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**Wye Valley  
NHS Trust**

Registered Charity Number:  
1058898

Charitable Funds Committee

Annual Report 2019-20

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## **Appendix A – Statutory information**

## **1. Foreword**

The annual report makes reference to the Charity Trustee. The Trustee refers to Wye Valley NHS Trust as a corporate entity. The Executive Directors and Non-Executive Directors of the Trust Board share the responsibility for ensuring that the NHS body fulfils its duties as trustee in managing the charitable funds.

## **2. Introduction**

The Trustee presents the Charitable Funds Annual Report and the independently examined financial statements for the year ended 31 March 2020.

The Accounts have been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 and the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) relating to Accounting and Reporting by Charities effective from 1 January 2019

Charitable funds received by the Trust are accepted, held and administered as funds held on trust by the corporate body for purposes relating to the health service in accordance with the National Health Service Act 1977 and the National Health Service and Community Care Act 1990.

Charitable funds may be used for any charitable purpose or purposes relating to the NHS, wholly or mainly for services provided at Wye Valley NHS Trust. Wye Valley NHS Trust is The Trustee of the charitable funds. The Trust Board devolves responsibility for the on-going management of funds to the Charitable Funds Committee which administers the funds on behalf of the Trustee.

**The Trustee of the Charity would like to express its sincere appreciation to all the members of the public and organisations who made a donation to the trust during the year.**

## **3. Structure, governance and management**

### **3.1 Relationship with NHS Trust**

The Wye Valley NHS Trust Umbrella Charity was registered with the Charity Commission in October 1996 originally as Hereford Hospitals NHS Trust Umbrella Charity. It operates under registered charity number 1058898.

The charitable fund consists of a number of individual funds held, each with a designated remit or purpose, relating to particular wards and departments nominated by the donor. For each designated fund, the charity manages spending through local fund managers, (typically an operational unit manager)

who oversee the use of the funds on a day-to-day basis within rules as set out in Trust SFI's.

There were 24 funds held with balances as at 31 March 2020.

### **3.2 Appointment of trustee**

The Executive Directors and Non-Executive Directors of the Trust Board share the responsibility for ensuring that the NHS body fulfils its duties as trustee in managing the charitable funds. Non-Executive members of the Trust Board were appointed by NHS Improvement. Executive members are appointed by the Trust Board. Members are not individual trustees under Charity Law but act as agents on behalf of the Trustee. The Members for 2019/20 are listed in Section 2.7 and again in Appendix A.

### **3.3 Nature of governance**

The Charitable Funds Committee met three times during the financial year and was required to:

- Approve the Trustee annual report, annual financial statements and returns prepared in compliance with the requirements of the Charities Commission, ensuring that they are completed, audited and submitted.
- Ensure general stewardship by acting reasonably and prudently in all matters relating to Charitable Funds.
- Ensure that funds are invested to achieve as high a level of income as possible at low risk.
- Monitor the performance of deposits and investments.
- Ensure that proper accounting records are maintained which disclose the financial position of the funds held in trust.
- Ensure that systems of internal control and fraud prevention and detection are rigorous and constantly maintained.
- Ensure that income and property of the Charitable Fund is used for the purpose set out in the objects of the fund and that value for money is achieved.
- Avoid any unnecessary accumulation of funds unless there is a specific future use in mind which has been agreed by the budget holder with the approval of the Charitable Funds Committee.
- Oversee the implementation of Internal and Statutory Audit recommendations.
- Raise funds and invite and receive contributions which are consistent with the objects of the Charitable Fund.
- Publish an Annual Report of work carried out during the year and outline plans for the future.

### **3.4 Management of Charity**

The Committee oversees the work of the fund managers and has the power to revoke a fund manager's remit or, subject to any specific donor restriction, direct the use to which funds are put. The General Purpose Funds represent

those funds available for distribution by the Trustee at its discretion and are not restricted or earmarked.

The Standing Orders of Wye Valley NHS Trust set out financial delegation limits. Designated fund managers, who are senior managers or clinicians, have delegated authority for each fund whilst other senior managers may be authorised signatories.

The Director of Finance is responsible for the day-to-day management and control of the administration of the charitable funds and reports to the Charitable Funds Committee. The accounting records and on-going administration of the funds are dealt with by the Finance Department of Wye Valley NHS Trust based at Hereford County Hospital.

The Secretary to the Committee is the Associate Director of Corporate Governance whose duties in this respect include taking the minutes and keeping a record of matters arising.

### **3.5 Risks to which the Charity is exposed**

The Charity maintains a cautious approach to risk in its investment function and is therefore not materially exposed to risk. Funds are presently held as cash in instant access and notice accounts allowing access for funds to spend on charitable purposes.

The Charity is not exposed to any risk in terms of longer term liabilities or commitments to meet future expenditure. Funds are utilised for the purpose of specific expenditure items rather than the future commitment of funds to an on-going expense requirement.

