

MIDWIVES AT MATERNITY AZUR (MAMA)

England & Wales - Charity number 1173745

Details

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2017-07-10

Register [View on the Charity Commission register](#)

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Activities

Objects: TO PROMOTE AND PROTECT FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PUBLIC THE GOOD HEALTH OF PEOPLE IN HOIMA, UGANDA IN RELATION TO MATERNITY CARE, WOMEN'S HEALTH AND SEXUAL HEALTH IN PARTICULAR BUT NOT EXCLUSIVELY BY:A) PROVIDING SUPPORT TO THE AZUR CHRISTIAN CLINIC IN HOIMA AND THE SURROUNDING AREA;B) PROVIDING TRAINING, MENTORING, KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER AND SUPPORT TO HEALTHCARE WORKERS AT CLINIC AND AT HEALTH CENTRES IN THE SURROUNDING AREA;C) PROMOTING GOOD HEALTHCARE PRACTICES AT THE CLINIC AND IN THE SURROUNDING AREA;D) PROVIDING SUCH ITEMS, EQUIPMENT, FACILITIES AND MATERIALS FOR USE BY STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS AT THE CLINIC AND IN THE COMMUNITY;E) TO RAISE AWARENESS AND PROMOTE UNDERSTANDING IN THE UK, PARTICULARLY AMONGST HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS OF THE UNIQUE CHALLENGES FACED BY HEALTHCARE WORKERS, AND WOMEN AT THE AZUR CHRISTIAN CLINIC AND IN THE COMMUNITY IN THE SURROUNDING AREA IN RELATION TO MATERNITY CARE, WOMAN'S HEALTH, AND SEXUAL HEALTH.

Activities: We are a midwifery organisation offering support & training to midwives and other clinicians involved in maternity services, neonatal & women's health in the Hoima & Kikuube Districts of Uganda. We manage two rural clinics providing 24/7 maternity services; have a vehicle for emergency referrals; & work closely with our partners at Azur Health Centre, a non-governmental, not for profit hospital.

Classification

- **How:** Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** General Charitable Purposes, Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Disability
- **Who:** Children/young People, People Of A Particular Ethnic Or Racial Origin, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- Uganda

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2024-12-31	£63,483	£71,598	-	-
2023-12-31	£77,100	£67,719	-	-
2022-12-31	£103,335	£103,599	-	-
2021-12-31	£101,034	£126,980	-	-
2020-12-31	£109,721	£85,851	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
RHIANNON GRINDLE	Chair	2017-03-28
Dr Alexandra Kennedy		2019-05-31
HARRIET JACOBS		2017-03-28
Sofia Giannopoulou		2022-09-21

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Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01/01/2024 To 31/12/2024

Charity name: Midwives at Maternity Azur

Charity registration number: 1173745

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To promote and protect, for the benefit of the public, the good health of the people in Hoima and Kikuube Districts, Uganda particularly in relation to maternity care, women's health and sexual health. In particular this is achieved by providing support to Azur CHC IV in Hoima Town, to deliver high quality healthcare for patients across Hoima District.• Provide training, mentoring, knowledge transfer and support to healthcare workers at Azur CHC IV and MAMA clinics and at health centre in the surrounding area.• Promoting good healthcare practices and support high quality care at the clinic and in the surrounding area.• To raise awareness and promote understanding in the UK, particularly amongst healthcare professionals, of the unique challenges faced by healthcare workers, and women at Azur CHC IV and in the community in the surrounding area in relation to maternity care, women's health and sexual health.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Running two rural midwifery-led health clinics and supporting the maternity unit at a non-governmental, not for profit hospital in Hoima town;• We have maintained the independent registration of Runga Clinic as a health centre II with the Hoima District Health Office, and in 2024 we registered Kyarushesha MAMA Grace Clinic as an independent health centre III with Kikuube District Health Office;• Healthcare staff training;• Developed our relationship with the local government hospital by providing clinical support, teaching and advice in district meetings;• Maintained good relationships with our partner Azur CHC IV and district health officers.
Statement confirming whether	Para 1.18	As trustees we work hard to ensure all our decisions are made for the benefit of our beneficiaries in the

the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit		Hoima and Kikuube districts. We use our existing knowledge and skills to enhance the work we do and to guide who we work with in order to meet our objectives.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	N/A
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	<p>The volunteer trustees made 5 trips between them (total 20 weeks by midwives, one obstetrician for 2 weeks). Two UK midwives came to Hoima for two weeks offering clinical support and some teaching.</p> <p>We continue to receive a supply of knitting and baby items from friends and relatives which are essential for the care of our newborn babies.</p> <p>A former trustee arranged to take over the Rotations Charity Shop for 1 week, raising in excess of £1000.</p>
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	<p>Kyarushesha:</p> <p>The clinic continues to grow and develop services. We now hold our own childhood immunisation clinic twice a month, currently collecting vaccines from a nearby health centre until we receive our own fridge/freezer for storage.</p> <p>We are also now able to report our data to Kikuube District where our work is now recognised.</p> <p>There were 5 stillbirths (6 in 2023), no neonatal deaths & no maternal deaths:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 593 births, monthly mean 49 (compared with 611 in 2023); • 6185 antenatal visits, monthly mean 515 (increased from 5877 in 2023); • 2699 general outpatients' appointments, monthly mean 225 (similar to 2022/3); • 121 family planning appointments, monthly mean 10 (this has fallen due to

		<p>supply issues and is an area for us to focus on moving forwards as it is a key part of safe maternal and child healthcare);</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2194 maternity admissions, monthly mean 183 (similar to 2023); • 874 general admissions, monthly mean 73 (this has reduced compared to previous years); • 176 pregnant and 34 non-pregnant referrals to hospital (monthly means 15 and 5 respectively). <p>Runga:</p> <p>We have successfully registered our clinic with Hoima District and are receiving regular inspections from the District Health Officer. This facility generally had a similar year in terms of numbers, and once again had no maternal deaths, stillbirths nor neonatal deaths:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 173 births, monthly mean 14; • 1304 antenatal visits, monthly mean 109; • 536 outpatient reviews, monthly mean 45 (increased compared to 2023); • 83 family planning appointments, monthly mean 7 (approximately half that of 2023 – an area that needs addressing as for Kyarushesha); • 318 maternity admissions, monthly mean 27; • 252 general admissions, monthly mean 21; • 24 pregnant & 6 non-pregnant referrals to hospital (monthly means 2 and 1 respectively).
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

