



CHARITY COMMISSION
FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2024

Charity name: Simien Mountains Mobile Medical Service - UK

Charity registration number: 1162302

Objectives and Activities

	SORP ref	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	To relieve sickness and preserve and protect the health of the people living in the Simien Mountains of Ethiopia, including the provision of treatment, referral and follow-up care for common diseases, illness and injuries with priority to professional maternal and natal care, as well as training and education in health, hygiene, sanitation and basic first aid.
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	<p>SMMMS-UK continued to operate its free Clinic in Kiyet, Janamora through June 2024 to provide basic medical and healthcare services, focusing on women's reproductive, maternal and neonatal healthcare (RMNH) including 24/7 emergency and delivery services as well as providing accommodation expectant mothers and basic health education to more than 14,400 residents in local communities.</p> <p>On 86 July 2024 we completed the transfer of the clinic to the North Gonder Zone Department of Health and the Janamora Health Office in accordance with our final project agreement. This concluded our activities in Ethiopia.</p>
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	SMMMS-UK's activities have been exclusively for the public benefit of the people of the Simien Mountains of Ethiopia and are line with the guidance issued by the Charity Commission. There is no personal benefit to any of SMMMS-UK's trustees.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP ref	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	SMMMS-UK does not make grants.
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	SMMMS-UK does not make social investments.
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	Due to the lack of security in the project, we had to suspend our sponsorship of volunteers to do field work in the project area under our "Doctors for the Simien Mountains" programme.

Achievements and Performance

	SORP ref	
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	<p>The main activities and achievements of SMMMS during the first six months of 2024 were related to the operation of the SMMMS Clinic, which during the past year, provided medical and healthcare services, including 24/7 emergency care and delivery services, as well as public health talks for local residents. Services delivered included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maternal and neonatal care • Maternal waiting accommodation • Family planning • Screening cervical and breast cancers and treatment of cervical pre-cancers • Medical screening and treatment • Emergency evacuation and maternal transportation

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	Our achievements during 2024 supported our overall objectives, in particular as regards improving access and utilisation of reproductive, maternal and neonatal healthcare services as well as prevention of cervical and breast cancers in the project area in accordance with our final 2024 project agreement with the North Gonder Zone Department of Health.
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	Fund raising and contributions from other cooperating partners proved sufficient to perform essential activities required to achieve our objectives.
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	NA

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	Our financial position at the end of 2024 was positive, with a balance of GBP 25,390 on hand as of 31 December 2025
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Due to the nature of our activities, we do not intentionally hold reserves as a matter of policy.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	GBP 25,390
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	NA
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	NA
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	None. During its annual general meeting in June 2024 the members unanimously agreed wind up the activities of SMMMS-UK in 2024 and once all obligations have been settled to dissolve the CIO and transfer the remaining assets to another charitable organisation whose charitable purposes the same as those of SMMMS-UK.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

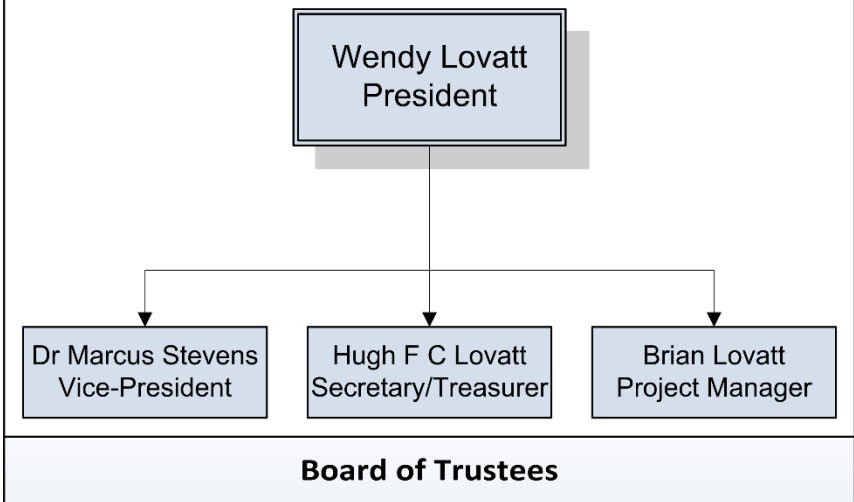
The charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising)	Para 1.47	SMMMS-UK relies entirely on charitable donations and grants from individuals, foundations and trusts.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	SMMMS-UK does not make social investments.
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	The principal risks facing SMMMS-UK comes from the political instability following the civil war.

