

Build a Legacy of Hope

October 20–26 was National Estate Planning Awareness Week. It serves as reminder to think about the future, protect what matters most, and ensure your legacy reflects your values.

At Bridgeway Behavioral Health Services, we believe that true legacy is measured not only in the assets we leave behind but in the lives we touch along the way. For more than 60 years, Bridgeway has provided pathways to recovery, healing, and stability for individuals and families across New Jersey. By including Bridgeway in your estate plan, you can help ensure that this vital work continues for generations to come.

Why Planned Giving Matters

A planned gift, such as a bequest in your will or trust, or a beneficiary designation on your life insurance or retirement account, can create lasting impact while offering potential tax advantages. Your generosity supports essential programs that help people experiencing mental health challenges find recovery and reclaim their lives.

Where to Start

1. Review your current will, trust, or beneficiary designations.
2. Speak with your financial or legal advisor about adding Bridgeway Behavioral Health Services as a charitable beneficiary.
3. Use simple language such as:
4. “I give, devise, and bequeath to Bridgeway Behavioral Health Services the sum of \$_____ (or ____% of my estate) for its general charitable purposes.”
5. Let us know of your intentions so we can thank you and ensure your legacy is honored as you wish.

Every planned gift helps sustain our mission of providing compassionate, person-centered behavioral healthcare throughout New Jersey.

To learn more about how you can leave a legacy of hope and healing, please contact donate@bridgewaybhs.org or **908-355-7886**

Together, we can build a stronger, healthier future for all.