



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

	Period start date				Period end date		
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year
From	1	04	2023	To	01	04	2024

Section A Reference and administration details

Charity name Psychiatric Assistance Dogs Foundation

Other names charity is known by PADs Foundation

Registered charity number (if any) 1173512

Charity's principal address

4 Trenowth Terrace	
South Street, Grampound Road	
TRURO, Cornwall	
Postcode	TR2 4EB

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	Malcolm Seward	Chair		
2	Zoe Norquoy	Treasurer		
3	Mark Alexander			
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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

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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Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document (eg. trust deed, constitution)	Constitution
How the charity is constituted (eg. trust, association, company)	Foundation
Trustee selection methods (eg. appointed by, elected by)	Appointed

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant, about:

- policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees;
- the charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works;
- relationship with any related parties;
- trustees' consideration of major risks and the system and procedures to manage them.

Section C

Objectives and activities

Summary of the objects of the charity set out in its governing document

The relief of those in need as result of having a psychiatric disability by:

- a) Educating or training persons with a psychiatric disability in the proper and safe use of their psychiatric assistance dog;
- b) Raising public awareness of psychiatric disabilities and the benefits of assistance dogs to persons with such a disability;
- c) Otherwise supporting persons with a psychiatric disability in particular with their ownership and use of an assistance dog with a view to promoting their independence in society.

Summary of the main activities undertaken for the public benefit in relation to these objects (include within this section the statutory declaration that trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit)

The benefits are to help anyone with a psychological condition, as mentioned in 3 below, to give them more independence, to lead a better life with less need of the Mental Health and Hospital services. Which will help a significantly high proportion of the general public to enter any public space, shops and restaurants and public transport who at present may not be able to use.

A secondary benefit will reduce the pressures on the National Health & Mental Health teams by;

Helping registered members of pads.foundation to gain independence through the use of their Psychiatric Assistance Dogs and reducing the need for a carer which will not only increases self-esteem and independence but also reduces care-costs.

1 Providing education and information to support those with long term mental health issues that require the use of an Psychiatric Assistance Dog;

The effect of an impairment is long-term if;

1.1 it has lasted for at least 12 months,

1.2 it is likely to last for at least 12 months,

1.3 it is likely to last for the rest of the life of the person affected;

2 Providing access to PADs Foundation training advice appropriate to subscribers needs with minimum training requirements based on the American's with Disabilities Act 2014 (ADA);

Dogs need to be able to;

2.1 Be under control of the handler via harness, leash or other tether (if not the assistance dog must be under control by other means such as voice control)

2.2 House trained

2.3 Must remain quiet

2.4 Not interact with other people or dogs

2.5 Must sit, stay, lie down and recall on command;

3 Providing a registration scheme/database for those with a diagnosed psychiatric condition such as PTSD, Bipolar, Severe Depression, Dissociative states, personality disorders and schizophrenia, with the foundation which is accessible to police and health care service providers with;

3.1 A Bi-annual doctors letter confirming a psychiatric condition as mentioned in 3,

3.2 An annual health check from the Assistance Dog's vet;

4 Providing the necessary tabards and ID cards to use when taking their Psychiatric Assistants Dog out in public areas: by a bi-annual letter proving their psychiatric disability and a vet's letter proving their Psychiatric Assistance Dog has an annual health check;

5 Providing the option of 3rd party dog insurance to protect PADs users;

6 Raising public awareness of the issues affecting those with mental health issues, both generally and in relation to their social exclusion;

7 Providing blogs and forums, advocacy and general support;

8. Provide guidance with problems relating to the law;

9 To ensure that only two questions may be asked of a PADs user when asked the nature/extent of their disability as per the ADA.

9.1 Is the animal required because of a disability?

9.2 What work or task has the animal be trained for?

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include further statements, where relevant, about:

- policy on grantmaking;
- policy programme related investment;
- contribution made by volunteers.

Section D

Achievements and performance

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Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

Membership database with 20 in training members
PADs Foundation became members of European Guide Dog Federation, Society for Companion Animal Studies, International Association of Animal Behaviour Consultants, The Fundraising Regulator and the Information Commissioner's Office for Data Protection.