### **3.6 Operation of the Committee**

Standing orders require meetings of the committee to be held on at least a quarterly basis. During 2019/20 the Committee met on three occasions:

### **3.7 Committee membership and attendance**

<b>Membership of the Trust body</b>		<b>Total</b>
Mr Frank Myers MBE	Committee Chair	2/3
Mr Mark Waller	Non-Executive Director	1/3
Reverend Christobel Hargraves	Non-Executive Director	3/3
Mr Russell Hardy	Trust Chair	2/3
Mr Richard Humphries	Non-Executive Director	2/3
Mr Howard Oddy	Director of Finance and Information	3/3
Mrs Sue Smith	Director of Human Resources	2/3
Mr Jon Barnes	Chief Operating Officer	1/3
Mrs Lucy Flanagan	Director of Nursing	3/3
Mr Glen Burley	Chief Executive	3/3
Mrs Jane Ives	Managing Director	2/3

Mr Andrew Cottom	Non-Executive Director	3/3
Mr David Mowbray	Medical Director	1/3

#### **In Attendance**

Mr Clive Andrews	Associate Director of Finance	3/3
Ms Katie Farmer	Fundraising Manager	3/3
Mrs Vici Whittall	Executive Assistant	2/3
Mr Alan Dawson	Director of Strategy and Planning	2/3
Mrs Erica Hermon	Associate Director of Corporate Governance	2/3
Mrs Nicola Twigg	Associate Non-Executive Director	1/3
Mrs Rebecca Gratton	Associate Non-Executive Director	1/3

The members of the committee were asked to disclose any interests for recording within the committee minutes.

### **3.8 Committee membership training and induction**

New committee members undertake training and induction in their role as an executive or Non-Executive Director. This includes the Charity Trustee role. There were no new trustees in 2019/20.

## **4 Objectives and Activities**

### **4.1 Objectives and Aims**

The object of the Charity is to apply income received from donations to any charitable purpose or purposes relating to the National Health Service. The Trustee fulfils its legal duty by ensuring that funds are spent in accordance with the objects of each fund and in designating funds, the Trustee respects the wishes of donors to benefit patient care and advance the good health and welfare of patients, carers and staff.

In order to provide the best possible service to the local population, the trust will on occasion, seek to raise resources through its charitable fund in pursuance of a specific goal or identified target. The Trustee will ensure that funds raised for a specific purpose are applied appropriately.

The Trustee has not set formal objectives other than the requirement that donations are spent in accordance with the object of the fund. The activities undertaken in pursuance of this policy are identified in the analysis of expenditure undertaken. Section 5.5 provides further information on expenditure made during the year.

The Charity operates within factors that it does not control which relate largely to the value of donations to the funds during a given period. The Charity minimises its on-going expenditure commitments in order to reflect this.

In order to verify adequate discharge of this function, the Charity Trustee has prepared an annual report for the Board. The actions of the Trustee in discharging its duties whilst having due regard to public benefit guidance published by the Charities Commission is provided in more detail in the following sections.

## **4.2 Significant activities**

The Charity's main objectives for 2019/20 mirror the strategic objectives identified in section 4.1.

The Trustee has had due regard to Charities Commission guidance contained in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) regulations 2008 in relation to the delivery of public benefit.

In 2019/20 the committee approved the allocation of £817k of expenditure for charitable purposes (2018/19 £518k). This includes support costs of £18k (2018/19 £19k) which were incurred and £49K of expenditure in relation to costs of raising funds (2018/19 £48k). The charitable funds received income of £320k during the year (2018/19 596k). Overall, the total fund balance reduced by £497k in-year.

During the year the committee received spending requests provided by business units which were subject to approval. Managers are briefed as part of their training on the process of requesting charitable funds and the format of applications by their business units for charitable funds.

The funds receive many donations from patients and their families specifically given to thank the nursing, medical and support staff. These are used for activities and training to reward and develop staff, often offering them the chance to attend conferences and courses which would not otherwise have been available to them. Charitable funds are also used to contribute in part or whole to the purchase of larger items enabling Wye Valley NHS Trust to improve its service to the people of Herefordshire.

## **4.3 Review of activities undertaken**

The main activities undertaken by the Charity relate to the purchase of goods and services to benefit the patients and staff of Wye Valley NHS Trust. Items purchased through charitable funds are designed to augment revenue expenditure undertaken by the Trust rather than replace it.

The Charity receives funds both through donations and bequests to support the work of the Trust. Donations made to specific funds are reflected in the fund balances and the resources are used for the purpose of the fund in question.

## **5 Achievements and Performance**

### **Financial Review**

#### **5.1 Review of financial position**

As at the end of 31 March 2020, the Charity held the following investments regarding cash holdings:

- Monmouthshire Building Society (30 day notice) £83k
- Secure Trust (120 day notice) £835k

In addition, the Charity held £296k in instant access cash accounts. This was held to cover the expenditure commitments at the year-end.