<p>Achievements against objectives set</p>	<p>Para 1.41</p>	<p>We continue to serve the needs of the local population and engage with nearby health centres who support us when we need a higher level of care.</p> <p>Our objective was always to continue to run the Kyarushesha clinic beyond the end of the UK Aid Direct SCCF grant (in Feb 2022), and so far we have been successful in achieving this.</p> <p>The Kyarushesha now has a fully functional lab and an ultrasound machine with regular sonographer clinics.</p>
<p>Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set</p>	<p>Para 1.41</p>	<p>Dimitri very kindly held a social event in Athens introducing MAMA and explaining our work and fund raised at the same time.</p>

		<p>The two midwives from the UK also very kindly did some fund raising before joining us in Hoima.</p> <p>We have again been successful in generating enough income to cover all the necessary costs of the charity's activities.</p> <p>We have continued to increase our regular monthly donations to cover the day-to-day running costs of our activities in Uganda.</p> <p>We have received a few large donations including our usual pop-up charity shop where we normally raise approximately £1000.</p>
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		N/A

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	We started 2024 with a higher than usual amount of unrestricted reserves in the charity account (£10,370) and as would be expected finished the year with a smaller, but still reasonable reserve.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	Ideally, we would have 6 months' of unrestricted reserves in the bank in order to underpin our sustainability – this remains a work in progress.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£2255
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	Nil
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	No uncertainties.

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	<p>All of our funds are from voluntary donations and fundraising activities.</p> <p>The two clinics charge small sums (less than cost) for their services – all of which goes directly back into the running costs in Uganda, and is not transferred to the UK (this appears as clinic income in the Audited Accounts).</p>
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	N/A
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	<p>We work in a high-risk country, with multiple challenges including infectious diseases, governmental instability, crime and corruption.</p> <p>Internationally governments have reduced their commitments to spending on international aid making it difficult to find financial support for projects.</p> <p>The economic climate continues to make charitable fundraising more uncertain.</p> <p>We have compiled a comprehensive risk assessment/register for our work and volunteers in Hoima, and have charity insurance in place.</p>
Other		

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	CIO
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	Trustees are appointed by 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	<p>We have a number of policies (approved by UKAid Direct) relating to management and training of Trustees and volunteers, including safeguarding.</p> <p>We also have clinical guidelines and operational guidelines for staff to refer to as needed, approved by our trustees and our local medical staff.</p>
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<p>In 2024 we had three trustees managing the charity and projects from the UK, some of whom visit Hoima on a regular basis to support staff and monitor projects. We have no paid staff in the UK, keeping our overheads extremely low.</p> <p>In Hoima, Uganda, MAMA works closely with Azur Christian Health Centre IV whose support is invaluable in running our clinics and ensuring wages are paid, we are registered with the correct authority and data collection is collated for the districts.</p> <p>Both clinics are now registered with their local District Health Offices. We work closely with the local district health officers for Hoima and Kikuube to ensure we offer high standards of care and follow local and international guidance.</p> <p>We work with the local communities we serve, including village and church leaders (although our organisation is non-religious), to enable us to offer services needed for their geographical areas.</p>
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	<p>We have retained our downstream partner in Hoima, Azur. We meet with the director on a regular basis and plan any obstetric activities and training together. Although we</p>

		<p>provide salaries for our staff, Azur employs and holds the contracts. We have supported them in some improvements to clinical areas.</p> <p>We have improved our relationship with the local government Hospital through providing obstetric clinical support, teaching and advice on many cases.</p>
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Midwives at Maternity Azur
Other name the charity uses	MAMA
Registered charity number	1173745
Charity's principal address	1 Church View, Hook, Hampshire, RG27 9HN

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

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

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
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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)	Rhiannon Grindle	Alexandra Kennedy
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	
Date	17/10/2025	

Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

Income & Expenditure Account

Year Ended 31st December 2024

Income & Expenditure Account for year ended 31st December 2024

	2024	2023
	£'s	£'s
Income		
Unrestricted Funds	36,977	41,202
Restricted Funds	-	1,500
Gift Aid	5,997	12,107
Clinic Income	20,509	22,291
Total Income	63,483	77,100
Expenditure		
In Country (Uganda)	70,715	66,775
Charity Insurance	140	140
Website	254	330
Bank Charges	489	474
Total Expenditure	71,598	67,719
Surplus/(deficit) for the year	(8,155)	9,381

UK Bank Account 1st January	10,370	989
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UK Bank Account 31st December	2,255	10,370
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Accounts prepared by R C Stanhope (ACMA) October 2025

Independent examiner's report on the accounts

Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

Report to the trustees

Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

On accounts for the year ended

31 Dec 2024

Charity no
(if any)

1173745

Set out on pages

1-3

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended

Responsibilities and basis of report

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

~~The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of [insert name of applicable listed body]. Delete [] if not applicable.~~

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination (~~other than that disclosed below~~*) which gives me cause to believe that in, any material respect:

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

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

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

Signed:

Rachel Stanhope

Date:

30/10/2025

Name:

Rachel Stanhope

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body

ACMA

(if any):

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Section B

Disclosure

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

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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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Running two rural midwifery-led health clinics and supporting the maternity unit at a non-governmental, not for profit hospital in Hoima town (Azur Health Centre IV);• We have maintained the independent registration of Runga clinic as a health centre II, and took several steps towards being able to register Kyarushesha MAMA Grace Clinic as a health centre III;• Healthcare staff training;• Developing closer relationships with Hoima Regional Referral Hospital, via the Bunyoro LMNS and a partnership with the Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire and West Berkshire LMNS in the UK. This included a visit to the Kyarushesha clinic by the Director of the Bunyoro LMNS, Dr Ibrahim Bwaga;• Maintained good relationships with our partner

