



PHILANTHROPIC PROSPECTUS



WELCOME TO OUR HOME

For over a century, Turner has delivered specialist residential and nursing care for men with mental health challenges, memory loss and acquired brain injury – a mission that remains unchanged since our doors opened in 1883. Of those care organisations working from historic buildings, only a handful continue to deliver the exact specialist support they did at inception. *We are proud to be one of them.*

Designed by renowned British architect Alfred Waterhouse, Turner's Grade II listed building was completed just two years after his most famous work – London's Natural History Museum. Commissioned by philanthropist Anne Turner as a memorial to her husband and son, the space was designed to support men whose illness resulted in significant social exclusion.

This emphasis is still maintained today. The men we support in the 21st century continue to be at the edges of society, often considered 'too complex' for mainstream services, unfairly described as 'aggressive', 'resistant' or 'problematic'. Without Turner, our residents would likely live in hospitals or secure settings, places that feel like services not homes. We pride ourselves on seeing beyond diagnoses and avoiding labelling, creating a place where people feel safe and cared for, but most importantly known and understood.

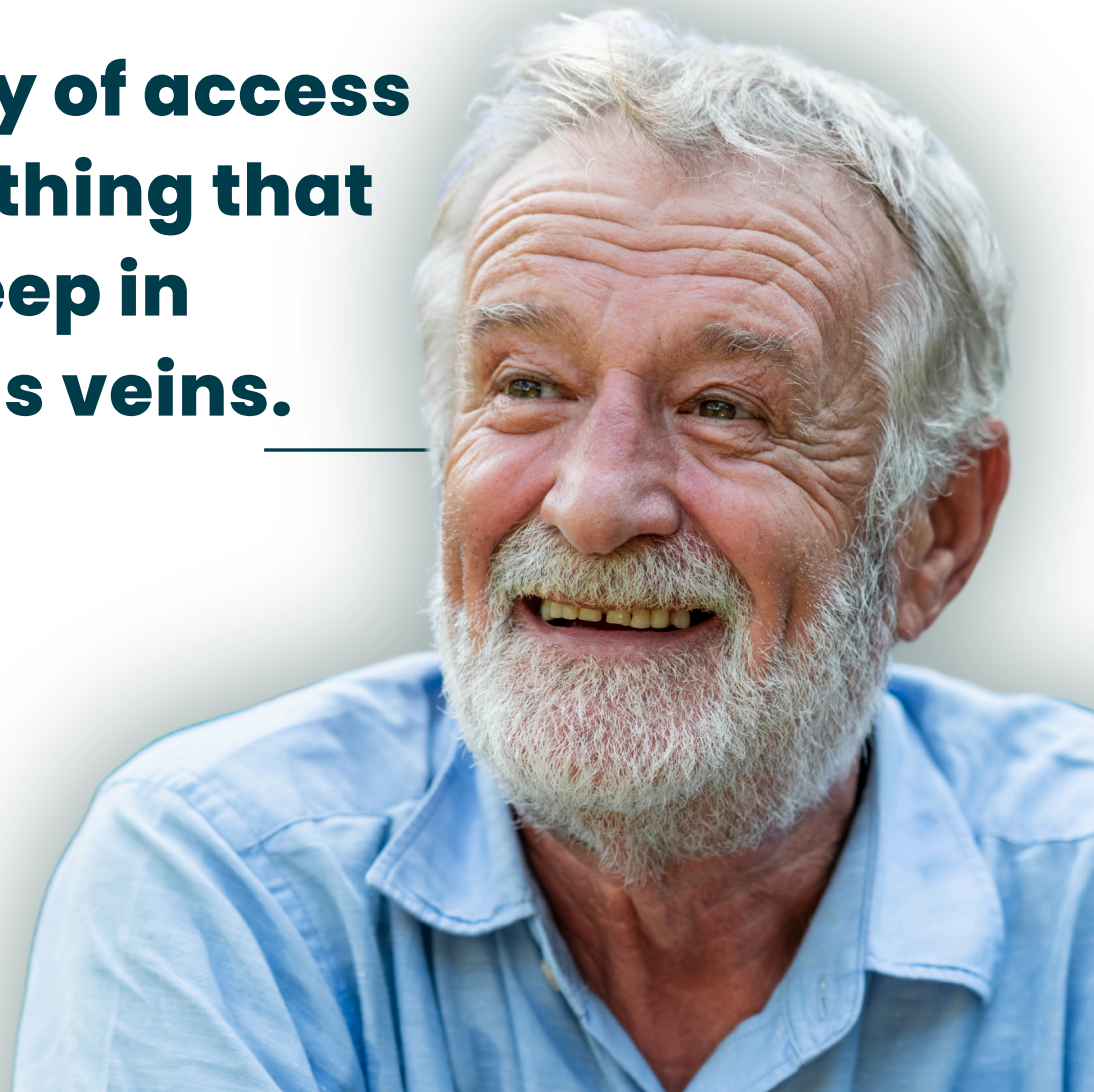
Our ability to manage these more complex needs in a homely setting is vital in improving both quality of life and reducing pressure on the wider health and social care system.

