After their child was diagnosed with autism, Linda and Brad Ferrier built a system of support for their family, and then used their knowledge and experience to help others do the same. Linda and Brad were also planners and left The Arc a bequest in their will as well as a gift through their IRA, combined totaling \$219,000.

The gift allowed The Arc to create the first Community Hub in Anne Arundel County, a place to gather and recharge, providing the fully accessible resources people with a disability need to be active daily in their community.

Linda and Brad designated a portion of their gift to support the continuing education of Direct Support Professionals, acknowledging the support they received for their son and the critical role that they play in empowering people with disabilities to be as independent as possible.

> You can be creative in your plans, making a bequest to The Arc in your will, or by listing The Arc as the remainder beneficiary of your IRA. Your long-term gift will support people with disabilities in your community for generations to come.

Imagine your legacy.

For more information on leaving your legacy, contact us at: legacy@thearcccr.org or 410.384.4072.

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