		Azur CHC IV and district health officers.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	As trustees we work hard to ensure all our decisions are made for the benefit of our beneficiaries in the Hoima and Kikuube districts. We use our existing knowledge and skills to enhance the work we do and to guide who we work with in order to meet our objectives.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	N/A
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	<p>The volunteer trustees made 7 trips between them (total 27 weeks by midwives, one obstetrician for two weeks). An additional volunteer midwife went for 2 weeks, and an artist to decorate the clinic for a further 2 weeks.</p> <p>We are so grateful to a host of knitters for providing us with knitwear to keep newborn babies warm. This is a vital part of safe newborn care, and these donations allow our staff to achieve this. These include Anne Savile & the West Side Knitters; Revd Heather Turner (& team); Sue Turnbull; Helen Quinan; Katie Fletcher; Deirdre Hassett; Fionnuala McCredie; Heather Mitchell's mother; and Caryl Donaldson, Francoise and Elizabeth (the Oxted ladies).</p> <p>Liz Payne kindly donated four emergency kit bags from the charity Baby Lifeline, which have been invaluable for our midwives in Uganda.</p>
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	<p>In 2023, Kyarushesha MAMA Grace Clinic was busier than ever. There were 6 stillbirths, no neonatal deaths & no maternal deaths:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 611 births, monthly mean 51 (compared with 575 in 2022); • 5877 antenatal visits, monthly mean 490 (compared with 5195 in 2022); • 3055 general outpatients' appointments, monthly mean 255 (similar to 2021/2); • 319 family planning appointments, monthly mean 27; • 2251 maternity admissions, monthly mean 188 (compared to 1962 in 2022); • 1232 general admissions, monthly mean 103 (similar to 2021/2); • 133 pregnant & 37 non-pregnant referrals to hospital (monthly means 11 and 3 respectively). <p>Runga Health Centre II had a similar year in terms of numbers, and once again had no maternal deaths nor</p>

		<p>neonatal deaths, and just a single stillbirth:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 160 births, monthly mean 13; • 1282 antenatal visits, monthly mean 107; • 374 outpatient reviews, monthly mean 31; • 156 family planning appointments, monthly mean 13; • 250 maternity admissions, monthly mean 21; • 251 general admissions, monthly mean 21; • 21 pregnant & 5 non-pregnant referrals to hospital (monthly means 2 and 0 respectively). <p>We managed 7 visits by three of our trustees (obstetrician and two senior midwife), and 2 trips by other volunteers, to support our Ugandan colleagues (for a total of 29 weeks of the year).</p> <p>One of our trustees now has her Ugandan Medical Registration, enabling her to volunteer at Hoima Regional Referral Hospital, strengthening our links with this facility. She spent two weeks volunteering there in November 2023, and is developing a relationship between the Bunyoro LMNS and the Buckinghamshire Oxfordshire and West Berkshire LMNS in the UK.</p> <p>We have employed a lab manager for the clinic in Kyarushesha, which was one of the steps we needed to do in order to register independently with the District Health Office.</p> <p>We funded four of our clinic staff (doctor at Azur CHC IV, our Clinical Officer, Clinic Nurse and lead midwife) to attend a trauma course in November 2023 run by the Primary Trauma Care Foundation in Hoima City.</p> <p>Baby Lifeline bags have been donated to Azur HC IV, EDPA Clinic in Hoima City, our Runga Clinic and Hoima Regional Referral Hospital.</p>
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	<p>Our objective was always to continue to run the Kyarushesha clinic beyond the end of the UK Aid Direct SCCF grant (in Feb 2022), and so far we have been successful in achieving this.</p> <p>We now have a functioning lab at the Kyarushesha clinic and are well on our way to registering this clinic independently with the District Health Office.</p>
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	<p>We have successfully generated enough income to cover all the necessary costs of the charity's activities.</p> <p>We have continued to increase our regular monthly donations to approximately cover the day-to-day running costs of our activities in Uganda.</p> <p>Several individuals completed sponsored events to raise money for us. This included the son of a friend (Ndudim Nnochiri) of the Trustees doing a 7km sponsored walk in aid of his 7th birthday.</p>

		<p>Following his trip to Hoima in the spring of 2023, Dimitri Kontizas, held a fundraising event in Athens, raising ~£500.</p> <p>As usual in November 2023 we took over the Rotations Charity Shop in Hampshire, raising more than £1000.</p>
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		N/A

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	In line with our expressed aim at the end of 2022, we have successfully increased the unrestricted reserves held by the charity to >£10,000 by the end of 2023, from <£1000 at the end of 2022. This has been in part due to increased regular monthly donations, which now cover almost all of the regular outgoings. This has allowed larger, one-off donations to be put to one side rather than spent on day-to-day costs.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	We have increased our unrestricted reserves in order to ensure our future sustainability. We do not yet have 6 months' worth of unrestricted reserves, which would ultimately be the aim.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£10,370.39
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	Nil in deficit
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	No uncertainties

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	<i>Unrestricted funds:</i> Donations from individuals make up the majority of our funding Fundraising activities – sponsored sporting events, charity shop (annually in November), and donations from institutions and companies. <i>Clinic income:</i> The two clinics charge small sums (less than cost) for their services – all of which goes directly back into the running costs in Uganda, and is not transferred to the UK (this appears as clinic income in the Audited Accounts).
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	N/A
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	We work in a high-risk country, with multiple challenges including infectious diseases, governmental instability, crime and corruption. The global Covid-19 pandemic has further complicated running a small international development charity. The UK Government has reduced its commitment to spending on international aid

		<p>from 7% to 5% of GDP, which immediately led to the FCDO cancelling all future grants from the UKAid Direct Small Charities Challenge Fund. This did not impact the grant we were in receipt of, however, does mean we could not apply to them for a follow-on grant for our projects.</p> <p>The current economic climate makes charitable fundraising more uncertain.</p> <p>We have compiled a comprehensive risk assessment/register for our work and volunteers in Hoima. This was approved by UK Aid Direct as part of holding a grant with them.</p>
Other		N/A

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	CIO
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	Trustees are appointed by the board of trustees.

