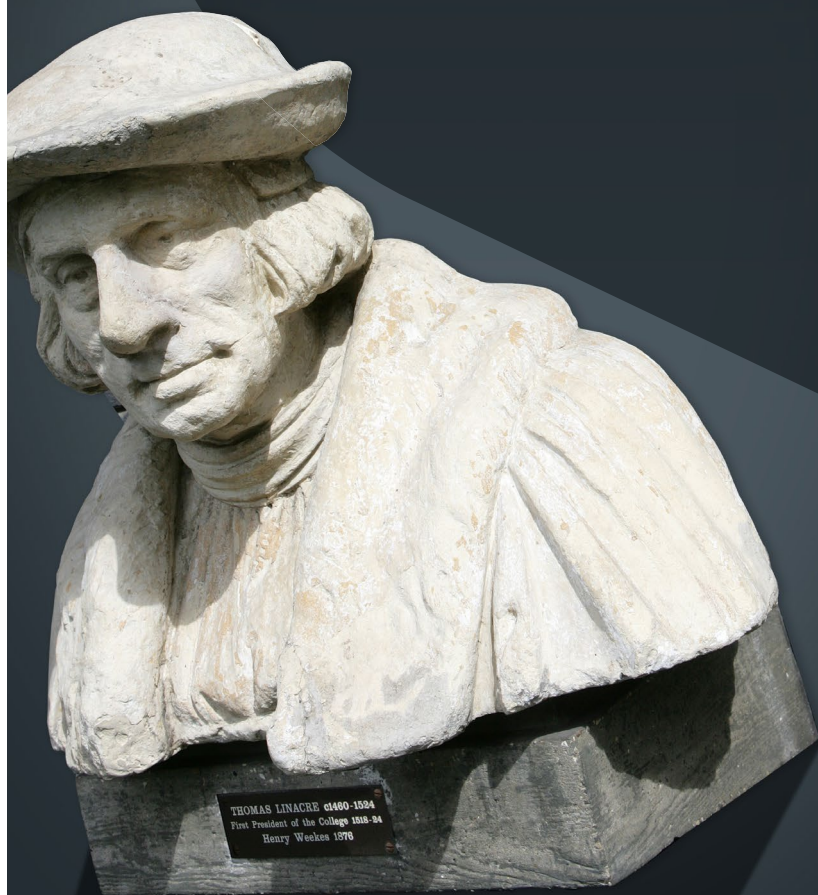




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The Linacre Wall: Support the future of healthcare



The Linacre Wall

Celebrating 500 years of medicine, 1518–2018

In 1518, the great Renaissance scholar and physician Thomas Linacre encouraged Henry VIII to establish the Royal College of Physicians (RCP). Linacre was extraordinarily forward-thinking and his original aims – to regulate and educate those who practise medicine – still guide us today, a claim that few institutions can make after 500 years.

In 2018, to mark 500 years of medical history, the RCP unveiled the Linacre Wall, named in his honour as the college's first president and benefactor. The wall is prominently displayed in the main entrance hall of the RCP's Grade I listed building in Regent's Park.

All those who donate £1,518 – symbolising the RCP's founding year of 1518 – will be invited to have their name permanently inscribed on the wall. More importantly, donors will know that they are making an enduring impact on the physicians, patients and medical profession of the future.

Linacre Wall gifts can also be made in memory of a loved one or to recognise an esteemed friend or colleague.

Donations can be made either as a one-off gift or spread over a period up to 3 years.

Directing your impact

Our aim is to inspire today's RCP fellows, members and other supporters to continue Thomas Linacre's mission to improve health and healthcare – and to celebrate their connection with this great institution through a physical permanent monument.

You can choose to make your gift to any of our fundraising priorities. Alternatively, you can give us the flexibility to direct your donation to where it is most immediately needed.

- > **Area of greatest need** – Support the RCP's vital work to improve health and healthcare. An unrestricted donation allows us to respond flexibly to emerging priorities.
- > **Improving healthcare** – The RCP transforms healthcare by setting standards and supporting the development and improvement of clinical services. Your support helps to improve the quality of patient care.
- > **Campaigns** – The RCP promotes, advocates and campaigns on the issues that we know matter most to our members, including protected time for clinical research. Your support helps influence the way that healthcare is designed and delivered in the future.
- > **Education** – The RCP works to ensure that physicians are educated and trained to provide high-quality care throughout their careers. Your support helps us to deliver excellent educational content to a global community of physicians including underrepresented groups.
- > **Global** – The RCP delivers projects aimed at strengthening health systems and improving medical standards across the globe. Your support helps to strengthen our partnerships with organisations such as the East, Central and Southern Africa College of Physicians (ECSACOP).
- > **Heritage** – The RCP cares for books, manuscripts, artworks and objects of international significance relating to the lives and experiences of doctors. Your support enables ambitious conservation projects, provides exhibitions and school tours, and preserves medical history and knowledge.

