



Organising a raffle, lottery or prize draw in aid of Hospiscare

There are legal requirements about the organisation of raffles, lotteries, prize draws and other games of chance. More information about these rules can be found at the [Gambling Commission](#).

As a rule, if you are planning a raffle or other game of chance (such as a tombola or sweepstake) as part of an event and tickets for the raffle or game of chance will only be sold at that event, you would not require a licence for this.

If, however, you wish to sell tickets to play in advance, or to people not attending the event, this would require a licence, or an alternative such as a prize draw. It is not possible for supporters to use Hospiscare's raffle licence for this purpose and only a non-commercial organisation can apply for a lottery licence: this would be via your local authority if you qualify.

If you'd like further advice on holding a raffle in aid of Hospiscare please call 01392 688020 or email fundraising@hospiscare.co.uk

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