Additional information (optional)

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Policies and procedures adopted for the induction and training of trustees	Para 1.51	<p>We have a number of policies (approved by UKAid Direct) relating to management and training of Trustees and volunteers, including safeguarding.</p> <p>We also have clinical guidelines and operational guidelines for staff to refer to as needed, approved by our trustees and our local medical staff.</p>
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<p>In 2023 we had three trustees managing the charity and projects from the UK, some of whom visit Hoima on a regular basis to support staff and monitor projects. We have no paid staff in the UK, keeping our overheads extremely low.</p> <p>In Hoima, Uganda, MAMA works closely with Azur Christian Health Centre IV whose support is invaluable in running our clinics and ensuring wages are paid, we are registered with the correct authority and data collection is collated for the districts.</p> <p>Our Runga clinic is now registered with the Hoima District Health Office. We are in the process of doing the same for the Kyarushesha clinic, with the Kikuube District Health Office. We work closely with the local district health officers for Hoima and Kikuube to ensure we offer high standards of care and follow local and international guidance.</p> <p>We work with the local communities we serve, including village and church leaders (although our organisation is non-religious), to enable us to offer services needed for their geographical areas.</p>
		MAMA has a good working relationship with a number of local organisations in the Hoima

Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	<p>District, and we also have a partner organisation, Azur Christian Health Centre, with who we have a current Memorandum of Understanding. We base our maternity services here, and with their staff we offer satellite maternity services in Hoima and Kikuube Districts. Regular meetings with Azur's management and senior midwives ensure we have good communication channels and keep up to date with the staff and our clinics.</p> <p>Through Azur we pay staff wages and running costs of our clinics, e.g. utilities, vehicle fuel and maintenance. We pay our pharmacy, Nilkanth Pharmacy, directly.</p> <p>We offer regular support to Azur, both through volunteers, training and financing some of their midwives.</p> <p>In line with our aims from the end of 2022, we have succeeded in developing stronger relationships with Hoima Regional Referral Hospital and the Bunyoro Local Maternity and Neonatal System. We hope this will improve the referral pathways to higher facilities, thereby enhancing the quality of care available to mothers and babies we serve. During this process we have developed connections with Obstetricians working at the Ministry of Health in Uganda, which we hope will be of benefit in the future.</p>
Other		N/A

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1173745
Charity's principal address	1 Church View, Hook, Hampshire, RG27 9HN.

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

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

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)	Rhiannon Grindle	Alexandra Kennedy
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chair	
Date	30/10/2024	

Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

Income & Expenditure Account

Year Ended 31st December 2023

Income & Expenditure Account for year ended 31st December 2023

	2023 £'s	2022 £'s
Income		
Unrestricted Funds	41,202	38,620
Restricted Funds	1,500	27,372
Gift Aid	12,107	4,704
Clinic Income	22,291	25,705
Vehicle Sale	-	6,934
Total Income	77,100	103,335
Expenditure		
In Country (Uganda)	66,775	81,645
Vehicle Purchase	-	21,056
Charity Insurance	140	140
Website	330	300
Bank Charges	474	458
Total Expenditure	67,719	103,599
Surplus/(deficit) for the year	9,381	(264)

UK Bank Account 1st January	989	1,253
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UK Bank Account 31st December	10,370	989
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Accounts prepared by R C Stanhope (ACMA) October 2024



**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Charity Name

Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

**On accounts for the year
ended**

31 Dec 2023

**Charity no
(if any)**

1173745

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 31/12/2023.

**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").

**Independent
examiner's statement**

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.

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:

R. Stanhope

Date:

28/10/24

Name:

Rachel Stanhope

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

ACMA

Address:

Walnut House, Tanners Lane,
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MIDWIVES AT MATERNITY AZUR (MAMA)

England & Wales - Charity number 1173745

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 01/01/2022 To 31/12/2022

Charity name: Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

Charity registration number: 1173745

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To promote and protect, for the benefit of the public, the good health of the people in Hoima and Kikuube Districts, Uganda particularly in relation to maternity care, women's health and sexual health. In particular this is achieved by providing support to Azur CHC IV in Hoima Town, to deliver high quality healthcare for patients across Hoima District.• Provide training, mentoring, knowledge transfer and support to healthcare workers at Azur CHC IV and MAMA clinics and at health centre in the surrounding area.• Promoting good healthcare practices and support high quality care at the clinic and in the surrounding area.• To raise awareness and promote understanding in the UK, particularly amongst healthcare professionals, of the unique challenges faced by healthcare workers, and women at Azur CHC IV and in the community in the surrounding area in relation to maternity care, women's health and sexual health.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Running two rural midwifery-led health clinics and supporting the maternity unit at a non-governmental, not for profit hospital in Hoima town;• Purchase of a replacement Toyota Hilux (the previous vehicle was a 1992 registration) to facilitate transport of patients, staff, equipment and medications to and from our clinics;• Healthcare staff training;• Expanding the services at Kyarushesha to include a laboratory and obstetric ultrasound;• Maintained good relationships with our partner Azur CHC IV and district health officers.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity	Para 1.18	As trustees we work hard to ensure all our decisions are made for the benefit of our beneficiaries in the Hoima and Kikuube districts. We use our existing knowledge and skills to

Commission on public benefit		enhance the work we do and to guide who we work with in order to meet our objectives.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	We are not a grant making organisation.
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	<p>The volunteer trustees made 7 trips between them (two midwives for three trips of two weeks, and three trips of eight weeks; and one obstetrician for two weeks). A senior midwifery lecturer from Oxford Brookes University made a trip of two weeks, as did another obstetrician.</p> <p>We are so grateful to a host of knitters for providing us with knitwear to keep newborn babies warm. This is a vital part of safe newborn care, and these donations allow our staff to achieve this. These include Steph Ainsley & the Kidderminster Soroptemists, Anne Savile & the West Side Knitters, Deirdre Hassett & Heather Mitchell's mother.</p>
Other		N/A

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	<p>In 2022, Kyarushesha MAMA Grace Clinic was busier than ever. There were 5 stillbirths, no neonatal deaths & no maternal deaths.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 575 births, monthly mean 48 (19 more than in 2021); • 5195 antenatal visits, monthly mean 433 (529 more than in 2021); • 3369 general outpatients' appointments, monthly mean 281 (almost double that in 2021!); • 494 family planning appointments, monthly mean 41; • 1962 maternity admissions, monthly mean 164 (405 more than 2021); • 1480 general admissions, monthly mean 123 (493 more than 2021);