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 Model
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	Appointment

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 charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	 <pre> graph TD WL[Wendy Lovatt President] --> DMS[Dr Marcus Stevens Vice-President] WL --> HFC[Hugh F C Lovatt Secretary/Treasurer] WL --> BL[Brian Lovatt Project Manager] DMS --- BOT[Board of Trustees] HFC --- BOT BL --- BOT </pre>
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	On 3 January 2023, we renewed our registration with the Ethiopian Agency for Civil Societies as a foreign charity authorised to operate in Ethiopia. In January 2024 we entered into a new six-month project agreement with the North Gonder Zone of the Amhara Region for "Improving Women's Healthcare Services in the North Gondar Zone" which will culminate with the transfer of our activities to the North Gonder Zone Department of Health.

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	SIMIEN MOUNTAINS MOBILE MEDICAL SERVICE - UK
Other name the charity uses	SMMMS-UK
Registered charity number	1162302

Charity's principal address	Flat 29, Emerson Apartments Chadwell Lane London Postcode N8 7RF United Kingdom
-----------------------------	---

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	Wendy Lovatt	Chairperson		
2	Marcus Stevens	Vice President		
3	Hugh Lovatt	Secretary/Treasurer		
4	Brian Lovatt	Project Manager		

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	
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	

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)

--

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)	wahatt	
Full name(s)	Wendy Lovatt	Brian Lovatt
Position	Chairperson	Trustee
Date	03 June 2025	03 June 2025


Receipts and payments accounts

For the period from	Period start 01-Jan-24	To	Period end 31-Dec-24
---------------------	---------------------------	----	-------------------------

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					
Donations	21,279		-	21,279	20,383
Interest Income	45		-	45	76
			-	-	-
			-	-	-
			-	-	-
			-	-	-
			-	-	-
			-	-	-
Sub total (Gross income for AR)	21,324	-	-	21,324	20,460
A2 Asset and investment sales, (see table).					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total receipts	21,324	-	-	21,324	20,460
A3 Payments					
Project Operating costs in Ethiopia	14,600		-	14,600	37,600
Bank charges	85		-	85	135
Web Hosting	100		-	100	-
			-	-	-
			-	-	-
			-	-	-
			-	-	-
Sub total	14,785	-	-	14,785	37,735
A4 Asset and investment purchases, (see table)					
	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-
Sub total	-	-	-	-	-
Total payments	14,785	-	-	14,785	37,735
Net of receipts/(payments)	6,539	-	-	6,539	- 17,275
A5 Transfers between funds	-	-	-	-	-
A6 Cash funds last year end	18,851		-	18,851	36,127
Cash funds this year end	25,390	-	-	25,390	18,851

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		18,851	-	-
		-		-
		-		-
	Total cash funds	18,851	-	-
	(agree balances with receipts and payments account(s))	Agreement Error	OK	OK
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)
			-	
			-	
			-	
			-	
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees	Signature	Print Name	Date of approval	
		Brian Lovatt	22-Apr-25	



CHARITY COMMISSION FOR ENGLAND AND WALES

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees/
members of

Charity Name

SIMIEN MOUNTAINS MOBILE MEDICAL SERVICE UK

On accounts for the year
ended

31st December 2024

Charity no
(if any)

1162302

Set out on pages

(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended DD/MM/YYYY.

Responsibilities and
basis of report

As the charity trustees of the Trust, 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 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 (other than that disclosed below *) in connection with the examination which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

- accounting records were not kept in accordance with section 130 of the Act or
- the accounts do not accord with the accounting records

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

* Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply.

Signed:

[Signature]

Date:

23/5/25

Name:

DUNCAN HUGHES

Relevant professional
qualification(s) or body
(if any):

ICAEW

MEMB NO

7574356

Address:

1 GOLFEN COURT

RICHMOND

SURREY

TW9 1EU