Governance and support costs for 2019/20 were £18k which covers the costs of administration to manage the charity's portfolio of funds. This charge covers financial support (including systems) and the costs of an independent external examination to ensure governance is adhered to. The charge also covers associated staff costs to ensure timely processing of donations and expenditure.

The Trust incurred £49k on costs relating to the generation of voluntary income and donations. These costs relate to the employment of a professional Charity Fundraiser.

The balance of available funds totalled £1,305k at the 1st April 2019 and had reduced to £808k as at 31 March 2020.

The Trust's principal source of funding is donations and legacies received and this constitutes the main factor affecting the Trust's ability to meet future demands on its charitable fund resources. The Trust has due regard to this fact when planning future expenditure.

#### **5.2 Going concern**

The charity is a going concern. The charity's expenditure over previous years reflect its income and a planned reduction in the value of reserves but within the scope of the reserves policy. Charitable expenditure is flexed in order to reflect income received. The charity does not have significant future liabilities it is obliged to meet.

#### **5.3 Reserves Policy**

The Charity has a reserves policy approved in 2018/19. The Charity's reserves policy states that minimum funds must be held equating to six months of operating expenditure or £100k. The policy was implemented with effect from 1 April 2018. As at 31 March 2020, the charity had £790k in unrestricted fund balances.

## 5.4 Funding sources

Individual fundraising, donations and bequests:

Income of £291k was received during the year from donations (2018/19, £371k). Legacies of £18k were received (2018/19 £214k), and investment income totalled £11k (2018/19, £11k).

Donations of £291k received in 2019/20 includes £1k of Gift Aid tax recovery and £8k of donations from voluntary services organisations.

The following legacies were received as follows:

Table 1 – List of Legacies received

Legacy	Fund	Value - £
Legacy - 1	Oncology	150
Legacy - 2	Oncology	87
Legacy - 3	Oncology	16,950
Legacy - 4	General Purpose	500
<b>Total value of legacies received 2019/20</b>		<b>17,687</b>

Donations were received from a large number of sources and are analysed in to the following funds:

Table 2 – Donations by Fund

Fund	Value - £k
General Purpose	138
Oncology	59
Bereavement Suite	45
Respiratory	14
Urology	10
SCBU	8
Others	17
<b>Total Donations</b>	<b>291</b>

Individual donations in excess of £5,000 are also listed in the table below:

Table 3 – Donations in excess of £5k

Fund	Donor	£K
General Purpose	Air Ambulance – resulting expenditure incurred in 2020/21	100
Childrens Ward	Daisy Chain Benevolent Fund	10
Urology	Lions Club	10
Respiratory	Merry Millers	8
Oncology	Merry Millers	8

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## 5.5 Expenditure

During the last 12 months, the Trustees has approved expenditure amounting to £750k (2018/19, £451k).

The table below analyses the approved expenditure in to specific headings:

Table 4 – Main areas of expenditure

Areas of Expenditure	£k
Patient welfare and amenities	145
Staff welfare and amenities	25
Staff training	25
Purchase of new equipment	555
<b>Total</b>	<b>750</b>

The table below provides an analysis of the high value individual items of expenditure incurred in 2019/20.

Table 5 -

Fund	Fund Name	Item Purchased	£k
CF01	General Purpose	Gamma Camera	261
CF01	General Purpose	Patient Chairs	120
CF30	Bereavement Suite	Bereavement Suite	101
CF01	General Purpose	Ross Hospital works	52
CF16	Urology	Bladder Scanner	32
CF29	Integrated Care	Tissue Processor	13
	Other items of expenditure		171
	<b>Total Expenditure</b>		<b>750</b>

## 5.6 Investment policy

The Charity's investment policy followed in 2019/20 is as follows:

- Funds are held as cash on deposit – to reflect need for liquidity
- The charity operates several deposit accounts with varying notice periods.
- Adoption of a prudent policy towards investment risk.

Section 6 identifies work to be undertaken in 2020/21 to review the Trust's approach to investments in light of the Charities recently agreed strategy.

## **5.7 Fund balances**

The Charity aims to ensure that all funds maintain a positive balance which was the case in 2019/20.

## **6 Looking to the future**

### **6.1 Future Plans**

Members of the Charity Trustee continue to regularly review spending plans to reflect the changing needs of the NHS in Herefordshire and the surrounding counties. The objective is to enhance facilities for patient care, ensuring that both service needs and the objectives of the Charitable Fund are met.

In future the Trust will:

- Control, manage and monitor the use of the fund's resources.
- Continue to review the structure of funds held to enable the effective operation of the Charity whilst reflecting the wishes of donors.
- Ensure that 'best practice' is followed in the conduct of all its affairs fulfilling all of its legal responsibilities.
- Review options for future specific fundraising opportunities
- Ensure the effective utilisation of monies received by the Charity as a share of the Covid 19 national fundraising
- Develop annual plans for expenditure across all funds
- Ensure the maintenance of adequate resource across funds whilst seeking to maximise the use of the resources
- Review of the Trust's fund-raising strategy

### **6.2 Charitable donations**

The Trust is fortunate to receive charitable donations from patients, service users, members of the public and charities. This enables continued work to further enhance the facilities and provide additional equipment.

