

Radiotherapy UK

England & Wales · Charity number 1135902

Details

Other names	ACORRN - ACTION RADIOTHERAPY, ACADEMIC CLINICAL ONCOLOGY AND RADIOBIOLOGY RESEARCH NETWORK, ACTION RADIOTHERAPY
Status	Registered
Legal form	Other
Registered	2010-05-12
Register	View on the Charity Commission register

Contact

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Activities

Objects: (1) TO PROMOTE, SUPPORT AND ENCOURAGE RESEARCH INTO RADIOTHERAPY, RADIOBIOLOGY AND ALLIED SUBJECTS, AND THE DISSEMINATION OF THE USEFUL RESULTS OF SUCH RESEARCH BY SUCH ACTIONS AS: (A) PROMOTING AND FACILITATING MULTIDISCIPLINARY COLLABORATION BETWEEN RESEARCHERS AND PRACTITIONERS IN RADIOTHERAPY AND ITS ALLIED SUBJECTS; (B) INFORMING PATIENTS AND THE PUBLIC ABOUT PRACTICE AND RESEARCH IN RADIOTHERAPY AND ITS ALLIED SUBJECTS, AND ENGAGING PATIENTS AND THE PUBLIC IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF RESEARCH PROJECTS; (C) AWARDING GRANTS AS APPROPRIATE. (2) TO ADVANCE AND BENEFIT THE PRACTICE OF RADIOTHERAPY AND ITS ALLIED SUBJECTS TO RELIEVE SICKNESS AND PRESERVE GOOD HEALTH BY SUCH ACTIONS AS: (A) PROMOTING AND FACILITATING MULTIDISCIPLINARY NETWORKING AND SHARING OF EXPERTISE AND BEST PRACTICE; (B) PROMOTING AND ENCOURAGING THE STUDY OF THE SCIENCE AND PRACTICE OF RADIOTHERAPY AND ITS ALLIED SUBJECTS; (C) PROMOTING AND FACILITATING INCREASED INVOLVEMENT OF ALLIED PROFESSIONS; (D) FACILITATING DEVELOPMENT AND DISSEMINATION OF BEST PRACTICES IN RADIOTHERAPY AND ITS ALLIED SUBJECTS; (E) DISSEMINATING KNOWLEDGE CONCERNING ALL ASPECTS OF THE SCIENCE AND PRACTICE OF RADIOTHERAPY AND ITS ALLIED SUBJECTS; (F) PROMOTING AND FACILITATING EDUCATION AND TRAINING IN THE RESEARCH AND PRACTICE OF RADIOTHERAPY AND ITS ALLIED SUBJECTS.

Activities: - Advocating to improve access to high quality radiotherapy treatment across the UK. - Developing patient information packages - Supporting skills and knowledge development of radiotherapy workforce

Classification

- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Provides Advocacy/advice/information, Acts As An Umbrella Or Resource Body
- **What:** Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives
- **Who:** Other Defined Groups

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** UNDEFINED. IN PRACTICE, NATIONAL
- Throughout England And Wales

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-06-22	£214,611	£201,658	-	-
2024-06-22	£117,109	£162,760	-	-
2023-06-22	£128,573	£112,912	-	-
2022-06-22	£173,743	£92,341	-	-
2021-06-22	£111,189	£43,109	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
PROF PATRICIA PRICE	Chair	
Adele Lyons		2024-09-10
Andy Tudor		2024-09-10
Dr Christy Goldsmith		2014-09-04
Dr Clare Louise Hague		2024-09-10
Dr William Philip MAYLES		
Professor Andrew Beavis		2024-09-10
Samina Hussain		2024-09-10
TANYA PERSEY		2013-05-08
VICTORIA CHAPMAN		2024-09-10

Accounts



**CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES**

Trustees’ Annual Report for the period							
From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	23	June	2024		22	June	2025

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Other names charity is known by	ACCORN Action Radiotherapy
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Achievements and Performance

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		(WRAD). Developed in partnership with founding organisation Global Coalition for Radiotherapy, the day highlighted the need for national and international advocacy to improve access to radiotherapy for all patients globally. • Parliamentary engagement included 130 Written Questions and one dedicated debate on Accessibility to Radiotherapy on World Cancer Day 2025. • Our <i>CatchUpWithCancer</i> petition surpassed 624,919 signatures on change.org petition. • We launched our landmark report, Unlocking Modern Radiotherapy, providing critical analysis and recommendations to transform patient access. • Radiotherapy UK continued as secretariat for the All-Party Parliamentary Group for Radiotherapy (APPG-RT). Following the election of a new government, the APPG was successfully reconstituted, ending the period with 41 MP members. Patient Information • Launched our Patients and Families Online Hub – a major milestone packed with resources to support patients and their loved ones throughout the radiotherapy pathway. • Successfully renewed our PIF TICK accreditation following rigorous independent assessment – maintaining our status as a <i>trusted information creator</i> and holding the UK's only assessed quality mark for health and care information. • Created over 45 new patient information resources, ensuring clarity and accessibility for those navigating treatment. • Hosted 8 meetings of our Patient Engagement Group, strengthening patient voice in our work. • Engaged 10 patient reviewers and 20 clinical reviewers to support the development of high-quality patient information resources. • Our new Patients and Families Online Hub have driven significant increase in visits to our website with 56,000 new users over this period, representing a 40% increase in new users from previous period. • We are project partners of the GRACE project, (Gynae Radiotherapy Consent Enhancement), research led by Lancaster and Bangor universities and funded by NIHR. GRACE aims to improve how patients make informed decisions about radiotherapy for gynaecological cancer, with input from clinical experts, researchers, those with lived experience and the public.
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		Workforce Engagement • Delivered four RTUK Talks webinars, attracting 1,221 registrations and generating 479 YouTube views, providing valuable learning and networking opportunities for the radiotherapy workforce. • Expanded our Workforce Ambassadors programme, now engaging 50 ambassadors who champion best practice and workforce development across the UK. • Launched the 2024 Flash Workforce Survey, with responses from just under 10% of the workforce, helping to inform and strengthen our advocacy work by amplifying the voice of frontline professionals. Communications and Awareness • Maintained a strong media presence, with regular coverage in national news and major print publications. <i>(All coverage is available here.)</i> • Significant growth across key digital channels, in line with our communications strategy: ○ Daily News: 1,964 subscribers ○ Instagram: 22% increase in followers (from 2,538 to 3,100) ○ LinkedIn: 24.3% growth (from 6,554 to 8,153 followers) ○ Facebook: 6.5% growth (from 2,538 to 3,100 followers) • Website traffic surged, with a 40% increase in new users, reaching 56,000. • YouTube engagement grew, with 9,406 views and 485.9 watch hours, expanding our reach through video content. Governance • Recruited six new Board members, bringing fresh expertise and perspectives to strengthen leadership and oversight. • Developed the 2025–2028 Strategic Plan, setting a clear roadmap for growth, impact, and sustainability.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		Corporate Partnerships The charity benefits from several corporate partnerships for example Varian (Siemens Healthineers) and Ergea co-sponsor the charity's Daily News bulletin. All these partnerships are agreed on a vendor neutral basis.

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The Charity's total income for this financial year was £214,611. Total expenditure for this year was £201,658 leaving the charity with a year-end net profit of £12,953 During 2024/2025 The Charity has managed to continue its work within budget by using its contacts and generous donations in kind (resources) from Price Jones Ltd. With the current economic constraints and cost of living crisis this is a challenging time for charity income generation. However, the charity is confident that there are untapped avenues of funding available to the organisation. In this year the charity hired a part-time fundraiser to support with accessing this funding.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Radiotherapy UK's policy is to provide the charity with adequate financial stability and the means for it to meet its charitable objectives. Except for such funds as the Trustees consider prudent to maintain for the purposes of management and administration of the charity for the foreseeable future, all unrestricted funds are used to the purpose of general objects of the charity. The adequacy of the reserves is reviewed annually.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£163,577 (excluding the related party loan mentioned below)
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	The Charity has a long-term interest-free loan from related party Price Jones Ltd which is repayable at £2,500pa. The balance at June 2025 is £12,672.
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	There are no current uncertainties regarding the charity continuing as a going concern.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	The Charity's main source of funds for this reporting period were:
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		1. Public Donations via online giving and community events. 2. Corporate donations 3. Legacies
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	We do not currently hold enough reserves to warrant an investment policy.

