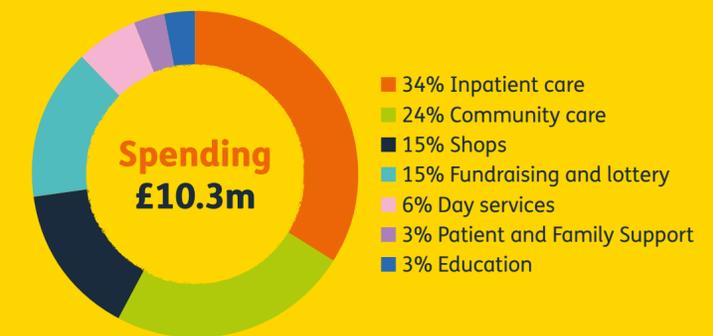
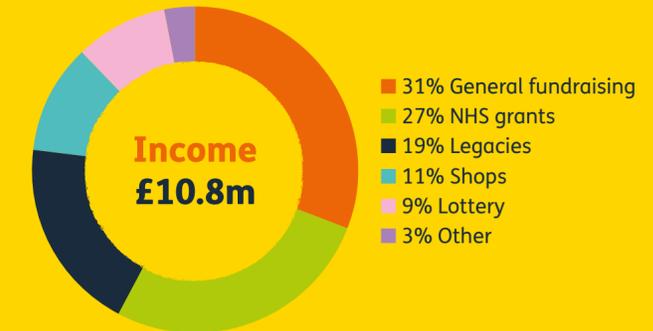


# ST CATHERINE'S HOSPICE

## At a glance 2016 - 17



Less than a third of our income is provided by the NHS, so we rely on the generosity of our local community to keep St Catherine's running. **With your help, we raised more than £7.5 million.**



In 2016-17, we cared for around 2,000 people living with a life-limiting illness across 6 Clinical Commissioning Group areas.



**808 volunteers** supported us in 42 different roles across our hospice services and in our 16 shops.



**More than 32,000 sales** were processed by volunteers in our Sussex and Surrey charity shops.



**8,734 relatives** were welcomed to St Catherine's by volunteer Hospice Hosts.



**30% of people** we cared for had a diagnosis other than cancer.



**Our expert teams made more than 10,000 visits** to people in the comfort of their own homes.



**Our clinical experts made 58,883 telephone calls** to patients or their carers.



**We held seven weddings, two wedding receptions and 26 birthday parties** at the hospice for people we care for.

*"St Catherine's organised a wedding reception in the hospice coffee shop. It was amazing! They hung decorations, I wore my wedding dress and my family celebrated together."*



**388 people** stayed on our Inpatient Unit, some more than once.

*"Looking beyond someone's illness is an essential part of our care. We're there for whatever people need, whether that's providing medication to ease their pain or just a cup of tea and a listening ear."*



**We delivered 1,748 individual patient sessions** in our Day Hospice services.

*"I honestly couldn't do without my weekly Day Hospice visit. It gives me something to look forward to, something to treasure. Every time I come here, I feel completely enveloped in love."*



**Volunteers provided 1,740 emotional care sessions** to patients and family members.

*"I get frustrated but counselling has helped me manage that. I can say what I want to say and I never feel rushed. People have noticed I'm much calmer now and that's thanks to St Catherine's."*

