

Terms and conditions of entry

TOUR DE
WELDMAR
2027



All participants acknowledge that by registering for **Tour de Weldmar 2027**, taking place between **21 September 2027 and 25 September 2027**, they agree to be bound by the following Terms and Conditions.

1. Participation

a. Each Participant agrees to either raise the minimum sponsorship target set by Weldmar Hospicecare (Weldmar hereafter) under the Fundraising Option or, where applicable, select the Own Target Option and commit to their chosen fundraising target.

b. All fundraising activities carried out in connection with Tour de Weldmar 2027 must be undertaken solely for the benefit of Weldmar Hospicecare.

2. Registration and Fundraising

a. Participants agree that any funds raised through their participation in Tour de Weldmar 2027 will be raised lawfully and in accordance with any fundraising guidance provided by Weldmar.

b. All monies raised for Weldmar shall be held in trust by the Participant and remitted to Weldmar as soon as reasonably practicable, and no later than one calendar month following completion of the Challenge.

c. Payment Options

i. Fundraising Option

Registration Fee £99 (non-refundable) + Minimum Sponsorship £1,990

The cost of this challenge per cyclist is £995, so you will raise £995 towards our care, with anything over the minimum target also funding our clinical teams. This option means the cost of your challenge is met through raising a minimum sponsorship.

You need to be aware that 80% of your minimum sponsorship (£1,592) is due to Weldmar by the 12th July 2027 (10 weeks prior to departure). The reason for this is final balances for accommodation and transport are due at this time.

ii. Own Target Option

Registration Fee £99 (non-refundable) + Self-Funding Fee £995 + Own Fundraising Target

This option gives you the freedom to set your own fundraising target, by paying for the cost of your challenge yourself. This way, you are in control of your goals.

On the 28th June 2027 (12 weeks before departure), you will receive an invoice to pay the £995 remaining balance. There will be an option to setup a Direct Debit from the point of booking until this date to spread the balance across monthly payments (please discuss this with our team when making your booking).

Your challenge balance must be paid in full by the 12th July 2027 (10 weeks prior to departure), otherwise your place may be at risk.

The full Challenge balance must be paid by **12 July 2027**. Failure to pay the outstanding balance by this date may result in the Participant forfeiting their place on the Challenge.

iii. Additional Single Supplement Option

£295

Offered on a strictly limited availability, please request using the online form when you register.

3. Age Requirements

a. Participants must be aged 18 years or over by **21 September 2027**.

4. Health and Fitness

a. All Participants take part in the Challenge entirely at their own risk.

b. Participants confirm that, to the best of their knowledge, they are physically fit and medically able to take part in the Challenge. Completion of a medical questionnaire is a requirement of participation.

Participants are responsible for assessing their own fitness and should only take part if they are confident that they can safely complete the Challenge.

Where information provided within the medical questionnaire raises concerns about a Participant's ability to take part safely, Weldmar reserves the right to request additional medical information or written confirmation from the Participant's GP.

c.

Participants agree that they are capable of maintaining an average cycling speed of at least **10 miles per hour**.

5. Safety

a. Participants are responsible for ensuring that their bicycle is safe, roadworthy and suitable for the Challenge. Participants are also responsible for ensuring that all clothing and equipment used is appropriate and in good condition.

b. Participants acknowledge that the Challenge takes place on public roads and shared spaces and agree to comply with all applicable road traffic laws, regulations and highway codes.

Participants understand that event marshals provide directional guidance only. Responsibility for making safe decisions while riding remains with the Participant.

c. The wearing of a hard-shell cycling helmet is mandatory throughout the Challenge.

NO HELMET, NO RIDE.

d. Participants must ride in a manner that is safe, responsible, and considerate of others. Participants are responsible for managing risks and hazards encountered during the Challenge.

6. Insurance

a. Weldmar does not provide life insurance, medical insurance, travel insurance or personal liability insurance for Participants. Participants are responsible for arranging suitable insurance cover, including but not limited to protection for:

- Personal injury or illness;
- Medical treatment and emergency assistance;
- Loss of or damage to equipment, bicycles and personal belongings;
- Personal liability to third parties;
- Travel disruption or cancellation.