A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	Current Challenges 1. Balancing growth with financial constraints – expanding services while managing limited resources. 2. Strained fundraising environment – cost-of-living crisis and economic uncertainty making donor engagement and income generation more difficult. 3. Maintaining beneficiary engagement – ensuring patients and service users remain actively involved in services and organisational development. 4. Strengthening governance structures – adapting policies and oversight to match organisational growth and complexity. 5. Navigating a shifting political and health landscape – responding to policy changes and advocacy needs in an unpredictable environment both nationally and geopolitically. 6. Healthcare system pressures – ongoing crisis in cancer service delivery, compounded by workforce strikes, excessive bureaucracy, leadership gaps, and minimal investment. 7. Keeping pace with technology and AI – leveraging digital tools and artificial intelligence for service delivery, fundraising, and communications while managing costs, skills gaps, and ethical considerations.
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Other		Future initiatives 1. Implement Year One of the 2025–2028 Strategic Plan, setting the foundation for long-term impact. 2. Develop new income generation streams to strengthen financial sustainability and support service growth. 3. Engage with the new Cancer Control Plan, ensuring our approach is evidence-based and data-driven. 4. Deliver new patient information resources, including comprehensive skin-care guidelines and a major project on internal radiotherapy. 5. Expand collaboration with like-minded organisations, nationally and internationally, to amplify reach and influence. 6. Continue campaigning and advocacy efforts to secure improved access to high-quality radiotherapy services across the UK. 7. Strengthen workforce engagement through the continued growth of our Workforce Ambassadors Programme, supporting professional development and advocacy. 8. Advance the APPG-RT programme of work, with a focus on tackling inequalities in access to radiotherapy services. 9. Collaborate with research partners across all areas, including projects aimed at improving patient experience and supporting the adoption of new radiotherapy techniques.

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Association
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Original Trustees were nominated and elected by the ACORRN Scientific Steering Committee. New Trustees are nominated by the same process and are elected by consensus of the Board of Trustees of Radiotherapy UK.

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Radiotherapy UK (previously Action Radiotherapy)
Other name the charity uses	ACORRN
Registered charity number	1135902
Charity's principal address	4 Abbotsbury House 139 Abbotsbury Road London W14 8EN

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Professor Patricia Price	Chair		Board of Trustees
2	Dr Christy Goldsmith	Secretary		Board of Trustees
3	Ms Tanya Levine	Treasurer		Board of Trustees
4	Dr Clive Harmer		Resigned 1.2.25	Board of Trustees
5	Professor Philip Mayles			Board of Trustees
6	Victoria Chapman		Appointed 12.9.24	Board of Trustees
7	Samina Hussain		Appointed 12.9.24	Board of Trustees
8	Professor Andrew Beavis		Appointed 12.9.24	Board of Trustees
9	Adele Lyons		Appointed 12.9.24	Board of Trustees
10	Andy Tudor		Appointed 12.9.24	Board of Trustees
11	Dr Clare Louise Hague		Appointed 12.9.24	Board of Trustees

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	None
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	None
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	None

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

Sarah Quinlan – Charity Director

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

Other optional information

Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Professor Pat Price	
Position (e.g. Secretary, Chair, etc	Chair	
Date	16 December 2025	



Receipts and pay

For the period from

23.06.2024

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts		
Corporate donations	156,167	-
Community	22,814	-
Trusts & Foundations	5,599	-
Legacies	30,000	-
Interest Income	31	-
	-	-
	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	214,611	-
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).		
	-	-
	-	-
Sub total	-	-
Total receipts	214,611	-

A3 Payments

Advocacy & campaigning	22,018	-
Charity running costs	4,690	-
Communications	5,550	-
Contractors	76,071	-
Income generation	89	-
IT & development	2,250	-
Patient services	920	-
Professional fees	5,105	-
Promotional materials	2,979	-
Research & Data analytics	-	-
Salaries	73,431	-
Workforce services	2,248	-
Training & development	3,807	-
Loan repayment	2,500	-
Sub total	201,658	-

A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)

Computer equipment	-	-
	-	-

Sub total	-	-
Total payments	201,658	-
Net of receipts/(payments)	12,953	-
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	150,624	-
Cash funds this year end	163,577	-

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end

Categories	Details
B1 Cash funds	Bank
	Total cash funds
(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	

B2 Other monetary assets	Details

B3 Investment assets	Details

B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	

B5 Liabilities

Details

Loan due to Professor Pat Price Limited

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of
all the trustees

Signature

	1135902	CC16a
ments accounts		
To	22.06.2025	



Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
-	156,167	91,431
-	22,814	23,208
-	5,599	2,470
-	30,000	
-	31	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	214,611	117,110

-	-	
-	-	-
-	-	-
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-	22,018	11,537
-	4,690	5,626
-	5,550	8,318
-	76,071	60,127
-	89	1,409
-	2,250	5,734
-	920	629
-	5,105	3,708
-	2,979	823
-	-	7,200
-	73,431	53,617
-	2,248	255
-	3,807	30
-	2,500	2,500
-	201,658	161,511

-	-	1,247
-	-	

-	-	1,247
-	201,658	162,758
-	12,953	- 45,650
-	-	-
-	150,624	196,275
-	163,577	150,625

of the period

Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds
to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
163,577	-	-
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to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-

Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-

Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-

	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-

Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
	12,672	
	-	
	-	
	-	
	-	

Print Name	Date of approval

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Radiotherapy UK

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Radiotherapy UK for the year ended 22 June 2025.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011. ('the Act').

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

Independent examiner's statement

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 Act; or
2. The accounts do not accord with those records.

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 to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



Susan Redmond FCA
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9th January 2026

**RADIOTHERAPY UK
YEAR ENDED 22 JUNE 2025
NOTES TO ACCOUNTS**

Interest-free loan

The charity received an interest-free loan from Price Jones Limited, a company in which one of the trustees Professor Patricia Price is a director and shareholder. The loan currently stands at £12,672 and is repayable at £2,500 per annum beginning 1 July 2017.

Related party transactions

During the year there was a further £2,374 (2024: £4,676) paid to Professor Pat Price Limited. These were for general administrative costs. All transactions were considered to be at arm's length.

During the year donations of £38,017 (2024:£40,000) were received from Radiotherapy4Life Limited, a company in which one of the trustees Patricia Price is a director and shareholder. Donations of £5,000 were received from Professor Pat Price Limited, a company in which Patricia Price is also a director.

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Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<u>In addition to the activities noted above</u>, the charity has achieved the following this year for the benefit of patients, professionals, and the wider community: Advocacy and Policy - Development and delivery of landmark report from the APPG-Radiotherapy; 'World-class Radiotherapy in the UK: Right Patient, Right Treatment, Right Time.' The charity facilitated a UK-wide collaboration to deliver a 10-year vision for radiotherapy that was launched in Parliament in February 2025. - As part of our 10-year vision work, the charity launched a patient survey to understand what patients and family members thought world-class radiotherapy would look like. We received 279 responses. - We attended two national conferences to amplify the World-class Radiotherapy report, presenting at the OPC in London and organising a 'Big Hitter' session at UKIO in London with patients and workforce leading an engaging session. - The charity had our first abstract poster accepted for display at ESTRO 2024. Developed in partnership with the Global Coalition for Radiotherapy, the poster highlighted the need for national and international advocacy to improve access to radiotherapy. Poster can be viewed here - Co-ordinated #CatchUpWithCancer day in parliament for World Cancer Day 2024. Over 20 cancer charities took part and over 60 MPs committed to working to improve how long cancer patients wait for treatment in the UK. - Actor, writer and comedian, Stephen Fry created a video supporting our #CatchUpWithCancer campaign, leading to an additional 100,000 signatures on the change.org petition in one day and bringing the total amount of signatures to over

