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A bright idea to raise funds for hospice patients

Energy customers can now save money and support the hospice by using a new independent comparison service which will donate £20 for every switch to a new supplier.

By using Fundraising Energy's OFGEM accredited switching website and nominating the Mary Stevens Hospice as your chosen charity, the Wolverhampton-based business will give £20 towards vital care for our patients.

Visitors to www.fundraisingenergy.co.uk will have access to every tariff from every supplier and will enjoy 100 per cent of the savings when they switch. Typical customer savings are an average of £361.21 a year and the hospice will receive £20 direct from the energy company for every domestic energy fuel switch - so it really is a win-win situation.

Charlotte Schofield, Head of Fundraising and Lottery, Mary Stevens Hospice said:

"The fantastic benefit of this service is that it not only saves our supporters money on their energy bills, but it also helps us to care for more local families.

"We are incredibly grateful to Fundraising Energy for their support and hope all local energy customers will take advantage of this service and, in turn, help their local hospice."

When using the Fundraising Energy service, simply click on the Mary Stevens Hospice logo to automatically access a 100 per cent open market energy price comparison website. Enter your details and the website will search the entire market and provide the cheapest energy tariffs available. Then click the link of your chosen tariff and complete the application - all within the time it takes to make a cup of coffee.

Even better, every year that you use the website to switch your energy supplier, the hospice will receive another £20 donation. Every £20 raised for the hospice pays for an hour's nursing care for one of our patients - so your support really does make a huge difference.

To start saving money on your energy bills and help support the hospice, visit www.fundraisingenergy.co.uk

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Note to Editors

Mary Stevens Hospice is a charity offering high quality, specialist hospice care for adults living with life-shortening illnesses and dedicated support for their families and carers. Based in Stourbridge, we serve people who live in the Metropolitan Borough of Dudley, the Black Country and surrounding areas.

The hospice provides a safe, caring and compassionate environment where all staff are highly-skilled and have time to listen and advise. It is their role to create personalised holistic programmes of care, that encompass emotional and practical support, to help reduce symptoms of illness and side effects of treatment. Specialist services are provided at our recently refurbished In-Patient Unit and our Day Therapies Clinic. We also offer care at home where appropriate.

Mary Stevens Hospice care is provided free of charge to all adults who need our support. Our trustees, staff, volunteers and supporters from a compassionate community work together to raise the funds that pay for over 80% of our annual running costs.

Without their efforts we would not be able to deliver our badly needed services and ensure that:

- The care that we provide is free
- The care that we provide is for local people
- The care that we provide relieves pain and suffering
- The care that we provide for 4 out of 5 of our patients is paid for by money we have raised