- b.**
Participants must obtain and maintain appropriate travel insurance covering participation in the Challenge and provide evidence of such cover if requested by Weldmar.

7. Liability

- a.**
Subject to Clause 7(b), Weldmar and its employees, representatives, volunteers and agents shall not be liable for:

- i.**
Any injury, accident, loss or damage suffered by a Participant or third party arising from participation in the Challenge.

- ii.**
Any loss, expense, inconvenience or damage resulting from cancellation, postponement, route changes or other alterations to the Challenge, including circumstances outside the reasonable control of Weldmar.

- b.**
Nothing in these Terms and Conditions limits or excludes liability for death or personal injury resulting directly from:

- i.**
Negligence, fraudulent misrepresentation or breach of statutory duty by Weldmar, its employees, representatives or agents.

- ii.**
Any deliberate act or omission by Weldmar, its employees, representatives or agents.

- c.**
Participants and any accompanying friends or family members attend and participate entirely at their own risk.

- d.**
Each Participant remains fully responsible for their conduct and actions throughout the Challenge, including at accommodation venues, during travel, on the cycling route and at all event locations.

8. Withdrawal and Refunds

- a.**
The Registration Fee is non-refundable if a Participant chooses not to take part in the Challenge for any reason.

- b.**
Registrations are personal, non-transferable and cannot be deferred to future events.

- c.**
Participants wishing to withdraw must notify Weldmar in writing by email or letter as soon as reasonably practicable.

- d.**
Weldmar Hospicecare reserves the right to refuse entry or require a Participant to withdraw from the Challenge if that Participant:

- i.**
Fails to comply with instructions issued by Weldmar staff, volunteers or event representatives.

- ii.**
Participates in a manner which, in the reasonable opinion of Weldmar:
- May cause injury to themselves or others;
 - May cause environmental damage;
 - May cause offence or disruption;
 - Creates a potential health and safety risk.

- iii.**
Is considered unfit to participate due to:
- Alcohol consumption during the cycle;
 - Drug use;
 - Injury or illness;
 - Failure to attend event registration or check-in at the specified times.

9. Cancellation and Changes to the Challenge

- a.**
In exceptional circumstances, Weldmar may cancel the Challenge. Weldmar shall not be responsible for any personal expenses incurred by Participants as a result of cancellation, including travel or accommodation costs booked independently.

Registration fees remain non-refundable unless otherwise determined at the sole discretion of Weldmar.

- b.**
Weldmar Hospicecare reserves the right to amend, postpone, shorten, re-route or otherwise modify the Challenge where reasonably necessary.

Reasonable efforts will be made to notify Participants of any significant changes as soon as practicable.

- c.**
If the Challenge is cancelled, Weldmar may, upon written request from the donor or sponsor, return sponsorship funds already received where legally and practically possible.

10. Photography and Publicity

- a.**
Photographs, video recordings and other media content may be captured during the Challenge.

By participating, Participants grant Weldmar permission to use such content in current and future promotional, marketing, fundraising and communication materials across all media formats.

- b.**
No payment or compensation shall be payable to Participants for the use of such material.

11. Data Protection

- a.**
Personal information provided by Participants will be processed by Weldmar in accordance with applicable data protection legislation and the organisation's Privacy Policy.

- b.**
Participant information will be used for the administration, organisation and delivery of Tour de Weldmar 2027, including management of registrations, fundraising activity and event communications.

- c.**
Participants must provide emergency contact information and complete any required medical information prior to taking part.

12. Acceptance of these Terms and Conditions

- a.**
By registering for Tour de Weldmar 2027, Participants confirm that they have read, understood and accepted these Terms and Conditions.

- b.**
Acceptance of these Terms and Conditions forms a binding agreement between the Participant and Weldmar.

- c.**
Should any provision of these Terms and Conditions be held unlawful, invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall continue to apply in full force and effect.

- d.**
Weldmar reserves the right to amend these Terms and Conditions from time to time. Participants will be notified of any material changes.

- e.**
These Terms and Conditions shall be governed by the laws of England and Wales.

Any dispute arising from or relating to these Terms and Conditions shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England and Wales.

Contact Details

Tour de Weldmar 2027 is organised by **Weldmar**. Questions relating to the Challenge should be directed to the Weldmar Fundraising Team.

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