		600,000. • In partnership with Global Coalition for Radiotherapy organised ‘Integrating Radiotherapy into Cancer Plans’ event at London Global Cancer Week. • Development, analysis and launch of Equity of Access report found that 22% of the total population of the UK are further than the recommended 45 minutes from their closest radiotherapy service. • Radiotherapy UK continues to act as secretariate to the All-Party Parliamentary Group for Radiotherapy. At the end of this period, the APPG had 57 members. Patient Information Resources • Radiotherapy UK was awarded PIF TICK accreditation to become a ‘trusted information creator’ with the UK’s only assessed quality mark for print and online health and care information • Coproduction of first patient ‘virtual’ video to help prepare patients for the experience of external beam radiotherapy (EBRT) for breast cancer. • Coproduction and launch of new patient video series ‘Understanding Gamma Knife radiotherapy. • Eight group and individual meetings for participants in our 2023 and 2024 Patient Engagement Groups • Ten patient and eleven clinical reviewers supporting our patient information resource development Workforce Engagement • Five RTUK Talks webinars, with total registrations of 843 and 1,291 views on YouTube. 2024 series launched with aim of five talks sponsored by AstraZeneca. • Workforce Ambassadors programme re-launched with 40 ambassadors in total engaged (16 from relaunch) • Flash Workforce Survey 2023 launched. 803 Responses (over 10% of the Radiotherapy workforce) to inform and support the advocacy work of the charity in amplifying the voice of the frontline workforce. • Official communication channel established with radiotherapy department managers via managers network chairperson. Communications and Awareness • The charity has a high media profile with regular press coverage on national news and major print publications. This year we also reached an international audience following the news of the Princess of Wales’ diagnosis with our chair features in ABC News, PBS and the Washington Post. All coverage can be found here. In line with our communications strategy, key social and media channels have developed strongly over the course of this year: • LinkedIn: 75.6% follower growth from 3,732 to
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		6,554. • Radiotherapy UK website: 40,000 new users. • YouTube: 11,015 views, 492 watch hours, 83 new subscribers (176% increase) • Radiotherapy Daily newsletter: Subscribers have grown steadily to 1,887 from 1,808. 1,498 • Instagram: grown from 2,402 followers to 2,538 followers. (5.66% growth) • Facebook: grown to 2,349 followers from 2,213. (6.15% growth) • X: Analytics now a paid-for service which we cannot justify as a small charity. We are also reviewing whether we wish to continue with this platform.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		Corporate Partnerships The charity benefits from a number of corporate partnerships for example Varian (Siemens Healthineers) and Ergea co-sponsor the charity's Daily News bulletin. All these partnerships are agreed on a vendor neutral basis.

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The Charity's total income for this financial year was £117,109 Total expenditure for this year was £162,760 leaving the charity with a year-end net deficit of £45,651 During 2023/2024 The Charity has managed to continue its work within its limited budget by using its contacts and generous donations in kind (resources) from Price Jones Ltd. With the current economic constraints and cost of living crisis this is a challenging time for charity income generation. However the charity are confident that there are untapped avenues of funding available to the organisation. To support accessing these, the charity will hire a part-time fundraiser in FY24-25.
Statement explaining the policy for	Para 1.22	Radiotherapy UK's policy is to provide the charity with

holding reserves stating why they are held		adequate financial stability and the means for it to meet its charitable objectives. Except for such funds as the Trustees consider prudent to maintain for the purposes of management and administration of the charity for the foreseeable future, all unrestricted funds are used to the purpose of general objects of the charity. The adequacy of the reserves is reviewed annually.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£150,624 (excluding the related party loan mentioned below)
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	The Charity has a long-term interest-free loan from related party Price Jones Ltd which is repayable at £2,500pa. The balance at June 2024 is £15,172
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	There are no current uncertainties regarding the charity continuing as a going concern.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	The Charity's main source of funds for this reporting period were: 1. Public Donations via online giving and community events. 2. Corporate donations from: BClear, Ergea, Brainlab, FlenHealth, Varian Siemens-Healthineers, Amethyst, AstraZeneca, Elekta, Price Jones, Accuray. 3. Radiotherapy4Life donation for administrative and research analysis support.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	We do not currently hold enough reserves to warrant an investment policy.

A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	Current Challenges 1. Matching growth of charity to meet service development needs with financial constraints 2. Strained financial environment and COL crisis creates difficult circumstances for fundraising 3. Ensuring patients and beneficiaries engaged with services and organisational development. 4. Developing appropriate governance structures in line with organisational growth. 5. Changing political environment 6. Continuing crisis in delivery of cancer services exacerbated by workforce strikes, over-bureaucracy, limiting leadership and minimal investment.
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Other		Future initiatives The following are considered to be priorities for the coming year: 1.Implement final year of current strategic plan and begin development of 2025 - 2028 strategy. 2.Recruit new Board members. 3.Development of detailed solutions following on from Radiotherapy Vision 2024 4.Launch of new online patient information hub 5.Recruitment of Relationship Fundraiser Manager to develop income generation avenues. 6.Expand workforce engagement initiatives. 7.Continue to campaign and advocate for increased access to high quality radiotherapy services across the UK

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Association
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Original Trustees were nominated and elected by the ACORRN Scientific Steering Committee. New Trustees are nominated by the same process and are elected by consensus of the Board of Trustees of Radiotherapy UK.

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Radiotherapy UK (previously Action Radiotherapy)
Other name the charity uses	ACORRN
Registered charity number	1135902
Charity's principal address	4 Abbotsbury House 139 Abbotsbury Road London W14 8EN

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Professor Patricia Price	Chair		Board of Trustees
2	Dr Christy Goldsmith	Secretary		Board of Trustees
3	Ms Tanya Levine	Treasurer		Board of Trustees
4	Dr Clive Harmer			Board of Trustees
5	Professor Philip Mayles			Board of Trustees
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Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	None
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	None
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	None

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

Sarah Quinlan – Charity Director

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

Other optional information

Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.		
Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees		
Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Professor Pat Price	
Position (e.g. Secretary, Chair, etc	Chair	
Date		



CHARITY COMMISSION
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Radiotherapy UK

1135902

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period from	23.06.2023	To	22.06.2024
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Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds to the nearest £	Restricted funds to the nearest £	Endowment funds to the nearest £	Total funds to the nearest £	Last year to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Corporate donations	91,431	-	-	91,431	74,822
Community	23,208	-	-	23,208	21,752
Trusts & Foundations	2,470	-	-	2,470	32,000
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	117,109	-	-	117,109	128,574
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	117,109	-	-	117,109	128,574
A3 Payments					
Advocacy & campaigning	11,537	-	-	11,537	2,387
Charity running costs	5,626	-	-	5,626	2,960
Communications	8,318	-	-	8,318	6,909
Contractors	60,127	-	-	60,127	82,042
Income generation	1,409	-	-	1,409	3,539
IT & development	5,734	-	-	5,734	4,335
Patient services	629	-	-	629	500
Professional fees	3,708	-	-	3,708	2,415
Promotional materials	823	-	-	823	42
Research & Data analytics	7,200	-	-	7,200	-
Salaries	53,617	-	-	53,617	3,836
Workforce services	255	-	-	255	391
Training & development	30	-	-	30	-
Loan repayment	2,500	-	-	2,500	2,500
Sub total	161,513	-	-	161,513	111,856
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Computer equipment	1,247	-	-	1,247	1,056
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	1,247	-	-	1,247	1,056
Total payments	162,760	-	-	162,760	112,912
Net of receipts/(payments)	45,651	-	-	45,651	15,661
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	196,275	-	-	196,275	180,614
Cash funds this year end	150,624	-	-	150,624	196,275

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Bank	150,624	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	150,624	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK
		Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets	Details	-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
B5 Liabilities	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
	Loan due to Professor Pat Price Limited		15,172	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees		Signature	Print Name	Date of approval