### **6.3 Impact of Covid19**

The Covid19 pandemic has had an impact on fundraising and income to charitable funds. This has been largely mitigated to date through the receipt of a share of funds raised nationally. Funds raised have been ring-fenced for the benefit of staff in line with the aims of national fund-raising.

The charity aims to spend monies donated without adding significantly to reserves. Therefore any changes to income will be managed through necessary reductions in expenditure on equipment and staff and patient welfare.

## **7 Conclusion**

Based on the information presented and discussed at the Committee meetings during the year we have concluded that the Committee is operating in accordance with its Board-approved written Terms of Reference and Department of Health requirements. It has overseen the appropriate control and allocation of Charitable Funds at Wye Valley NHS Trust.



**Mr Frank Myers MBE**  
**Charitable Funds Committee Chairman**

**STATUTORY INFORMATION**

**Wye Valley NHS Trust Umbrella Charity**

Registered Charity Number :	1058898
Charity Name :	Wye Valley NHS Trust Umbrella Charity
Address :	Wye Valley NHS Trust The County Hospital Union Walk Hereford HR1 2ER
	Russell Hardy Sue Smith Howard Oddy Lucy Flanagan Glen Burley Jane Ives David Mowbray Frank Myers MBE Mark Waller Jon Barnes Richard Humphries Andrew Cottom Christobel Hargraves
External Auditors	Deloitte UK LLP Four Brindley Place Birmingham B1 2HZ
Bankers :	Barclays Bank plc (Instant Access Deposit Account) Hereford Branch 1-3 Broad Street Hereford HR4 9BH.  Monmouthshire Building Society (30 day notice) Monmouthshire House John Frost Square Newport NP20 1PX.  Secure Trust Bank (120 day notice) One Arleston Way Solihull B90 4LH.  Nationwide Building Society (Instant Access) PO Box 1111 Swindon SN3 1TH
Governing Document :	Declaration of Trust dated 2 October 1996
Operational Management of Charities administration	Mr Howard Oddy

Wye Valley NHS Trust Umbrella Charity		Charity No	1058898
Annual accounts for the period			
Period start date	01-Apr-19	To	31-Mar-20

## Section A Statement of financial activities

Recommended categories by activity	Note	Restricted		Total funds £000	Prior year funds £000
		Unrestricted funds £000	income funds £000		
		F01	F02	F04	F05
<b>Incoming resources (Note 3)</b>					
<b>Income and endowments from:</b>					
Donations and legacies	3.	309	-	309	585
Investments	3.	11	-	11	11
<b>Total</b>		320	-	320	596
<b>Resources expended (Note 4)</b>					
<b>Expenditure on:</b>					
Raising funds	4.	49	-	49	48
Charitable activities	4.	768	-	768	470
<b>Total</b>		817	-	817	518
<b>Net income/(expenditure) before investment gains/(losses)</b>		- 497	-	- 497	78
<b>Net income/(expenditure)</b>		- 497	-	- 497	78
<b>Other recognised gains/(losses):</b>					
<b>Net movement in funds</b>		- 497	-	- 497	78
<b>Reconciliation of funds:</b>					
Total funds brought forward	10.	1,287	18	1,305	1,227
<b>Total funds carried forward</b>		790	18	808	1,305

All prior year income and expenditure is represented by unrestricted funds.

## Section B

## Balance sheet

	Note	Unrestricted funds £000	Restricted income funds £000	Total this year £000	Total last year £000
<b>Current assets</b>					
Investments (Note 6)	6.	918	-	918	907
Cash at bank and in hand (Note 8)	8.	278	18	296	446
<b>Total current assets</b>		<b>1,196</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1,214</b>	<b>1,353</b>
<b>Creditors: amounts falling due within one year (Note 7)</b>					
	7.	406	-	406	48
<b>Net current assets/(liabilities)</b>		<b>790</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>1,305</b>
<b>Total assets less current liabilities</b>		<b>790</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>1,305</b>
<b>Total net assets or liabilities</b>		<b>790</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>1,305</b>
<b>Funds of the Charity</b>					
Restricted income funds (Note 10)	10.		18	18	18
Unrestricted funds	10.	790		790	1,287
<b>Total funds</b>		<b>790</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>808</b>	<b>1,305</b>
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees					
Signature		Print Name		Date of approval dd/mm/yyyy	
		Frank Myers		10/12/2020	
		Howard Oddy		10/12/2020	

Note 1 **Basis of preparation**

*This section should be completed by all charities.*

**1.1 Basis of accounting**

These accounts have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts.

The accounts have been prepared in accordance with:

• and with

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the Statement of Recommended Practice: Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) effective 1 January 2019.

• and with

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the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102)

• and with the Charities Act 2011.

