### **ADDOR**

## Anne Dyer & Daniel O'Reilly Foundation







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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 Louise Conquest.



#### **Louise Conquest**

Louise 44 years old, is single and lives in Bradford. Louise was confirmed with HD in April 2023, she inherited the HD gene from her mother who died in the 1950's. She has two sons who have tested negatively for the HD gene and a daughter who has not been tested. She has a sister who is in her 30's and is in the latter stages of the Huntington's disease and she lost three aunts to HD in their early 40's.

Louise has been offered a home which will cater for the changing needs in her health condition. Her new flat has an extra wide access to her bathroom, kitchen and hallway to enable her to mobilise and turn around in when she becomes immobile and needs to use a wheelchair. This will enable Louise to maintain her independence for a longer period of time.

Louise has made a grant request to help with purchasing certain furnishing items she requires to move into her new home, particularly carpets, for the lounge and hallway, a washing machine / dryer and a fridge freezer upright style.

Prior to developing the Huntington's disease Louise enjoyed mountain climbing, hiking, long walks and camping holidays. She has climbed mountain Snowdon

Louise would like, given the opportunity to go back to the Lake District, to stay in a caravan or hotel, admire the views and try walking around lake Windermere culminating with the enjoyment of a boat ride on the lake.

# ADDOR is very pleased to provide a grant of £400 to help enhance the quality of Louise's daily life.

Lorraine summarised comment on news of the grant approval "I am very grateful and appreciative of the £400 grant, this will be extremely helpful in getting carpets for my new home. I would like to thank all the excellent staff at ADDOR for not only the grant but for all the good work they are doing".

## If you would like to help in the fight to defeat HD, fund research projects and help others like Louise.

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