Trial Balance

Radiotherapy UK

As at 22 June 2024

Cash Basis

Account Code	Account	Account Type
208	Online Platforms: Amazon	Sales
218	Events: Charity Appeals (e.g. Xmas)	Sales
226	Corporate Donations	Sales
227	Community	Sales
234	Online Platforms: Just Giving	Sales
236	Events: Miles4Radiotherapy	Sales
240	Online Platforms (all)	Sales
242	Sales of Product Income	Sales
244	Services	Sales
246	Online Platforms: Stripe	Sales
248	Trusts & Foundations	Sales
400	Professional fees: Accounting	Overhead
402	IT & Development: Accounts Management (Xero/QB)	Overhead
404	Advocacy & Campaigning (R4L)	Overhead
406	Professional fees: Bank Fees	Overhead
412	Charity Running Costs: Entertaining	Overhead
414	Contractors: Comms Support	Overhead
418	Contractors: Communications Officer	Overhead
424	Contractors (all)	Overhead
425	Contractors (GCR)	Overhead
426	Communications: Coordination Platform	Overhead
430	Communications: Daily News	Overhead
432	Contractors: Director	Overhead
434	Charity Running Costs: Equipment	Overhead
436	Income Generation: Events	Overhead
438	Income Generation: Design work (non campaign)	Overhead
442	Professional fees: HR/Recruitment	Overhead
446	Patient Services	Overhead
448	Professional fees: Insurance	Overhead
452	Interest Payable	Overhead
454	Contractors: Internship	Overhead
456	IT & Development	Overhead
458	IT & Development: IT Support	Overhead
464	Professional fees: Licencing	Overhead
466	IT & Development: Marketing Platform	Overhead
468	Professional fees: Memberships	Overhead
472	IT & Development: Monitoring & Evaluation Tools (Survey Monkey)	Overhead
480	Research & Data Analysis	Overhead
481	Training & Development (RTUK team)	Overhead
490	Communications: Photography/Video production	Overhead
492	Income Generation: Platform Fees	Overhead
494	Charity Running Costs: Postage	Overhead
495	Charity Running Costs: Stationery	Overhead
500	Contractors: Project Manager	Overhead
504	Promotional Materials	Overhead
522	Salaries (inc. payee pension contributions)	Overhead
523	Salaries: Employer pension contributions	Overhead
526	IT & Development: Software	Overhead
530	Charity Running Costs: Travel/Accommodation	Overhead
538	Workforce Services: Video Conference Tools	Overhead
540	IT & Development: Website Hosting	Overhead
542	IT & Development: Website Maintenance	Overhead
544	Communications: Website Design Projects	Overhead
552	Workforce Services: Other	Overhead
806	Loan Repayments: Loan from PJ Ltd	Current Liability
600	Current	Bank
602	Equals Account	Bank
606	Savings	Bank
610/1	Debtors	Current Asset

820	VAT	Current Liability
902	Opening Balance Equity	Equity
960	Retained Earnings	Equity
Total		

Debit - Year to date	Credit - Year to date	Category	22 Jun 2023
	0.00	Community	(35.85)
	0.00	Community	49.00
	91,430.74	Corporate Donations	(104,821.68)
	5,014.25	Community	0.00
	0.00	Community	(8,099.30)
	517.86	Community	(12,584.87)
	17,676.21	Community	(682.97)
	0.00	Community	(247.75)
	0.00	Community	(51.49)
	0.00	Community	(44.30)
	2,470.46	Trusts & Foundations	(2,000.00)
1,991.24		Professional fees	936.00
271.40		IT & development	244.80
11,537.81		Advocacy & campaigning	2,386.76
84.60		Professional fees	90.00
0.00		Charity running costs	71.40
0.00		Contractors	900.00
0.00		Contractors	2,116.00
55,655.25		Contractors	2,700.00
680.00		Contractors	0.00
292.80		Communications	221.90
5,000.00		Communications	4,287.50
3,791.71		Contractors	46,667.20
1,247.21		Charity running costs	1,056.29
1,408.55		Income generation	2,523.96
0.00		Income generation	1,040.00
600.00		Professional fees	444.00
628.60		Patient services	500.00
268.59		Professional fees	259.60
0.00		Interest payable	(0.04)
0.00		Contractors	4,383.46
22.40		IT & development	690.26
0.00		IT & development	374.37
625.56		Professional fees	650.60
1,030.34		IT & development	628.90
138.09		Professional fees	35.00
384.00		IT & development	384.00
7,200.00		Research & Data Analysis	0.00
30.00		Training & Development (RT	0.00
2,400.00		Communications	327.99
216.00		Charity running costs	251.99
332.44		Charity running costs	89.29
43.52		Charity running costs	0.00
0.00		Contractors	25,662.50
822.53		Promotional materials	42.00
51,434.64		Salaries	3,835.68
2,182.19		Salaries	0.00
4,013.94		IT & development	1,635.07
5,033.88		Charity running costs	2,460.57
235.08		Workforce services	225.50
0.00		IT & development	341.84
13.26		IT & development	35.99
625.00		Communications	1,700.00
19.48		Workforce services	150.00
2500	0.00	Loan	(17,672.00)
	46022.47	Bank	195,629.73
366.83		Bank	659.80
5.05		Bank	0.00
	0.00		(106.30)

434.50			0.00
			(147,200.71)
			(13,141.69)
163,566.49	163,131.99		(0.00)

	Data	
Category	Sum of Debit - Year to date	Sum of Credit - Year to date
Advocacy & campaigning	11,537.81	
Charity running costs	6,873.05	
Communications	8,317.80	
Community		23,208.32
Contractors	60,126.96	
Corporate Donations		91,430.74
Income generation	1,408.55	
Interest payable	0.00	
IT & development	5,735.34	
Loan	2,500.00	0.00
Patient services	628.60	
Professional fees	3,708.08	
Promotional materials	822.53	
Research & Data Analysis	7,200.00	
Salaries	53,616.83	
Training & Development (RTUK team)	30.00	
Trusts & Foundations		2,470.46
Workforce services	254.56	
Total Result	162,760.11	117,109.52

Client:	Prepared by:	Date:	Ref: A2.2
Year End:	Reviewed by:	Date:	
File Number:			

UNCORRECTED MISSTATEMENTS

Only those misstatements that are not regarded as clearly trivial should be recorded on this schedule. When considering whether a misstatement is material the auditor should consider size, nature and circumstances.

Final materiality:

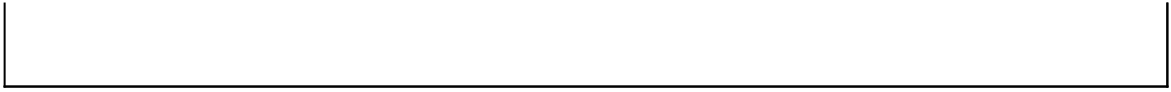
Considered clearly trivial if below:

Narrative		Extrapolated misstatements		Actual misstatements		Profit and loss	Balance sheet
		DR	CR	DR	CR		
Total of potential adjustments		-	-	-	-	-	-

Conclusion

1. The client has been asked to adjust for all misstatements noted above.
2. Where the client has not adjusted for misstatements drawn to their attention, the letter of representation explains the directors' reasons for not adjusting as required by ISA 450.14.
3. None of the potential adjustments listed above are considered to be indicative of fraud.
4. None of the potential adjustments listed above individually or in total indicate that the overall strategy and audit plan need to be revised.

5.



Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Radiotherapy UK

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Radiotherapy UK for the year ended 22 June 2024.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011. ('the Act').

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

Independent examiner's statement

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 Act; or
2. The accounts do not accord with those records.

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 to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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20th December 2024

**RADIOTHERAPY UK
YEAR ENDED 22 JUNE 2024
NOTES TO ACCOUNTS**

Interest-free loan

The charity received an interest-free loan from Price Jones Limited, a company in which one of the trustees Professor Patricia Price is a director and shareholder. The loan currently stands at £15,172 and is repayable at £2,500 per annum beginning 1 July 2017.

Related party transactions

During the year there was a further £4,676 (2023: £2,462) paid to Professor Pat Price Limited. These were for general administrative costs, and costs relating to the All Party Parliamentary Group for Radiotherapy. All transactions were considered to be at arm's length.

During the year donations of £40,000 (2023:£44,083) were received from Radiotherapy4Life Limited, a company in which one of the trustees Patricia Price is a director and shareholder. Donations of £5,000 were received from Professor Pat Price Limited, a company in which Patricia Price is also a director.