The charity constitutes a public benefit entity as defined by FRS 102.\*

**1.2 Going concern**

The charity is a going concern. The charity's expenditure in 2019/20 reflects income received plus a movement in the value of reserves within the scope of the reserves policy. Charitable expenditure is flexed in order to reflect income received. The charity does not have significant future liabilities it is obliged to meet.

The major funds held in each of these categories are disclosed in Note 10. The trustees consider that there are no material uncertainties about the charity's ability to continue as a going concern. There are no material uncertainties affecting the current year's financial statements.

The accounts present a true and fair view and the accounting policies adopted are those outlined in note 2.

**1.3 Changes to accounting estimates**

No changes to accounting estimates have occurred in the reporting period.

**1.4 Material prior year errors**

No material prior year error have been identified in the reporting period.

**Note 2                      Accounting policies**

**2.1 INCOME**

*This standard list of accounting policies has been applied by the charity except for those ticked "No" or "N/a". Where a different or additional policy has been adopted then this is detailed in the box below.*

<b>Recognition of income</b>	<p>These are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>the charity becomes entitled to the resources;</li> <li>it is more likely than not that the trustees will receive the resources; and</li> <li>the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability.</li> </ul>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>																		
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<b>Offsetting</b>	<p>There has been no offsetting of assets and liabilities, or income and expenses, unless required or permitted by the FRS 102 SORP or FRS 102.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>																		
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<b>Grants and donations</b>	<p>Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP).</p> <p>In the case of performance related grants, income must only be recognised to the extent that the charity has provided the specified goods or services as entitlement to the grant only occurs when the performance related conditions are met (5.16 FRS 102 SORP).</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>																		
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<b>Legacies</b>	<p>Legacies are included in the SOFA when receipt is probable, that is, when there has been grant of probate, the executors have established that there are sufficient assets in the estate and any conditions attached to the legacy are either within the control of the charity or have been met.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>																		
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<b>Tax reclaims on donations and gifts</b>	<p>Gift Aid receivable is included in income when there is a valid declaration from the donor. Any Gift Aid amount recovered on a donation is considered to be part of that gift and is treated as an addition to the same fund as the initial donation unless the donor or the terms of the appeal have specified otherwise.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>																		
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<b>Donated goods</b>	<p>Donated goods are measured at fair value (the amount for which the asset could be exchanged) unless impractical to do so.</p> <p>The cost of any stock of goods donated for distribution to beneficiaries is deemed to be the fair value of those gifts at the time of their receipt and they are recognised on receipt. In the reporting period in which the stocks are distributed, they are recognised as an expense at the carrying amount of the stocks at distribution.</p> <p>Donated goods for resale are measured at fair value on initial recognition, which is the expected proceeds from sale less the expected costs of sale, and recognised in 'Income from other trading activities' with the corresponding stock recognised in the balance sheet. On its sale the value of stock is charged against 'Income from other trading activities' and the proceeds from sale are also recognised as 'Income from other trading activities'.</p> <p>Goods donated for on-going use by the charity are recognised as tangible fixed assets and included in the SoFA as incoming resources when receivable.</p> <p>Gifts in kind for use by the charity are included in the SoFA as income from donations when receivable.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table> <table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table> <table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table> <table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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<b>Donated services and facilities</b>	<p>Donated services and facilities are included in the SOFA when received at the value of the gift to the charity provided the value of the gift can be measured reliably.</p> <p>Donated services and facilities that are consumed immediately are recognised as income with an equivalent amount recognised as an expense under the appropriate heading in the SOFA.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table> <table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table> <table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>						
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<b>Income from interest, royalties and dividends</b>	<p>This is included in the accounts when receipt is probable and the amount receivable can be measured reliably.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>																		
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<b>Income from membership subscriptions</b>	<p>Membership subscriptions received in the nature of a gift are recognised in Donations and Legacies.</p> <p>Membership subscriptions which gives a member the right to buy services or other benefits are recognised as income earned from the provision of goods and services as income from charitable activities.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table> <table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>												
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<b>Settlement of insurance claims</b>	<p>Insurance claims are only included in the SoFA when the general income recognition criteria are met (5.10 to 5.12 FRS102 SORP) and are included as an item of other income in the SoFA.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>																		
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<b>Investment gains and losses</b>	<p>This includes any realised or unrealised gains or losses on the sale of investments and any gain or loss resulting from revaluing investments to market value at the end of the year.</p>	<table> <tr><td>Yes</td><td>No</td><td>N/a</td></tr> <tr><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input type="checkbox"/></td><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td></tr> </table>	Yes	No	N/a	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>																		
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## 2.2 EXPENDITURE AND LIABILITIES