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 144 pregnant & 48 non-pregnant referrals to hospital (monthly means 12 and 4 respectively). <p>Runga Health Centre II had a slightly quieter year, although had no maternal deaths nor neonatal deaths, and just a single stillbirth:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 168 births, monthly mean 14; • 1358 antenatal visits, monthly mean 113; • 493 outpatient reviews, monthly mean 41; • 120 family planning appointments, monthly mean 10; • 263 maternity admissions, monthly mean 22; • 358 general admissions, monthly mean 30; • 24 pregnant & 15 non-pregnant referrals to hospital (monthly means 2 and 1 respectively). <p>We managed 7 visits by three of our trustees (obstetrician and two senior midwife), and a volunteer obstetrician, to support our Ugandan colleagues (for a total of 32 weeks of the year).</p> <p>We have supported local midwives in practice to enhance their clinical and managerial skills, and in February 2022 have handed over the running of both clinics to our lead Ugandan midwife (Jerome Barongo). We have employed a fourth full time, permanent midwife at the Kyarushesha clinic.</p> <p>In 2020, Cookham Medical Centre generously donated an ultrasound machine to MAMA. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic we were delayed in being able to ship this to Uganda, but in 2022 we achieved this and this is now installed in the Kyarushesha clinic. This enables women to access obstetric ultrasound services within our clinic, without needing to travel long distances. We had four Baby Lifeline emergency bags donated by Milton Keynes University Hospital, which we use for obstetric referrals from our clinics.</p>
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	<p>The UK Aid Direct Small Charities Challenge Fund grant was completed successfully in February 2022, and we submitted the project completion report. The project was graded A+ by UKAid Direct, and feedback on the report is pasted below.</p> <p>Our objective was always to continue to run the Kyarushesha clinic beyond the end of</p>
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		<p>the UK Aid Direct SCCF grant, and so far we have been successful in achieving this.</p> <p>We needed to replace our old vehicle, and have been able to do this, purchasing a 2009 registration Toyota Hilux in February 2022.</p> <p>We have successfully shipped the donated ultrasound machine to Uganda and installed it in the clinic at Kyarushesha.</p>
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	<p>We have successfully generated enough income to cover all the necessary costs of the charity's activities.</p> <p>In February 2022 we received an extremely generous one-off donation of £25,000 which covered the purchase of a replacement vehicle (Toyota Hilux) which is an invaluable component of our activities in Uganda.</p> <p>We have continued to increase our regular monthly donations to cover the day-to-day running costs of our activities in Uganda.</p> <p>Several individuals completed sponsored sporting events to raise money for us (including the Mongol Derby horse race, and a sponsored walk up the escarpment above the Runga clinic). As usual in November 2022 we took over the Rotations Charity Shop in Hampshire, raising more than £1000.</p>
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		N/A

Figure 1: feedback from UKAid Direct SCCF project completion report

Criteria	Comment
Completeness	All sections were complete, and the grant holder used the correct formats
Content	The report was detailed and gave a mostly clear picture of the status of the project. There was a reasonable blend of description and critical analysis, although more disaggregation and some systematic qualitative data would have enhanced the report considerably. Additional information at output level was more than what was required, and much appreciated by the fund manager.
Learning	Attention to learning was adequate, but disaggregated data and some more qualitative information would have strengthened the quality of critical analysis and supported richer learning.
Data quality	For most of the indicators the quality of data was strong, with the source of data clearly described. However, again there was almost no disaggregation of data (by age, disability or location) and for some of the Family Planning indicators the focus on methods dispensed had some limitations.
Clarity	The report was clear, jargon free and easy to read.
Responsiveness	The grant holder has been responsive with the fund manager
Timeliness	Reporting timelines have been adhered to

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<p>The years 2020 and 2021 were very ambitious for our charity, almost quadrupling our turnover and with several major projects successfully completed (despite the Covid-19 pandemic). As planned, in 2022 we aimed for a period of stability, although we were very fortunate to secure a substantial one-off donation enabling the purchase of a replacement vehicle.</p> <p>In the aftermath of the Covid-19 pandemic we were not able to significantly increase the unrestricted reserves by the end of this financial year, but some expected income in early 2023 should help us to do this. By continuing to run all our projects in new premises, beyond the end of the UKAid direct grant, we have begun to cement the sustainability of our projects to ensure they continue to benefit the communities we serve in the long term.</p> <p>We have further increased our regular monthly income to almost cover the day-to-day running costs of our projects, but still rely to some extent on ad hoc fundraising and grants.</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	The Covid pandemic has limited some fundraising activities, so we need to concentrate on increasing our unrestricted reserves to ensure our future sustainability.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£989.35 (balance as of 31 Dec 2022)
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	Nil in deficit
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	No uncertainties

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	<p><i>Unrestricted funds:</i> Donations from individuals make up the majority of our funding Fundraising activities – sponsored sporting events, charity shop (annually in November) Donations from institutions and companies</p> <p><i>Clinic income:</i> The two clinics charge small sums (less than cost) for their services – all of which goes directly back into the running costs in Uganda, and is not transferred to the UK (this appears as clinic income in the Audited Accounts).</p>
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Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	N/A
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	<p>We work in a high-risk country, with multiple challenges including infectious diseases, governmental instability, crime and corruption. The global Covid-19 pandemic has further complicated running a small international development charity.</p> <p>The UK Government has reduced its commitment to spending on international aid from 7% to 5% of GDP, which immediately led to the FCDO cancelling all future grants from the UKAid Direct Small Charities Challenge Fund. This did not impact the grant we were in receipt of, however, does mean we could not apply to them for a follow-on grant for our projects.</p> <p>The current economic climate makes charitable fundraising more uncertain.</p> <p>We have compiled a comprehensive risk assessment/register for our work and volunteers in Hoima. This was approved by UK Aid Direct as part of holding a grant with them.</p>
Other		N/A