Accounts



**CHARITY COMMISSION
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Trustees' Annual Report for the period							
From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	23	June	2022		22	June	2023

Charity name	Radiotherapy UK
Other names charity is known by	ACCORN Action Radiotherapy
Charity registration number	1135902

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	1. To promote, support and encourage research into radiotherapy, radiobiology and allied subjects, and the dissemination of the useful results of such research by such actions as: a. Promoting and facilitating multidisciplinary collaboration between researchers and practitioners in radiotherapy and its allied subjects b. Informing patients and the public about practice and research in radiotherapy and its allied subjects, and engaging patients and the public in the development of research projects c. Awarding grants as appropriate 2. To advance and benefit the practice of radiotherapy and its allied subjects to relieve sickness and preserve good health by such actions as: a. Promoting and facilitating multidisciplinary networking and sharing of expertise and best practice b. Promoting and encouraging the study of the science and practice of radiotherapy and its allied subjects c. Promoting and facilitating increased involvement of allied professions d. Facilitating development and dissemination of best practices in radiotherapy and its allied subjects e. Disseminating knowledge concerning all aspects of the science and practice of radiotherapy and its allied subjects f. Promoting and facilitating education and training in the research and practice of radiotherapy and its allied subjects

Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	<i>1. Patient information resources</i> The Radiotherapy UK website is a trusted source of information about radiotherapy for both the radiotherapy workforce and patients. We work with patients and in collaboration with like-minded organisations to deliver accessible information resources that support patients being experts in their own care. <i>2. Advocacy and Campaigning</i> We work in partnership with patients, academics, workforce, industry and professional bodies to campaign for increased access to high quality radiotherapy for all in the UK and to raise awareness of how cost-effective significant solutions that radiotherapy offers could positively impact on record-breaking wait times for treatment. Radiotherapy UK is proud to be the charity partner of the Radiotherapy4Life campaign and co-founder of the #CatchUpWithCancer campaign – a patient campaign to raise awareness of the backlogs in cancer treatment and propose realistic and workable solutions. We provide analysis of data and research and media opportunities to support this work. Our work also has global reach through our partnership with the Global Coalition for Radiotherapy as we work to support other countries advocate for increased radiotherapy services for cancer patients. <i>3. Workforce engagement and support</i> We conduct an annual Workforce Survey to determine the current issues faced by front-line staff, and to provide a platform that the multi-disciplinary workforce can share their experiences, challenges and best practice. Our RTUK Talks series focuses on providing opportunities for the workforce to learn and engage with ideas, innovations and technologies that can support them in developing patient-centred care and practice. Through our Champion's Network we support an active network of radiotherapy professionals who offer frontline insights, mutual support, education and research sharing. We promote radiotherapy careers through collating open radiotherapy job listings on the Daily News and to the Radiotherapy UK website. <i>4. General fundraising/events</i> The charity raises funds from a variety of sources including online giving, fundraising events, corporate partnerships, donations and grants. The charity is developing an annual calendar of fundraising opportunity, including an annual active challenge and Christmas Appeal. The charity was very grateful to receive grants in this financial
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		year from Astra-Zeneca, BClear and Santa Barbara Heights. We welcomed a new ambassador for the charity, Mrs Nighat Awan to help represent and raise awareness of the charity and lend her expertise to support with income generation. <i>5. Radiotherapy UK secretariat to APPG</i> We are the secretariat for the APPG for Radiotherapy, supporting the work of the Chair and the Vice-Chairs in organising events, meetings, the AGM and ensuring all APPG regulations and requirements are met. Recent publications by the APPGRT can be found here. <i>6. Media relations</i> The charity campaigns have enjoyed regular press coverage including GMTV breakfast, Sky news, ITV Tonight and all major print publications. More information can be found here. <i>7. Communication channels</i> Our media channels are a very strong aspect of our work and profile and we are well respected in our reach and content. (i) Daily News: This again has performed strongly with Daily News audience having increased from 1,808 to 1,958 this year (ii) Twitter: The Twitter feed continues to grow, and the number of followers has increased to 6,212 up from 5,665 a year ago. (iii) Facebook: The Facebook page followers have regularly increased and as of June 2022 stand at xx (2022 = 2000) (iv) Instagram: Our following sits at 2,145 compared to 1,667 in 2021. (v) Website: Since the website has been re-designed it has seen over 10,000 new visitors to the site. <i>8. Research and Data</i> The charity delivers analysis on publicly available data such as waiting-times for cancer treatment and produces evidence-based reports and research to better understand how radiotherapy services are currently being delivered and what needs to change to improve patient outcomes and experience.
4	Para 1.18	Radiotherapy UK has had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit. Radiotherapy UK is committed to making available to the public, information regarding radiotherapy treatment and its benefits, providing opportunities for radiotherapy professionals to share information as well as campaign for better funding for radiotherapy treatment in the UK.

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	Volunteers are an important part of the charity's ability to deliver services. We rely on volunteers to support our social media engagement and through our Champions Network to promote and engage with colleagues and share front-line experiences and information to help inform our advocacy work.
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Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	As well as the activities noted above, the charity has achieved the following this year for the benefit of patients, professionals, and the wider community: 1. Public Consultation with beneficiaries In Summer 2022 we undertook a public consultation with our beneficiaries – patients, carers and the wider radiotherapy workforce. Over 500 patients/ carers res and 208 members of the workforce responded. The aim of this consultation was to focus on understanding the needs and viewpoints of those the charity aims to work with and support. 2. Launch of Strategic Plan In Autumn 2022 charity launched a new Strategic Plan 2023 – 2026. It sets out the direction we are heading in and how we plan to get there. It identifies core outcomes for the charity to focus on and is informed by the views of radiotherapy patients and families, the radiotherapy workforce and key charity stakeholders. https://radiotherapy.org.uk/rtuk-consultation-response/ 3. Patient Engagement and Information From our patient and carer consultation we discovered a huge gap in the provision of consistent and quality information about radiotherapy across the entire care pathway. Half of respondents stated they had a 'moderate' knowledge of radiotherapy with nearly a third knowing 'very little or nothing' about it. Accurate and trusted information is crucial for patients so that they understand their radiotherapy treatment, the options available to them, and what to expect. At present, a patient's experience is entirely dependent on which centre they visit or which professional they engage with. To address this, we have taken initial steps this year by reviewing all existing content, creating our first Patient Engagement Group and exploring how we ensure any information we provide is high quality and trusted through appropriate accreditation. To support delivery of our patient engagement and information work we recruited a Comms & Engagement officer with part responsibility for developing our patient resources.

		4. Radiotherapy Workforce Engagement We ran our annual Workforce Flash Survey in September 2022. Over 10% of the radiotherapy workforce responded and the findings were covered by national media including BBC Newsnight and print media. This year we launched our first RTUK Talks Workforce webinar series, the first three of which had 430 registrations, with a further 2 workshops planned before the end of the calendar year. 5. Advocacy Events and Activities - Secured the support of the Daily Express to launch the first ever national newspaper campaign on radiotherapy - Helped secure crucial reforms to the radiotherapy tariff - Influenced the terms of reference of the NHS England capacity and demand review to include machine replacements, - 2 MP drop in Parliament events, each securing over 50 MPs engagement. - World Cancer Day event in Parliament with England football legend Bryan Robson OBE attended by 80 MPs. Handed in a letter calling for radiotherapy investment and a radiotherapy plan signed by the MPs to Downing Street. - Met with key Labour frontbench politicians to brief them on the need for investment in radiotherapy. - Supported Welsh parliamentarians in efforts to secure an investment of £86 million to improve radiotherapy cancer care in Wales. - Supported the All-Party Parliamentary Group for Radiotherapy with its inquiry into radiotherapy and subsequent Industry Summit to seek solutions. 6. Secretariat for the APPG Radiotherapy UK continues to act as secretariat to the All-Party Parliamentary Group for radiotherapy (APPG-RT). The group aims to be the voice in Parliament of cancer patients, their families and of those who work within the radiotherapy field. The APPG now has 55 (up from 49 the previous year) members/officers from various political parties/House of Lords. This year saw the relaunch of the APPG-RT Manifesto. 7. Research & Data We developed and launched an 'International Comparisons Report' to draw attention to other comparable countries that are delivering successful radiotherapy services and show what can be achieved for patients.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		Corporate Partnerships The charity benefits from a number of corporate partnerships for example Varian sponsor the charity's Daily News bulletin. All these partnerships are agreed on a vendor neutral basis.