<b>Liability recognition</b>	Liabilities are recognised where it is more likely than not that there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources and the amount of the obligation can be measured with reasonable certainty.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Governance and support costs</b>	Support costs include governance costs. Governance costs comprise all costs involving public accountability of the charity and its compliance with regulation and good practice.  The only governance costs incurred relate to the cost of the independent examination of the accounts and annual report. The cost incurred in the current and prior year was £1k.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Grants with performance conditions</b>	Where the charity gives a grant with conditions for its payment being a specific level of service or output to be provided, such grants are only recognised in the SoFA once the recipient of the grant has provided the specified service or output.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Grants payable without performance conditions</b>	Where there are no conditions attaching to the grant that enables the donor charity to realistically avoid the commitment, a liability for the full funding obligation must be recognised.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Redundancy cost</b>	The charity made no redundancy payments during the reporting period.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Deferred income</b>	No material item of deferred income has been included in the accounts.	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Creditors</b>	The charity has creditors which are measured at settlement amounts less any trade discounts	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Provisions for liabilities</b>	A liability is measured on recognition at its historical cost and then subsequently measured at the best estimate of the amount required to settle the obligation at the reporting date	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Basic financial instruments</b>	The charity accounts for basic financial instruments on initial recognition as per paragraph 11.7 FRS102 SORP. Subsequent measurement is as per paragraphs 11.17 to 11.19, FRS102 SORP.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input type="checkbox"/>

## 2.3 ASSETS

<b>Tangible fixed assets for use by charity</b>	These are capitalised if they can be used for more than one year.  They are valued at cost.  The depreciation rates and methods used are disclosed in note 9.2.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Intangible fixed assets</b>	The charity has intangible fixed assets, that is, non-monetary assets that do not have physical substance but are identifiable and are controlled by the charity through custody or legal rights. The amortisation rates and methods used are disclosed in note 9.5  They are valued at cost.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Heritage assets</b>	The charity has heritage assets, that is, non-monetary assets with historic, artistic, scientific, technological, geophysical or environmental qualities that are held and maintained principally for their contribution to knowledge and culture. The depreciation rates and methods used as disclosed in note 9.6.1.4.  They are valued at cost.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Investments</b>	Fixed asset investments in quoted shares, traded bonds and similar investments are valued at initially at cost and subsequently at fair value (their market value) at the year end. The same treatment is applied to unlisted investments unless fair value cannot be measured reliably in which case it is measured at cost less impairment.  Investments held for resale or pending their sale and cash and cash equivalents with a maturity date of less than 1 year are treated as current asset investments	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Stocks and work in progress</b>	Stocks held for sale as part of non-charitable trade are measured at the lower or cost or net realisable value.  Goods or services provided as part of a charitable activity are measured at net realisable value based on the service potential provided by items of stock.  Work in progress is valued at cost less any foreseeable loss that is likely to occur on the contract.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Debtors</b>	Debtors (including trade debtors and loans receivable) are measured on initial recognition at settlement amount after any trade discounts or amount advanced by the charity. Subsequently, they are measured at the cash or other consideration expected to be received.	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Current asset investments</b>	The charity has investments which it holds for resale or pending their sale and cash and cash equivalents with a maturity date of less than one year held for investment purposes rather than to meet short term cash commitments as they fall due.  They are valued at fair value except where they qualify as basic financial instruments.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	N/a <input type="checkbox"/>

## Note 3 Analysis of income

		Unrestricted funds £000	Restricted income funds £000	Total funds £000	Prior year £000
Analysis					
Donations and legacies:	Donations and gifts	290	-	290	362
	Gift Aid	1	-	1	9
	Legacies	18	-	18	214
	<b>Total</b>	309	-	309	585
Income from investments:	Interest income	11	-	11	11
	<b>Total</b>	11	-	11	11
<b>TOTAL INCOME</b>		320	-	320	596

Other information:

Within the income items above the following items are material: (please disclose the nature, amount and any prior year amounts)

£100k received from Air Ambulance towards the cost of the Helipad.

**Section C** **Notes to the accounts** **(cont)**

**Note 4** **Analysis of expenditure**

Analysis	This year				Last year			
	Unrestricted funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Unrestricted funds	Restricted income funds	Endowment funds	Total funds
	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
<b>Expenditure on raising funds:</b>								
Fundraising agents	49	-	-	49	48	-	-	48
<b>Total expenditure on raising funds</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>48</b>
<b>Expenditure on charitable activities:</b>								
Patients welfare and amenities	145	-	-	145	152	-	-	152
Staff welfare and amenities	25	-	-	25	58	-	-	58
Staff Training	25	-	-	25	29	-	-	29
Contributions to NHS:			-				-	
Purchase of new equipment	555	-	-	555	212	-	-	212
Miscellaneous	18	-	-	18	19	-	-	19
<b>Total expenditure on charitable activities</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>470</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>470</b>
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURE</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>817</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>518</b>

**Analysis of expenditure on charitable activities**

Activity or programme	This year				Last year			
	Activities undertaken directly	Grant funding of activities	Support Costs	Total this year	Activities undertaken directly	Grant funding of activities	Support Costs	Total last year
	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
Patient welfare and amenities	145	-	3	148	152	-	6	158
Staff welfare and amenities	25	-	1	26	58	-	2	60
Staff training	25	-	1	26	29	-	1	30
Purchase of new equipment	555	-	13	568	212	-	10	222
<b>Total</b>	<b>750</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>768</b>	<b>451</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>470</b>

Support costs identified above includes governance costs of £1k in respect of the accounts external examination fee (2018/19, £1k). Support costs also includes administrative staff and office costs.