As a city Liverpool has high and worsening health inequalities with mental health challenge, dementia and brain injury diagnoses all above the national average. This increasing need reiterates the vital importance of our work, work that will likely see more demand in the short to medium term. Our teams and our Board are absolutely committed to doing everything we can to both meet, and reduce, local need.

At the heart of Turner's legacy is a commitment to equality of access, something that runs deep in the organisation's veins. Our home is located in Dingle, Liverpool, an area of disadvantage that benefits from the city's known community spirit and absolute dedication to social acceptance and equal opportunity.

Today the world of care and support looks very different to the 19th century model setup by Anne Turner, yet our long-developed knowledge and experience continues to make significant impact – supporting men to respond differently to their thoughts and feelings and to be stay safe, be happy and have hope.

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CAN YOU SUPPORT US TO SUSTAIN THIS LEGACY?

You'll see from our history that we know our field well, we understand need, we understand our community and we see the journey we need to take. But we can't do this alone. As we look forward to our 150th anniversary we invite supporters to join us in sustaining this unique charity.

With pressures on public sector budgets growing, statutory funding is reducing relative to costs and at the same time need is accelerating across our communities. We want to work with you as supporters to ensure Turner can continue to offer safety, happiness and hope to the men we support. We want to work with you to ensure each individual rediscovers who they are and lives a comfortable and stable life within the beautiful setting of our home.

As a Registered Charity we'll ensure that every pound we receive is invested in enhancing the lives of our residents. Since 2022 Turner has undergone significant transformation in leadership, quality assurance and team skills. Our journey has been recognised in our most recent CQC inspection, where we were rated as Good, an achievement that reflects the progress we've made and the strong foundations we've built for the future.

As custodians of this amazing building and charity we continue to fulfil our original mission whilst protecting our heritage, enriching the character of the local community and making sure this legacy is treasured and upheld.

An aerial photograph showing a large, historic stone building with a prominent tower and multiple gables, surrounded by lush green trees. In the background, there are modern residential buildings and a parking lot with several cars.

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Your philanthropic support will enhance what our team and Board call 'Turner's true potential to change lives' – for our residents, our local Liverpoolian community and the next generation of health and care workers. Together we will work towards our vision – *a world where men experiencing significant changes in their thoughts, feelings or behaviours feel safe and supported to find ways to manage, to work through their challenges and to keep on living their life without fear or isolation.*

We are looking for individuals, trusts and foundations who want to explore a strong working relationship with Turner, committing a minimum of £1000 in the run up to our 150 years.

This initial commitment will help us to fund:

- **New enhanced programmes of engagement for our residents**, allowing us to reach beyond the work that statutory funding affords and bring increased joy, independence and choice to our residents.
- **Sensitive modernisation of our building** to meet changing care needs, whilst retaining its historic charm, including a specialist dementia unit that offers safety outside a hospital environment.
- **Programmes to open doors for our next generation of health and care workers**, creating local employment opportunities in an area of significant economic challenge.

By joining the Turner 150 circle of supporters you will provide vital backing that impacts lives across our city. You'll strengthen connections with those who share a passion for beautiful places that offer equal access to quality care, and with this positive change for those people who would otherwise remain excluded from Liverpool's vibrant and aspirational society.

Please get in touch to learn more and talk about the role you could play in Turner 150.

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