Section E

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

NA

Details of any funds materially in deficit

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Further financial review details (Optional information)

You **may choose** to include additional information, where relevant about:

- the charity's principal sources of funds (including any fundraising);
- how expenditure has supported the key objectives of the charity;
- investment policy and objectives including any ethical investment policy adopted.

Principal source of funding is donations.

Section F

Other optional information

Section G

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)



Full name(s)

Malcolm Andrew

Seward

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Chair

Date

27 January 2025

Psychiatric Assistance Dogs Foundation					
	inputs			outputs	
Opening balance		£227.54			
April 2023			April 2023		
			17/04/2023	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
total inputs/outputs		£0.00			£5.00
May			May		
05/05	BACS 2305026199CF CAF2305026199CF	£29.10	15/05/2023	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
total inputs/outputs		£29.10			£5.00
June			June		
26/06	INTEREST TO DATE	£0.11	15/06/2023	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
27/06	ICS BACS 000008	£88.20			
total inputs/outputs		£88.31			£5.00
July			July		
	12/07 BACS 23070796404CF	9.76			
	CAF23070796404CF		17/07/2023	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
31/07	FP KENPREP DONATION KEN PREP SCH ASC	£2,708.33			
total inputs/outputs		£2,718.09			£5.00
August			August		
11/08	BACS 23080896890CF CAF23080896890CF	£9.80	15/08/2023	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
24/08	BACS 2308215169CF	£9.64	25/08	POS IAABC 338.75USD@0.788192 Ms Z Norquoy	£267.00
				POS EB *Are Pets Really G ICS BACS 000009	
total inputs/outputs		£19.44			£272.00
September			September		
13/9	BACS 23090897070CF. CAF23090897070CF	9.80	7/9	POS SAINSBURYS EMERSONS G flowers for Jen	£17.50
				POS THE IVY CLIFTON BRASS	£85.05
26/9	INTEREST TO DATE	0.97	15/9	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
total inputs/outputs		£10.77			£107.55
October			October		
			3/10	Online transfer to European GD federation	159.00
			05/10	POS FUNDRAISING REGULATOR	£50.00
			17/10	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
			31/10	DD ICO ZB257597	£35.00
total inputs/outputs		£0.00			£214.00
November			November		
13/11	BACS 231108114816CF CAF231108114816CF	9.80			
16/11	ICS BACS 000010	£51.25	15/11	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
28/11	ICS BACS 000011	£100.00			
total inputs/outputs		£161.05			£5.00
December			December		
13/12	BACS 23120898707CF CAF23120898707CF	8.80	15/12	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
14/12	BACS 2312115107CF CAF2312115107CF	£48.50			
20/12	BACS 2312154146CF CAF2312154146CF	£4.84			
27/12	INTEREST TO DATE	£1.24			
total inputs/outputs		£62.14			£5.00
January 2024			January 2024		
	02/01 BACS 2312277482CF CAF2312277482CF	£33.95	9/1	Online transfer to ZURICH CHARITIES INSURER Annual ins	£224.00
11/01	BACS 240108102742CF CAF240108102742CF	£9.80	15/01	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
				DD PAYPAL PAYMENT 4Y2J22282L4GJ	£58.94
total inputs/outputs		£43.75			£287.94
February			February		
13/02	BACS 24020895523CF CAF24020895523CF	£9.80	7/2	DD PAYPAL PAYMENT 48.57 4Y2J22282L4GJ	£48.57
			15/2	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00

total inputs/outputs		£9.80			£5.00
March			March		
13/03	BACS 24030895833CF 9.80 CAF24030895833CF	£9.80	15/03/2023	CAF Bank Monthly Account Fee	£5.00
26/03	INTEREST TO DATE	£1.22			
total inputs/outputs		£11.02			£5.00
total		£3,153.47			£921.49
profit/loss		£2,231.98			
Balance		£2,361.28			

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August			August		
total inputs/outputs		£19.44			£272.00
September			September		
total inputs/outputs		£10.77			£107.55
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total inputs/outputs		£0.00			£214.00
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total inputs/outputs		£161.05			£5.00
December			December		
total inputs/outputs		£62.14			£5.00
January 2024			January 2024		
total inputs/outputs		£43.75			£287.94
February			February		
total inputs/outputs		£9.80			£5.00
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