

**Public Compliance Statement** 

As a charity currently seeking funding from Government, Private Sector and Membership Fees, Parkinson's Ireland ("PI") aims to comply with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public. If, in the future we seek donations from the public, we will also aim to comply with the Guidelines in this regard.

- PI is committed to complying with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public and has formally discussed and adopted the Guidelines at a meeting of the governing body.
- PI confirms its commitment to the principles set out in the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public by a statement to that effect in its annual report.
- PI has a Donor Charter which is consistent with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public.
- PI regularly monitors compliance with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public and compliance reports are received regularly by the governing body.
- PI considers the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public when planning all fundraising activity.
- PI has a policy on working with third party fundraisers (if applicable).
- PI provides honest, open, accountable and transparent disclosure when fundraising from the public.
- PI has appointed it's CEO to be responsible for compliance with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public.
- PI ensures that fundraising staff are provided with information and training on the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public and its implementation.
- PI has a feedback and complaints procedure consistent with the Guidelines for Charitable Organisations on Fundraising from the Public. Feedback is recorded for review by relevant staff including the CEO and governing body. Feedback is responded to promptly and appropriately.
- PI prepares financial reports consistent with the requirements of the Charities Act 2009 and the Charities Regulator which include a statement concerning the extent to which control of the organisation is independent of its funding sources.
- PI ensures that all donations are tracked and recorded and complies with data protection requirements.
- PI is accessible to the public through a number of readily available contact options.