative diagnosis.

Before falling ill to HD, she was a very active person, who loved the outdoor life, where she spent much of her time with family and animals, particularly horses as she was a keen rider.

Since the onset of HD, Joy's life has been restricted to her home. Although her care costs are funded by Continued Health Care (CHC), this does not cover any additional visits or activities outside of the home. Whilst she does enjoy watching TV, this does not provide the stimulus of outdoor time, which would enhance her life.

A grant from ADDOR would enable for Joy to have a few days out in the countryside, which she loves, including a visit to a local zoo. During these visits she will be accompanied by her family and carers.

ADDOR is very pleased to provide a grant of £500 to Joy to help facilitate a few days of outside visits and help to enhance the quality of her daily life.

If you would like to help in the fight to defeat HD, fund research and help others like Joy

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