**London Marathon 2023 Application Form**

Thank you so much for expressing an interest in running the Virgin Money London Marathon 2023 for Chain of Hope. Please fill out the below form in order to secure your place.

Please return the completed application form to Stephanie by email at [stephanie@chainofhope.org](mailto:stephanie@chainofhope.org)

**About you**

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| Full name (Title, first name, surname) |  |
| Date of birth |  |
| Address (including postcode) |  |
| Organisation and job title |  |
| Contact number |  |
| Email address |  |
| Emergency contact name and number |  |

**Fundraising**

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| What has motivated you to run the marathon for Chain of Hope? |
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| How did you hear about Chain of Hope? |
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| How do you plan to fundraise for this challenge? Have you previously done this type of fundraising? |
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| Does your company offer match funding? |
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**Your running experience**

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| What is the biggest physical challenge you have undertaken before? |
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| Have you ever run the London Marathon before? If yes, did you run for a charity and if so, who? |
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| Do you have a target time you would like to complete the marathon in? |
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| T-shirt size for running vest? |
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**Terms and Conditions**

You must be at least 18 years old on the day of the race.

We ask applicants to raise a minimum of £2,500 in sponsorship, but excluding Gift Aid. This amount should be raised no later than one month after the completion of the race.

If offered a place through Chain of Hope, you will need to register online with Virgin Money within a fixed time frame to secure this place.

We ask that you treat all communications from Chain of Hope as important, and respond within reasonable time frames.

You must inform Chain of Hope of any injuries or any other reason you would be unable to take part in the race as soon as possible.

**Declaration**

Date:

I, (name of participant) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, agree to raise £2500 for Chain of Hope through gaining sponsorship and competing in the Virgin Money London Marathon 2023 or I will reimburse the value of the same amount.

I will have all donations collected and returned to Chain of Hope one month after the race.

I will wear Chain of Hope branding during the event and at all times behave in a manner fitting for a representative of a children’s heart charity. I agree to photography/video recordings of me being taken for use in publications and the media to promote the work of Chain of Hope.

I am voluntarily participating in Virgin Money London Marathon and take full responsibility for my training and for my health and safety before, during and after the event.

I fully accept that Chain of Hope is not liable for any damage to my person or to others as a result of my participation in this event.

I have read and understood the terms and conditions above and would like to apply for a place to run for Chain of Hope in the Virgin Money London Marathon.

Signed by:

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