**Note 5** Details of certain items of expenditure**5.1 Fees for examination of the accounts**

*Please provide details of the amount paid for any statutory external scrutiny of accounts and other services provided by your independent examiner. If nothing was paid please enter '0' in the appropriate box(es).*

Independent examiner's fees

This year	Last year
£000	£000
1	1

**Note 6**                      **Investment assets**

**6.1** Please provide a breakdown of current asset investments, if applicable, agreeing with the balance sheet.

**Analysis of current asset investments**

Cash or cash equivalents

Total

This year	Last year
£000	£000
918	907
918	907

**Note 7**                      **Creditors and accruals**  
*Please complete this note if the charity has any creditors or accruals.*

**7.1 Analysis of creditors**

**Trade creditors**

Amounts falling due within one year		Amounts falling due after more than one year	
This year £000	Last year £000	This year £000	Last year £000
406	48	-	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>406</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>-</b>

**Note 8                      Cash at bank and in hand****Short term cash investments (less than 3 months maturity date)****Short term deposits****Cash at bank and on hand****Other****Total**

<b>This year £000</b>	<b>Last year £000</b>
-	-
-	-
296	446
-	-
296	446

**Note 9**                      **Events after the end of the reporting period**  
*Please complete this note events (not requiring adjustment to the accounts) have occurred after the end of the reporting period but before the accounts are authorised which relate to conditions that arose after the end of the*

	This year	Last year
<b>Please provide details of the nature of the event</b>	Covid 19 pandemic	None
<b>Provide an estimate of the financial effect of the event or a statement that such an estimate cannot be made</b>	No impact on the accounts for 2019/20 but there may be an effect on the value of future donations with an attendant impact on the ability of the charity to fund expenditure for Hospital equipment and facilities	None

**Note 10**                      **Charity funds**

**10.1 Details of material funds held and movements during the CURRENT reporting period**

*Please give details of the movements of material individual funds in the reporting period together with a balancing figure for 'Other funds'. The 'Total funds' figure below should reconcile to 'Total funds' in the balance sheet.*

*\* Key: R - restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity; and U - unrestricted funds*

Fund names	Type R or U*	Purpose and Restrictions	Fund balances brought forward	Income	Expenditure	Fund balances carried forward
			£000	£000	£000	£000
Urgent Care	U	Healthcare	190	26	(78)	138
Integrated Family Health	U	Healthcare	160	55	(140)	75
Central funds	U	Healthcare	517	141	(482)	176
Emergency Care	U	Healthcare	420	98	(117)	401
Emergency Care	R	Endoscopy	18	0	0	18
<b>Total Funds</b>			<b>1,305</b>	<b>320</b>	<b>(817)</b>	<b>808</b>

**10.2 Details of material funds held and movements during the PREVIOUS reporting period**

*\* Key: R - restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity; and U - unrestricted funds*

Fund names	Type R or U*	Purpose and Restrictions	Fund balances brought forward	Income	Expenditure	Fund balances carried forward
			£000	£000	£000	£000
Urgent Care	U	Healthcare	198	45	(53)	190
Integrated Family Health	U	Healthcare	81	115	(36)	160
Central funds	U	Healthcare	595	204	(282)	517
Emergency Care	U	Healthcare	335	232	(147)	420
Emergency Care	R	Endoscopy	18	0	0	18
<b>Total Funds</b>			<b>1,227</b>	<b>596</b>	<b>(518)</b>	<b>1,305</b>

**Note 11 Transactions with trustees and related parties**

**11.1 Trustee remuneration and benefits**

In the period the charity has paid trustees remuneration and benefits.

Name of trustee	Legal authority (eg order, governing document)	Amounts paid or benefit value				
		Remuneration (bands of £5,000)	Pension related benefit (bands of £2,500)	Redundancy (including loss of office)/ex gratia	Other	TOTAL (bands of £5k)
		£000	£000	£000	£000	£000
S Smith	WVT Exec Director	95-100	22.5-25			120-125
H Oddy	WVT Exec Director	115-120	15-17.5			130-135
L Flanagan	WVT Exec Director	100-105	27.5-30			130-135
J Barnes	WVT Exec Director	115-120	22.5-25			140-145
G Burley	WVT Exec Director	40-45			2	45-50
J Ives	WVT Exec Director	130-135	27.5-30		5	165-170
D Mowbray	WVT Exec Director	170-175	57.5-60			225-230
R Hardy	WVT Chairman	15-20				15-20
F Myers MBE	WVT Non-Exec Dir	5-10				5-10
M Waller	WVT Non-Exec Dir	5-10				5-10
R Humphries	WVT Non-Exec Dir	5-10				5-10
A Cottom	WVT Non-Exec Dir	5-10				5-10
C Hargraves	WVT Non-Exec Dir	5-10				5-10

*Please give details of why remuneration or other employment benefits were paid.*

The remuneration paid relates to trustees roles as Executive and Non-Executive Directors of Wye Valley NHS Trust which is the host body and beneficiary of the Wye Valley NHS Trust Umbrella Charity.