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The Charity's total income for this financial year was £128,257 Total expenditure for this year was £110,107 leaving the charity with a year end net profit of £18,417. During 2021/2022 The Charity has managed to continue its work within its limited budget by using its contacts and generous donations in kind (resources) from Price Jones Ltd. The Charity is confident that there are many untapped avenues of funding available to the organisation that we will be able to avail of with the introduction of additional resources to focus on this area and the financial sustainability of the charity.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Radiotherapy UK's policy is to provide the charity with adequate financial stability and the means for it to meet its charitable objectives. Except for such funds as the Trustees consider prudent to maintain for the purposes of management and administration of the charity for the foreseeable future, all unrestricted funds are used to the purpose of general objects of the charity. The adequacy of the reserves is reviewed annually.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£196,275 (excluding the related party loan mentioned below)
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	The Charity has a long-term interest-free loan from related party Price Jones Ltd which is repayable at £2,500pa. The balance at June 2023 is £17,672

Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	There are no current uncertainties regarding the charity continuing as a going concern.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	The Charity's main source of funds for this reporting period were: 1. Public Donations via JustGiving, direct donations and running for radiotherapy fundraising events (to raise awareness) 2. Corporate donations from: Varian Medical Systems, AstraZeneca, Elekta, Brainlab and Flen Health 3. Radiotherapy4Life donation for administrative and research analysis support.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	We do not currently hold enough reserves to warrant an investment policy.

A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	Current Challenges 1. Matching growth of charity to meet service development needs with financial constraints 2. Strained financial environment and COL crisis creates difficult circumstances for fundraising 3. Ensuring patients and beneficiaries engaged with services and organisational development. 4. Developing appropriate governance structures in line with organisational growth. 5. Unstable political environment 6. Continuing crisis in delivery of cancer services exacerbated by workforce strikes, over-bureaucracy, limiting leadership and minimal investment.
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Other		Future initiatives The following are considered to be priorities for the coming year: 1. Develop appropriate governance structures to support charity growth and employment of staff 2. Implement strategic plan. 3. Co-ordinate and delivery a Radiotherapy Vision 2024. This will be an informed, evidence-based document, outlining what needs to happen to achieve world-class radiotherapy in the UK by 2034. The aim of this work is to combine the knowledge of patients, specialists, radiotherapy leaders, frontline workforce, professional bodies, industry and academics to create an implementable document that will meet the needs of cancer patients now and in the future. 4. Develop new patient information resources 5. Develop Patient Engagement and Clinical Engagement Groups 6. Appoint dedicated resources to generate income 7. Develop an Income Generation Strategy and Communications Strategy. 8. Expand our workforce engagement services 9. Continue to campaign and advocate for increased access to high quality radiotherapy services across the UK
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Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Constitution
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Association
Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Original Trustees were nominated and elected by the ACORRN Scientific Steering Committee. New Trustees are nominated by the same process and are elected by consensus of the Board of Trustees of Radiotherapy UK.

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Radiotherapy UK (previously Action Radiotherapy)
Other name the charity uses	ACORRN
Registered charity number	1135902
Charity's principal address	4 Abbotsbury House 139 Abbotsbury Road London W14 8EN

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Professor Patricia Price	Chair		Board of Trustees
2	Dr Christy Goldsmith	Secretary		Board of Trustees
3	Ms Tanya Levine	Treasurer		Board of Trustees
4	Dr Clive Harmer	Medical Advisor		Board of Trustees
5	Professor Philip Mayles	Medical Advisor		Board of Trustees
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Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	None
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	None
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	None

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

Sarah Quinlan – Charity Director

Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

Other optional information

Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees’ report above.		
Signed on behalf of the charity’s trustees		
Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Professor Pat Price	
Position (e.g. Secretary, Chair, etc	Chair	
Date	12 August 2023	



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Radiotherapy UK

1135902

Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

23.06.2022

To

22.06.2023

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restrict ed funds	Endowme nt funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Corporate donations	74,822	0	0	74,822	102,644
Community	21,752	-	-	21,752	45,233
Trusts and foundations	32,000	-	-	32,000	25,866
		-	-	0	-
		-	-	0	-
		-	-	0	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	128,573	0	0	128,573	173,743
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	128,573	-	-	128,573	173,743

A3 Payments

Advocacy & campaigning	2,387	0	0	2,387	1,872
Charity running costs	2,960	0	0	2,960	2,818
Communications	6,909	0	0	6,909	16,381
Contractors	82,042	0	0	82,042	43,852
Income generation	3,539	0	0	3,539	13,133
IT & Development	4,335	0	0	4,335	2500
Loan repayments	2,500	0	0	2,500	2500
Patient Services	500	0	0	500	
Professional fees	2,415	0	0	2,415	1179
Promotional materials	42	0	0	42	7070
Salaries	3,836	0	0	3,836	
Workforce services	391	0	0	391	
Sub total	111,856	0	0	111,856	91,305

A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
Laptop purchases	1,056	0	0	1,056	1,036
Sub total	1,056	0	0	1,056	1,036
Total payments					
	112,912	0	0	112,912	92,341
Net of receipts/(payments)					
	15,661	0	0	15,661	81,402
A5 Transfers between funds	0	0	0	0	0
A6 Cash funds last year end	180,614	0	0	180,614	99,212
Cash funds this year end	196,275	0	0	196,275	180,614

Section B Statement of assets a					
Categories	Details	Unrestrict ed funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	
		to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	
B1 Cash funds		196,275	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
	Total cash funds	196,275	-	-	
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	OK	OK	OK	
	Details	Unrestrict ed funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	
		to nearest £	to nearest £	to nearest £	
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
		-	-	-	
B3 Investment assets	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)	
			-	-	
			-	-	
			-	-	
			-	-	
			-	-	

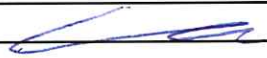
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use

Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-

B5 Liabilities

Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
		17,672	
		-	
		-	
		-	
		-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	PAT PRICE	20/10/23

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of Radiotherapy UK

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of Radiotherapy UK for the year ended 22 June 2023.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011. ('the Act').

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

Independent examiner's statement

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 Act; or
2. The accounts do not accord with those records.

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 to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



Susan Redmond FCA
DJH Mitten Clarke Manchester Limited
Chartered Accountants
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16 October 2023

RADIOTHERAPY UK

YEAR ENDED 22 JUNE 2022

NOTES TO ACCOUNTS

Interest-free loan

The charity received an interest-free loan from Price Jones Limited, a company in which one of the trustees Professor Patricia Price is a director and shareholder. The loan currently stands at £17,672 and is repayable at £2,500 per annum beginning 1 July 2017.

Related party transactions

During the year there was a further £2,462 (2022: £12,000) paid to Price Jones Limited. These were for general administrative costs, and costs relating to the All Party Parliamentary Group for Radiotherapy. All transactions were considered to be at arm's length.

During the year donations of £44,083 (2022:£61,680) were received from Radiotherapy4Life Limited, a company in which one of the trustees Patricia Price is a director and shareholder.

Accounts



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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From	Period start date			To	Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
	23	June	2020		22	June	2021

Charity name	Action Radiotherapy - ACORRN
Other names charity is known by	ACORRN
Charity registration number	1135902

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	1. To promote, support and encourage research into radiotherapy, radiobiology and allied subjects, and the dissemination of the useful results of such research by such actions as: a. Promoting and facilitating multidisciplinary collaboration between researchers and practitioners in radiotherapy and its allied subjects b. Informing patients and the public about practice and research in radiotherapy and its allied subjects, and engaging patients and the public in the development of research projects c. Awarding grants as appropriate 2. To advance and benefit the practice of radiotherapy and its allied subjects to relieve sickness and preserve good health by such actions as: a. Promoting and facilitating multidisciplinary networking and sharing of expertise and best practice b. Promoting and encouraging the study of the science and practice of radiotherapy and its allied subjects c. Promoting and facilitating increased involvement of allied professions d. Facilitating development and dissemination of best practices in

