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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 Aaron Lee Powell.

Aaron

Aaron now 46 years old was diagnosed with HD when he was 44 but showed symptoms prior to the positive test for HD. He inherited Huntington's disease from his father and other family members suffered from HD. He has two sisters, one has tested negative for HD the other has not been tested.

Aaron lives in Bradford, West Yorkshire and after a relationship breakdown has separated from his wife. They have two children. He has moved out of the family home into a supported living ground floor accessible flat on his own. His mother is helping with the cost of furnishing the flat but is unable to cover all costs and as a result his HDA representative, Justine Duffy approached ADDOR to see if they could provide some financial help.

Before diagnosis Aaron was a painter and decorator by trade and enjoyed going on family holidays and day trips. He also enjoyed going to watch his local football team as well as a round of golf with his friends.

Aaron has a support worker who visits twice a week and they now do things together such as going to the cinema, shopping, walking when the weather permits. Aaron also attends his local Man shed group once a week where he gets to socialise with people, they also go on local trips and bike rides.

ADDOR is very pleased to provide a grant of £400 to Aaron to help furnish his new flat and enhance the quality of his daily life.

Aaron's sister Leanne wrote "this is lovely I had a tear in my eye. I would like to say a big thank you to everyone who is supporting Aaron and our family this money is a God send and will help Aaron in settling into his new flat".

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

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