**11.2 Trustees' expenses**

*If the charity has paid trustees expenses for fulfilling their duties, details of such transactions should be provided in this note. If there are no transactions to report, please enter "True" in the box below. If there are transactions to report, please enter "False".*

No trustee expenses have been incurred (True or False)

TRUE

## 11.3 Transaction(s) with related parties

Details of transactions undertaken by the charity in which a related party has a material interest, including where funds have been held as agent for related parties are detailed below. No donations were received from any of the charity trustees.

## This year

There were related party transactions in the reporting period

Name of the trustee or related party	Relationship to charity	Description of the transaction(s)	Amount	Balance at period end	Provision for bad debts at period end	Amounts written off during reporting period
			£000	£000	£000	£000
Wye Valley NHS Trust	The Directors of the Trust Board are members of the Trustee of the charity	Staff/patient welfare and equipment	817	406	0	0

*In relation to the transactions above, please provide the terms and conditions, including any security and the nature of any payment (consideration) to be provided in settlement.*

Wye Valley NHS Trust makes payments on behalf of the charitable fund which are then fully reimbursed by the charity. All charitable purchases are made in line with procedures in place to authorise the use of funds. The arrangements for payment ensure that purchases are made in accordance with processes and systems in place ensuring financial governance and value for money. Funds to cover purchases by the charity are reimbursed to the trust.

*For any related party, please provide details of any guarantees given or received.*

No guarantees were given or received. Operating processes exist between the two related parties as described above.

## Last year

There were related party transactions in the reporting period

Name of the trustee or related party	Relationship to charity	Description of the transaction(s)	Amount	Balance at period end	Provision for bad debts at period end	Amounts written off during reporting period
			£000	£000	£000	£000
Wye Valley NHS Trust	The Directors of the Trust Board are members of the Trustee of the charity	Staff/patient welfare and equipment	518	48	0	0

*In relation to the transactions above, please provide the terms and conditions, including any security and the nature of any payment (consideration) to be provided in settlement.*

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No guarantees were given or received. Operating processes exist between the two related parties as described above.

# **INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE WYE VALLEY NHS TRUST UMBRELLA CHARITY**

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of The Wye Valley NHS Trust Umbrella Charity ("the Charity") for the year ended 31 March 2020 which comprise the income and expenditure account, the balance sheet and the related notes 1 to 17.

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 and regulations made under section 154 of that Act. My work has been undertaken so that I might state to the charity's trustees those matters I am required to state to them in an independent examiner's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for my work, for this report, or for the opinions I have formed.

## **Responsibilities and basis of report**

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the 2011 Act"). You are satisfied that your charity is not required by charity law to be audited and have chosen instead to have an independent examination.

I report in respect of my examination of your charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act. In carrying out my examination I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.

## **Independent examiner's statement**

Since the charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 your examiner must be a member of a body listed in section 145 of the 2011 Act. I confirm that I am qualified to undertake the examination because I am a member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, which is one of the listed bodies.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair view' which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.

Sarah Anderson, ACCA  
for and on behalf of Deloitte LLP  
Leeds, United Kingdom

10 December 2020

## **INDEPENDENT EXAMINER'S REPORT TO THE WYE VALLEY NHS TRUST UMBRELLA CHARITY**

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of The Wye Valley NHS Trust Umbrella Charity ("the Charity") for the year ended 31 March 2020 which comprise the income and expenditure account, the balance sheet and the related notes 1 to 12.

This report is made solely to the charity's trustees, as a body, in accordance with section 145 of the Charities Act 2011 and regulations made under section 154 of that Act. My work has been undertaken so that I might state to the charity's trustees those matters I am required to state to them in an independent examiner's report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, I do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the charity and the charity's trustees as a body, for my work, for this report, or for the opinions I have formed.

### **Responsibilities and basis of report**

As the charity's trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011 ("the 2011 Act"). You are satisfied that your charity is not required by charity law to be audited and have chosen instead to have an independent examination.

I report in respect of my examination of your charity's accounts as carried out under section 145 of the 2011 Act. In carrying out my examination I have followed the applicable Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145(5)(b) of the 2011 Act.


### **Independent examiner's statement**

Since the charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 your examiner must be a member of a body listed in section 145 of the 2011 Act. I confirm that I am qualified to undertake the examination because I am a member of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants, which is one of the listed bodies.

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the 2011 Act; or
2. the accounts do not accord with those records; or
3. the accounts do not comply the applicable requirements concerning the form and content of accounts set out in the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 other than any requirement that the accounts give a 'true and fair view' which is not a matter considered as part of an independent examination.

I have no concerns and have come across no other matters in connection with the examination to which attention should be drawn in this report in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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