		radiotherapy and its allied subjects e. Disseminating knowledge concerning all aspects of the science and practice of radiotherapy and its allied subjects f. Promoting and facilitating education and training in the research and practice of radiotherapy and its allied subjects
Summary of the main activities in relation to those purposes for the public benefit, in particular, the activities, projects or services identified in the accounts.	Para 1.17 and 1.19	<i>1. Continuing development of the Action Radiotherapy website.</i> The current site continues to serve its purpose of being a resource for radiotherapy patients and those working in the profession. We have further developed it this year particularly adding information about the APPG for Radiotherapy and patient support/advocacy work with our campaigns. However, as the charity has developed, and technology moves forward we believe the current site is no longer fit for purpose as the charity's front of house. We recognise the need for a more up to date, professional site to provide current information to patients, professionals, industry and interested parties. To enable the hosting of webinars and podcasts and provide a more streamlined journey that is easier to navigate. We are seeking input on what is needed and plan to outsource a redesign. <i>2. Radiotherapy4Life (Professional's campaign) and #Catchup with cancer (patient campaign)</i> Action Radiotherapy is proud to be the chosen charity partner of Radiotherapy4Life which has continued again this year. We help support Radiotherapy4Life's campaigns by providing administrative and research support. We have conducted surveys and data analysis to determine the current issues faced by front-line staff. Our front-line staff Champion's Network and industry network hold regular meetings with the Radiotherapy4Life team, providing radiotherapy intelligence, sharing experience and suggesting vendor neutral solutions. In July 2021 in response to patient's needs we co-founded the #CatchUpWithCancer campaign #Catchup With Cancer. This is a patient campaign that aims to highlight the COVID-19 induced cancer backlog and seeks to proposed realistic solutions to the backlog. This campaign has continued this year and the charity provide support for patients and interpretation of research. <i>3. Further development of Champions Network</i> Our Champion's Network is an active network of

		radiotherapy professionals who offer frontline insights, mutual support, education and research sharing. We promote radiotherapy careers through collating open radiotherapy job listings on the Daily News and to the Action Radiotherapy website. <i>4. General fundraising/events</i> The charity has continued to receive donations via JustGiving and DonorBox from privately organised fundraising events. There are 3 regular donors who give in total £45 per month via a recurring payment. In total we have raised £10,258.76 (up from £9,464 (minus £216 JustGiving costs)). We have continued to utilise Facebook Fundraisers (£145) – where users create fundraisers on their birthday to a chosen charity. Similarly, we have signed up to Amazon Smile (£53.51) and receive a percentage of the users’ spend. We were unable to undertake our usual “<i>Running for Radiotherapy</i>” July event due to Covid restrictions and so instead a team of professionals and industry ran virtual races on x3 successive weekends with high social media communication. Running for radiotherapy July 2020 This was both good for morale and mental health of the profession but also raised funding. <i>5. Our response to Covid-19</i> The charity, at beginning of the pandemic, committed to providing support for those in the radiotherapy profession and patients receiving radiotherapy. This continued in 2021. The radiotherapy workforce is technology based and so electronic and social media communications have been utilised for rapid dissemination of information and collection of feedback and concerns. When Covid-19 hit we worked incredibly hard to collect and share up to date resources and guidelines via social media for healthcare professionals and are continuing to do this. Our engagement rate increased during this time meaning more people were picking up our social media posts. This underlines that we are seen as a reliable and current information source and that our posts stand out. This is particularly impressive given the amount of “noise” on social media, especially during the pandemic. The Action Radiotherapy Champions Network devised online tools and information to assist therapy radiographers in dealing with their changing roles at the height of the Covid-19
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		pandemic. We provided a wide variety of online resources to help safeguard a person's wellbeing and that of their colleagues. The resources included tips for approaching self-care including a number of positive coping strategies individuals could adopt within their Radiotherapy department and at home. We provided a daily update on publications about the COVID-19 pandemic and its effects on cancer patients and services and in radiotherapy in particular. <i>6. Action Radiotherapy secretariat to APPG</i> Action Radiotherapy continues to act as secretariat to the All-Party Parliamentary Group for radiotherapy (APPG-RT). The group aims to be the voice in Parliament of cancer patients, their families and of those who work within the radiotherapy field. The APPG now has 45 (up from 38 the previous year) members/officers from various political parties/House of Lords. Recent publications by the APPGRT can be found here. <i>7. Media relations</i> The #CatchUpWithCancer campaign has had almost weekly press coverage including BBC breakfast, Sky news, ITV news and all major print publications, and is now a major campaign in the UK. More information can be found here <i>8. Expanded and enhanced communication channels</i> Our media channels are a very strong aspect of our work and profile and we are well respected in our reach and content. (i) Daily News: This again has performed strongly with Daily News subscribers having increased from 1,315 to 1,466 this year. (ii) Twitter: The AR Twitter feed continues to grow, and the number of followers has increased to 4,773, up from 3,910 a year ago. (iii) Facebook: The Facebook page followers have regularly increased and as of June 2021 stand at 1,735. (2020 = 1584) (iv) Instagram: Our following sits at 1,224 compared to 364 in 2020. We now have a dedicated Champion volunteer who oversees the charity's account and has developed a patient advocacy group currently feeding into the new website re-design from a patient's perspective.
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		(v) Media references: This year there has been increased media coverage of the lack of radiotherapy funding in the UK due to the effects of COVID-19 highlighting the lack of utilisation and investment in the treatment as well as the lack of patient knowledge as to what radiotherapy can achieve. To support AR and R4Ls media work we continue to work with the press offices for the Royal College of Radiologists and the offices of Tim Farron MP. <i>10. Patient Advocacy Group</i> We have a group of patients that are engaged and support the charity and its work. We are in regular contact via social media with the group communicating on the needs of the patient and helping us to raise awareness of the importance of radiotherapy. Currently the Advocacy Group is assisting the charity with the new website build from a patient's perspective. This is an area for growth, and we plan to create a suite of resource available on the new website for patients to access which will explain their treatment and provide additional information to help them on the road to recovery.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	Action Radiotherapy has had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit. Action Radiotherapy is committed to making available to the public, information regarding radiotherapy treatment and its benefits, providing opportunities for radiotherapy professionals to share information as well as campaign for better funding for radiotherapy treatment in the UK.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	We do not currently have the funds to offer grants however we will continue to review this.
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	We will continue to respond to those wishing to take part in running or cycling events while raising awareness for Action Radiotherapy. Whether individuals or teams of runners take part we support them by providing Action Radiotherapy, a JustGiving page to collect donations and any advice they need from running tips to fundraising.

Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	The Champions Network member currently runs the Charity's social media Instagram account and patient advocacy group on a voluntary basis.
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
Summary of the main achievements of the charity, identifying the difference the charity's work has made to the circumstances of its beneficiaries and any wider benefits to society as a whole.	Para 1.20	<u>As well as the activities noted above</u>, the charity has achieved the following this year for the benefit of patients, professionals, and the wider community: 1. We supported the APPG for Radiotherapy in arranging a cancer summit of professionals and MPs to look for solutions to the Covid induced cancer crisis and in particular the radiotherapy solutions available. A document was sent to the Secretary of State for Health and Social care. Cancer Summit May 2021 2. We undertook a Flash Survey of professionals to understand the disruption that Covid-19 and the recovery were causing the front-line radiotherapy workforce - 229 responses in May 2021. The results were shared with the professionals and APPG -RT to explain what was needed for front line staff one year on from the start of Covid AR Flash Survey May 2021 3. We coordinated a letter signed by 243 radiotherapy professionals to the Government last year on 3 June 2020 resulted in a response from the cancer minister in September 2020 Reply from Jo Churchill MP, cancer minister at DHSC agreeing to the accelerated rollout for (SABR) to April 2021 backed by £14M funding. This will allow around 3,000 extra patients to be treated with advanced radiotherapy and increase the number of patients cured. 4. We held a virtual world cancer day event on 4 February 2021 World Cancer Day 2021 Radiotherapy4Life. 2075 supporters emailed their MPs to ask them to attend. 34 parliamentarians attended and 75 signed a cross party letter explaining why more investment was needed in radiotherapy to help catch up with the cancer backlog. 16,000 people viewed the video we prepared for the

		event. 5. We held a webinar on ‘Late Effects’ on 19 November 2020 linking patients and professionals that has been viewed by over 500 people on the website and supports the case for referral clinics for cancer survivors with late effects from pelvic radiotherapy. Webinar 6. The Charity featured on Panorama: Britain’s Cancer Crisis 6 July 2020 Panorama Action Radiotherapy. We provided real time information and support to patients and explained the issues around radiotherapy and the Covid pandemic. This led to the setting up of the #catchup with cancer campaign which has supported patients and professionals with information and research and advocacy.
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Additional information (optional)

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Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		Corporate Partnerships
Other continued		Varian: Action Radiotherapy continues to send out a daily radiotherapy news bulletin every weekday morning kindly sponsored by Varian since October 2017.