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	CIO
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	Trustees are appointed by 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	<p>We have a number of policies (approved by UKAid Direct) relating to management and training of Trustees and volunteers, including safeguarding.</p> <p>We also have clinical guidelines and operational guidelines for staff to refer to as needed, approved by our trustees and our local medical staff.</p>
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<p>In 2022 we had four trustees managing the charity and projects from the UK, some of whom visit Hoima on a regular basis to support staff and monitor projects. We have no paid staff in the UK, keeping our overheads extremely low.</p> <p>Our one MAMA member of staff working in Uganda completed her fixed term contract (2 years) on 31 January 2022 as planned. She has been reinstated as a Trustee since her return to the UK.</p> <p>In Hoima, Uganda, MAMA works closely with Azur Christian Health Centre IV whose support is invaluable in running our clinics and ensuring wages are paid, we are registered with the correct authority and data collection is collated for the districts.</p> <p>Our Runga clinic is now registered with the Hoima District Health Office. Our own premises will allow us to now do the same for the Kyarushesha clinic with the Kikuube District Health Office. We work closely with the local district health officers for Hoima and Kikuube to ensure we offer high standards of care and follow local and international guidance.</p>

		We work with the local communities we serve, including village and church leaders (although our organisation is non-religious), to enable us to offer services needed for their geographical areas.
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	<p>MAMA has a good working relationship with a number of local organisations in the Hoima District, and we also have a partner organisation, Azur Christian Health Centre, with who we have a current Memorandum of Understanding. We base our maternity services here, and with their staff we offer satellite maternity services in Hoima and Kikuube Districts. Regular meetings with Azur's management and senior midwives ensure we have good communication channels and keep up to date with the staff and our clinics.</p> <p>Through Azur we pay staff wages and running costs of our clinics, ie. fuel, vehicle and pharmacy. We offer regular support to Azur, both through volunteers, training and financing some of their midwives.</p> <p>Our clinics need good quality facilities upstream to refer patients in need of a higher level of care to, so moving forwards, we plan to bolster our relationships with Hoima Regional Referral Hospital. One of our trustees has had her registration with the Ugandan Medical and Dental Practitioners Council approved, enabling her to volunteer there in the future. There are also plans to explore developing a partnership between the newly-established Bunyoro Local Maternity and Neonatal System (LMNS) and the West Berkshire, Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire (BOB) LMNS in the UK.</p> <p>During this process we have developed connections with Obstetricians working at the Ministry of Health in Uganda, which we hope will be of benefit in the future.</p>
Other		N/A

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)
Other name the charity uses	
Registered charity number	1173745
Charity's principal address	1 Church View, Hook, Hampshire, RG27 9HN.

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	Rhiannon Grindle	Chairperson	2107 to present	Trustees
2	Alexandra Kennedy	Secretary	2019 to present	Trustees
3	Harriet Ivey	Safeguarding Lead	2017 to present	Trustees
4	Sofia Giannopoulou	Treasurer	2022 to present	Trustees

Corporate trustees – names of the directors at the date the report was approved

Director name		
N/A		

Name of trustees holding title to property belonging to the charity

Trustee name	Dates acted if not for whole year	
N/A		

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

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

Additional information (optional)

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address
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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

N/A


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)	Rhiannon Grindle
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	
Date	29/10/2023



Report to the trustees/ members of	Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)		
On accounts for the year ended	31 Dec 2022	Charity no (if any)	1173745
Set out on pages	1-3		

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended **31/12/2022**

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:

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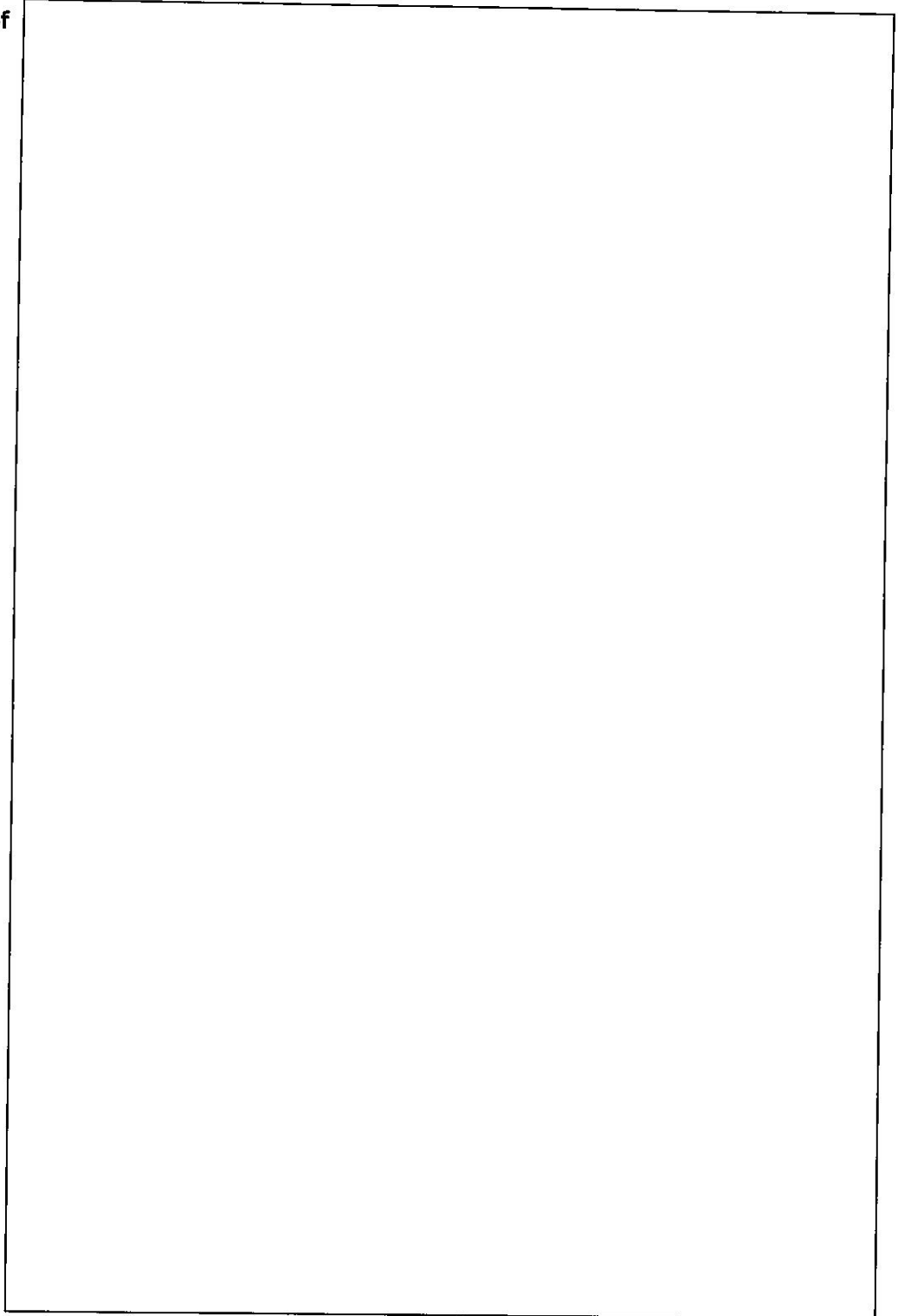
Signed:	<i>Rachel Stanhope</i>	Date:	<i>27/10/23</i>
Name:	Rachel Stanhope		

Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):	<i>ACMA</i>
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Address:	<i>Walnut House, Tanners Lane, Chalkhouse Green, Reading RG4 9AA</i>
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Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

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MIDWIVES AT MATERNITY AZUR (MAMA)

England & Wales - Charity number 1173745

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From **01/12/2021** Period start date To **31/12/2021**
Period end date

Charity name: **Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)**

Charity registration number: **1173745**

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• To promote and protect, for the benefit of the public, the good health of the people in Hoima and Kikuube Districts, Uganda particularly in relation to maternity care, women's health and sexual health. In particular this is achieved by providing support to Azur CHC IV in Hoima Town, to deliver high quality healthcare for patients across Hoima District.• Provide training, mentoring, knowledge transfer and support to healthcare workers at Azur CHC IV and MAMA clinics and at health centre in the surrounding area.• Promoting good healthcare practices and support high quality care at the clinic and in the surrounding area.• To raise awareness and promote understanding in the UK, particularly amongst healthcare professionals, of the unique challenges faced by healthcare workers, and women at Azur CHC IV and in the community in the surrounding area in relation to maternity care, women's health and sexual health.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Running two rural midwifery-led health clinics and supporting the maternity unit at a private not for profit hospital in Hoima town;• Healthcare staff training;• Between Jan and Dec 2021 this included moving both clinics to new premises allowing us to expand and improve our services;• Maintained good relationships with our partner Azur CHC IV and district health

		officers.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	As trustees we work hard to ensure all our decisions are made for the benefit of our beneficiaries in the Hoima and Kikuube districts. We use our existing knowledge and skills to enhance the work we do and to guide who we work with in order to meet our objectives.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	We are not a grant making organisation.
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	Due to the Covid pandemic, volunteer visits to Hoima were more limited than usual. Two of our Trustees made visits to Hoima for periods of one month or more as volunteers (an obstetrician and a midwife). In addition, two further doctors (a GP and a Consultant Physician) volunteered in our clinics for shorter periods, teaching our Clinical Officer, and two senior midwives were able to deliver midwifery update sessions on emergency skills, concentrating on postpartum haemorrhage, sepsis and neonatal resuscitation.
Other		N/A

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	<p>Both clinics have continued to go from strength to strength. Kyarushesha in particular is much busier than in 2020, with more than double the number of births, and more than 30% more antenatal visits. The summary figures for both facilities are below:</p> <p>Runga HC II:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Antenatal visits 1624, monthly mean 135 - Births 207, monthly mean 17 - Maternity admissions 273, monthly mean 23 - General outpatient appointments 681, monthly mean 57 - Maternity referrals to hospital 42, monthly mean 4 - General referrals to hospital 26, monthly mean 2

Kyarushesha MAMA Grace Clinic:

- Antenatal visits 4666, monthly mean 389
- Births 556, monthly mean 46
- Maternity admissions 1557, monthly mean 130
- General outpatient appointments 1791, monthly mean 149
- Maternity referrals to hospital 143, monthly mean 12
- General referrals to hospital 152, monthly mean 13

In 2021 we commenced and completed an ambitious building project to construct new, purpose-built premises for our clinic in Kyarushesha. This clinic had opened in rented premises in March 2020. It became clear during 2020 that we needed more space to deliver the services required by the local community. Furthermore, our landlord proved to be a challenging individual (for example diverting our electricity to supply his house) and the rental costs were a significant outgoing. With a view to expanding and enhancing our services, and to improve the long-term sustainability of the clinic (by removing £500pcm rent from the running costs), in December 2020 we had decided to start fundraising for a building project. After we had raised about 50% of the projected cost (total £50,000), the project commenced in January 2021. Despite the Covid pandemic, we completed the fundraising through a mixture of donations from both individuals and institutions, plus grants from three charitable trusts: The Northwood CT (funds donated in 2020), The Vardy Foundation and The Kitchen Table Charities Trust. The build was completed on schedule at the end of May 2021, with the clinic being opened the day after we moved in. The final spend was £52,030.63 (<5% over the original budget). Having our own premises means they are designed for our current needs and with space to develop our services to include a laboratory and ultrasound facilities. Having the new premises enabled us to have a designated male and paediatric ward for inpatients, as well as facilities for isolation if required. Toilet blocks and wash areas,

