

NEW IRA RULES BENEFIT DONORS

Here's great news for those who wish to contribute to [Carol's Cause](#) and to support our efforts to find a cure for gynecologic cancers. As part of the emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 (H.R. 1424), Congress restored and extended the IRA Charitable Rollover provision through 2009. This provides our contributors with an attractive way to donate using IRA funds while avoiding the income taxes typically paid on IRA withdrawals.

Under the new rules, if you are 70 or older, you can donate up to a total of \$100,000 per year to the charity from your IRA without incurring either income tax or early withdrawal penalties. The provision applies to 2008 and 2009 tax years only, so it's important to leverage the benefits H.R. 1424 affords you soon.

Contact your IRA custodian to make a gift to [Carol's Cause](#) from your IRA.