Financial Review

Review of the charity’s financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	The Charity, over the last 12 months, has employed x3 experts on a part-time, freelance basis to help with managing the professional network and social media/communications. The Charity received a significant increase in
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		funding this financial year due to the campaigns we ran, and ended the year with £98,662.60 in hand. There are plans to use the additional income to appoint dedicated resources going forward and to undertake a website re-launch. During 2020/2021 The Charity has managed to continue its work within its limited budget by using its contacts and generous donations in kind (resources) from Price Jones Ltd. The Charity is confident that fundraising can be increased through corporate and public fundraising in 2021/2022 now as it has significantly increased its profile due to additional activities and campaigning.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	The Charity assesses its financial income at the beginning of each financial year and only plans to spend on regular activities within its annual budget. The charity has no employees but pays for assistance as required and within the annual budget. Additional funds raised are used to support specific new projects which are only started when funds are in place. The Trustees ensure that The Charity does not risk running into debt other than noted above or develop cash flow problems. The charity's strategic spending plans are flexible and can be adapted for any level of charitable income.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	-£99,212.31 (excluding the related party loan mentioned below)
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	n/a
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	The Charity has a long-term interest-free loan from related party Price Jones Ltd which is repayable at £2,500pa. The balance at June 2021 is £22,672.00.
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	There are no current uncertainties regarding the charity continuing as a going concern.

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The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	The Charity's main source of funds for this reporting period were: 1. Public Donations via JustGiving, direct donations and running for radiotherapy fundraising events (to raise awareness) 2. We have received generous corporate donations from: Varian Medical Systems, Viewray, Elekta & Brainlab. 3. Radiotherapy4Life has been a major source of donations this year to assist Action Radiotherapy running the Radiotherpay4Life campaign 2019-2021, having donated £61,680.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	We do not currently hold enough reserves to warrant an investment policy.

A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	Current Challenges 1. Restructuring of operations now The Charity is larger to streamline responsibility and delegate authority and engagement of individuals to contribute to The Charity at all levels. 2. Aligned to the restructure, dedicated staff will be recruited to work on The Charity and so to help it grow going forward. 3. To consider attracting Trustees from the Business world 4. Fundraising post Covid-19. 5. Meeting current need/expectation without having the necessary funding.
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Other		Future initiatives The following are considered to be priorities for the coming year: 1. Review and update the structure of The Charity as it grows and seek additional Trustees 2. Create an Advisory Board comprised of professionals and patients 3. Appoint dedicated resources to run The Charity 4. Develop and implement a plan to generate more recurring funds 5. Update our website and have clear associated messaging and branding. 6. Develop a roadmap for this year for cancer events that we want to actively be involved in 7. Expand our social media reach 8. Mature the support and resources we can offer patients
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Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		
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Trustee selection methods including details of any constitutional provisions e.g. election to post or name of any person or body entitled to appoint one or more trustees	Para 1.25	Original Trustees were nominated and elected by the ACORRN Scientific Steering Committee. New Trustees are nominated by the same process and are elected by consensus of the Board of Trustees.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	The Action Radiotherapy - ACORRN Constitution has two byelaws determining the charity's financial and banking procedures. These byelaws have been agreed by the Board of Trustees. Action Radiotherapy - ACORRN is the charity which supports the activities of the existing Academic Clinical Oncology and Radiobiology Research Network (ACORRN). This is a national radiotherapy research network
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		which supports UK radiotherapy research and development within the NHS. The day-to-day management of the business of the charity is the responsibility of the Board of Trustees (see above).
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	Strategic management of the research network as a mechanism to deliver The Charity's objectives is the responsibility of the ACORRN Trustees.
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	Action Radiotherapy - ACORRN works closely with other radiotherapy stakeholders to further the development and delivery of radiotherapy. Partner organisations (e.g. professional colleges, charities and scientific organisations) are represented on the Scientific Committee and therefore input into Action Radiotherapy - ACORRN's strategies.
Other		The Board of Trustees do not consider there to be any major risks associated with The Charity and its actions. The Charity assesses its financial income at the beginning of each year and only plans to spend on regular activities within its annual budget. The Charity only has minimal long-standing financial commitments and pays for assistance (staff) as required and within the annual budget. Additional funds raised are used to support specific new projects which are only started when funds are in place. The Trustees ensure that The Charity does not risk running into debt or develop cash flow problems. The Charity's strategic spending plans are flexible and can be adapted for any level of charitable income. Therefore, lower than expected income would not cut short or otherwise adversely affect Action Radiotherapy - ACORRN's charitable activities. If required in the future, the Board of Trustees will develop mechanisms for risk analysis and mitigation.

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Action Radiotherapy - ACORRN
Other name the charity uses	ACORRN
Registered charity number	1135902
Charity's principal address	4 Abbotsbury House 139 Abbotsbury Road London W14 8EN

Names of the charity trustees who manage the charity

	Trustee name	Office (if any)	Dates acted if not for whole year	Name of person (or body) entitled to appoint trustee (if any)
1	Professor Patricia Price	Chair		Board of Trustees
2	Dr Christy Goldsmith	Secretary		Board of Trustees
3	Ms Tanya Levine	Treasurer		Board of Trustees
4	Dr Clive Harmer	Medical Advisor		Board of Trustees
5	Professor Philip Mayles	Medical Advisor		Board of Trustees
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Corporate trustees - names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

Description of the assets held in this capacity	None
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	None
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	None

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser Name Address

Name of chief executive or names of senior staff members (Optional information)

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Exemptions from disclosure

Reason for non-disclosure of key personnel details

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Other optional information

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Declarations

The trustees declare that they have approved the trustees' report above.

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)		
Full name(s)	Professor Pat Price	
Position (e.g. Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	
Date	29.10.2021	



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Receipts and payments accounts

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Receipts and payments accounts

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For the period
from

10/01/2021

To

31/03/2021

Section A Receipts and payments

	Unrestricted funds	Restricted funds	Endowment funds	Total funds	Last year
	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £	to the nearest £
A1 Receipts					
Donations	111,189	-	-	111,189	40,464
Job Advertising	-	-	-	-	899
Other income	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	111,189	-	-	111,189	41,363
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	111,189	-	-	111,189	41,363
A3 Payments					
Provision of website communications and media updates	28,454	-	-	28,454	21,284
Fundraising costs	948	-	-	948	1,242
Loan repayments	2,500	-	-	2,500	2,500
General admin costs	2,140	-	-	2,140	3,507
IT & Website hosting costs	2,767	-	-	2,767	712
Radiotherapy conference costs	-	-	-	-	514
All Party Parliamentary Group costs	6,300	-	-	6,300	4,833
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	43,109	-	-	43,109	34,592
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	43,109	-	-	43,109	34,592
Net of receipts/(payments)	68,080	-	-	68,080	6,771
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	31,132	-	-	31,132	24,361
Cash funds this year end	99,212	-	-	99,212	31,132

Section B Statement of assets and liabilities at the end of the period

Categories	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B1 Cash funds	Cash at bank	99,212	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
	Total cash funds	99,212	-	-

(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))

	Details	Unrestricted funds to nearest £	Restricted funds to nearest £	Endowment funds to nearest £
B2 Other monetary assets		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-
		-	-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B3 Investment assets			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which asset belongs	Cost (optional)	Current value (optional)
B4 Assets retained for the charity's own use			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-
			-	-

	Details	Fund to which liability relates	Amount due (optional)	When due (optional)
B5 Liabilities	Interest free loan		22,672	
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	

Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees

Signature	Print Name	Date of approval
	PROF PAT PELLE	28/10/21

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of ACORRN – Action Radiotherapy

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of ACORRN – Action Radiotherapy for the year ended 22 June 2021.

Responsibilities and basis of report

As the charity trustees you are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the requirements of the Charities Act 2011. ('the Act').

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

Independent examiner's statement

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:

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2. The accounts do not accord with those records.

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1 November 2021

ACORRN – ACTION RADIOTHERAPY
YEAR ENDED 22 JUNE 2021
NOTES TO ACCOUNTS

Interest-free loan

The charity received an interest-free loan from Price Jones Limited, a company in which one of the trustees Professor Patricia Price is a director and shareholder. The loan currently stands at £22,672 and is repayable at £2,500 per annum beginning 1 July 2017.

Related party transactions

During the year there was a further £12,000 (2020: £9,333) paid to Price Jones Limited. These were for general administrative costs, and costs relating to the All Party Parliamentary Group for Radiotherapy. All transactions were considered to be at arm's length.

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