Royal College of Physicians Linacre Wall inscription form

Name to appear on the Linacre Wall

Your inscription will be confirmed with you prior to appearing on the Wall.

Title First name(s)

Surname

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Your details

Title First name(s)

Surname

Address

Postcode

Telephone

Email

RCP code (if applicable)

GMC number (if applicable)

Your preferred payment plan

- ☐ A single gift of £1,518 by cheque, credit/debit card or bank transfer
- ☐ 12 monthly instalments of £126.50 by Direct Debit
- ☐ 24 monthly instalments of £63.25 by Direct Debit
- ☐ 36 monthly instalments of £42.17 by Direct Debit

A gift in your will

- ☐ Please send me information about making a gift to the RCP in my will.
- ☐ I have already included the RCP in my will.

If you have already included the RCP in your will, then please accept our sincere gratitude. Letting us know your intentions is extremely helpful.

The Linacre Wall 500 years of medicine, 1518–2018

In 2018, the RCP celebrated 500 years of medicine. Donors who commit £1,518 or more – either in a single gift or over 3 years – are recognised on a donor wall named after the RCP's first president, Thomas Linacre. The donor wall is located in the main entrance hall of the RCP's Grade I listed Regent's Park building. Linacre Wall gifts can also be made in memory of a loved one or to recognise an esteemed friend or colleague.

Using your gift

Please apply this gift to the following RCP priority:

- ☐ Area of greatest need
- ☐ Improving healthcare
- ☐ Campaigns
- ☐ Education
- ☐ Global
- ☐ Heritage

Gift Aid

If you are a UK taxpayer, the RCP can reclaim the basic tax rate on your donation, which is currently equivalent to an extra 25p for every £1 you donate. All that is required is for you to tick the Gift Aid declaration below. Please let us know if you want to cancel your declaration, if you change your name or home address, or if you no longer pay sufficient tax on income and/or capital gains.

Gift Aid declaration

- ☐ I am a UK taxpayer and I would like the RCP to reclaim tax on this donation and all donations that I make on or after the date of this declaration until I notify you otherwise.

US taxpayers

US taxpayers can make a tax-efficient gift to the RCP via the British Schools and Universities Foundation. Contact the RCP Development Office for further information.



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Making your donation

Please complete one of the following payment options

By credit/debit card

For details of how to pay by credit/debit card, please contact:
development@rcp.ac.uk

By bank transfer

Please transfer £1,518 to the following bank account, quoting your name as a reference.

RCP bank details: Santander, Bridle Road, Bootle, Merseyside L30 4GB.

Account number: 10915015; Sort Code: 09-02-22

Please return your form

Once completed, please send your form to
development@rcp.ac.uk

You will be contacted when your form is received.
If you have any questions about completing this form, please contact the Development Office on 020 3075 1785.
The RCP is a registered charity, number 210508.

By Direct Debit

Your preferred payment plan

- ☐ 12 monthly instalments of £126.50 by Direct Debit
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- ☐ 36 monthly instalments of £42.17 by Direct Debit

To the manager of:

Bank name

Bank address

Postcode

Account name

Account number

Sort code

Originators' identification number

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Reference number (for office use only)

Instruction to your bank / building society

Please pay the Royal College of Physicians Direct Debits from the account detailed in this instruction subject to the safeguards assured by the Direct Debit guarantee. I understand that this instruction may remain with the Royal College of Physicians and, if so, details will be passed electronically to my bank/building society.

Sign

Date

The Direct Debit guarantee

The guarantee is offered by all banks and building societies that accept instructions to pay Direct Debits*.

If there are any changes to the amount, date or frequency of your Direct Debit the organisation will notify you (normally 10 working days) in advance of your account being debited or as otherwise agreed. If you request the organisation to collect a payment, confirmation of the amount and date will be given to you at the time of the request. If an error is made in the payment of your Direct Debit, by the organisation or your bank

or building society, you are entitled to a full and immediate refund of the amount paid from your bank or building society. If you receive a refund you are not entitled to, you must pay it back when the organisation asks you to. You can cancel a Direct Debit at any time by simply contacting your bank or building society. Written confirmation may be required. Please also notify the organisation.

* The guarantee covers Direct Debit payments. It cannot be used to address contractual disputes between you and the billing organisation.



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