	<p>including disabled access, were built to a high standard.</p> <p>We will now be able to register the clinic independently as a Health Centre III (rather than under the umbrella of our Ugandan partners), which will bring financial and resourcing benefits.</p> <p>In October 2021 the new clinic was formally opened by the Bishop of Kitara Bunyoni Diocese and renamed MAMA Grace clinic in memory of one of our Uganda midwives who sadly passed away in 2018.</p> <p>Due to the threat of rising water in Lake Albert we relocated our Runga clinic so it was further away from the edge of the lake. The new premises offers inpatient and outpatient areas, plus staff quarters and stores for equipment, medications and vaccines. All our services had minimal interruption while the move was taking place. Local builders ensured the new premises were adapted to our needs.</p> <p>Both clinics run fortnightly childhood immunisation clinics. We have engaged with the Ugandan Red Cross Organisation to host regular blood donor sessions.</p> <p>We have strengthened links with the local communities, gaining feedback for our services and patient experiences.</p> <p>We have used local drivers and their vehicles to provide emergency transport to those patients requiring a higher level of care.</p> <p>Through our funding from UK Aid, we had a UK-registered senior midwife resident in Uganda throughout 2021 overseeing our projects, and also offering one-to-one support and training to our midwifery staff in Uganda.</p> <p>We managed four visits by two of our trustees (obstetrician and senior midwife), to support our in-country UK midwife and local staff in their practice.</p> <p>We have supported local midwives in practice to enhance their clinical and managerial skills. This was particularly with a view to handing over the full-</p>
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		time management of the Kyarushesha clinic to our Ugandan colleagues in February 2022, at the end of the UK Aid grant.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	<p>As detailed above we met the objectives we had set for 2021, which were to construct new purpose-built premises for the Kyarushesha Clinic, and to move the Runga Clinic into new, larger premises (still leased).</p> <p>In addition to this both clinics continued running throughout, and we increased the proportion of women receiving antenatal care in Kyarushesha who then decided to deliver their babies with us (from 38% in 2020, to 51% in 2021). This is in line with our goals to increased skilled birth attendance and health facility delivery.</p> <p>Anecdotally, we have reduced the number of deaths in the communities we work in. This was reported to us by the diocese who before we opened the clinics would have overseen a higher number of burials.</p> <p>Twice weekly health education sessions at our clinics have improved the mothers' knowledge of when they should seek help in pregnancy, amongst other topics.</p>
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	<p>We have successfully generated enough income to cover all the necessary costs of the charity's activities.</p> <p>The UK Aid Direct Small Charities Challenge Fund grant (start date Feb 2020) has continued, and we have met</p>

		<p>all the reporting standards set by them.</p> <p>We were successful in raising the funds required for the building project (£52,000) through donations from both individuals and institutions, and by successfully applying for grants from charitable trusts (with a success rate of 3/8, 38% - higher than that across the sector).</p> <p>In addition to this we increased our regular monthly donations in anticipation of the need to cover the running costs of both clinics after the end of the UKAid Direct SCCF grant (31 Jan 2022).</p> <p>Several individuals completed sponsored sporting events to raise money for us, and as usual in November 2021 we took over the Rotations Charity Shop in Hampshire, raising more than £1000.</p>
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	N/A
Other		N/A

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<p>The years 2020 and 2021 have been very ambitious for our charity, almost quadrupling our turnover and with some major projects successfully completed (despite the Covid-19 pandemic). We aim to increase the unrestricted reserves in 2022 following this period of expansion. We are now focussing on a period of stability, to cement the sustainability of our projects to ensure they continue to benefit the communities we serve in the long term. We have increased our regular monthly income to almost cover the day-to-day running costs of our projects, but still rely to some extent on ad hoc fundraising and grants.</p>
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	<p>The Covid pandemic has limited some fundraising activities, so we need to concentrate on increasing our unrestricted reserves to ensure our future sustainability.</p>
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	£1253.16
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
Details of fund materially	Para 1.24	Nil in deficit

in deficit		
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	No uncertainties

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	<p><i>Restricted funds:</i> UKAid Direct Grant £17,729 The Vardy Foundation (grant for building project) £13,500 The Kitchen Table CT (grant for building project) £5500</p> <p><i>Unrestricted funds:</i> Donations from individuals make up the majority of the remainder of the funding, together with fundraising activities. We were also in receipt of some donations from institutions and companies known to us. The two clinics charge small sums (less than cost) for their services – all of which goes directly back into the running costs in Uganda, and is not transferred to the UK (this appears as clinic income in the Audited Accounts).</p>
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	N/A
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	<p>We work in a high-risk country, with multiple challenges including infectious diseases, governmental instability, crime and corruption. The global Covid-19 pandemic has further complicated running a small international development charity.</p> <p>The UK Government has reduced its commitment to spending on international aid from 7% to 5% of GDP, which immediately led to the FCDO cancelling all future grants from the UKAid Direct Small Charities Challenge Fund. This did not impact the grant we were in receipt of, however, does mean we can't apply to them for a follow-on grant for our projects.</p> <p>The current economic climate makes charitable fundraising more uncertain.</p> <p>We have compiled a comprehensive risk assessment/register for our work and volunteers in Hoima, This has been</p>

		approved by UK Aid Direct as part of holding a grant with them.
Other		

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	CIO
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	Trustees are appointed by 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	<p>We have a number of policies (approved by UKAid Direct) relating to management and training of Trustees and volunteers, including safeguarding.</p> <p>We also have clinical guidelines and operational guidelines for staff to refer to as needed, approved by our trustees and our local medical staff.</p>
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<p>In 2021 we had three trustees managing the charity and projects from the UK, some of whom visit Hoima on a regular basis to support staff and monitor projects. We have no paid staff in the UK, keeping our overheads extremely low.</p> <p>We had one MAMA member of staff working in Uganda for a fixed two-year term (1 February 2020 - 31 January 2022), who was paid a stipend. She is a senior midwife, who oversaw all our projects, and was involved with both recruiting and training Ugandan staff as well as working clinically to support our projects.</p> <p>In Hoima, Uganda, MAMA works closely with Azur Christian Health Centre IV whose support is invaluable in running our clinics and ensuring wages are paid, we are registered with the correct authority and data collection is collated for the districts.</p> <p>Our Runga clinic is now registered with</p>

		<p>the Hoima District Health Office. Our own premises will allow us to now do the same for the Kyarushesha clinic with the Kikuube District Health Office. We work closely with the local district health officers for Hoima and Kikuube to ensure we offer high standards of care and follow local and international guidance.</p> <p>We work with the local communities we serve, including village and church leaders (although our organisation is non-religious), to enable us to offer services needed for their geographical areas.</p>
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	<p>MAMA has a good working relationship with a number of local organisations in the Hoima District, and we also have a partner organisation, Azur Christian Health Centre, with who we have a current Memorandum of Understanding. We base our maternity services here, and with their staff we offer satellite maternity services in Hoima and Kikuube Districts. Regular meetings with Azur's management and senior midwives ensure we have good communication channels and keep up to date with the staff and our clinics.</p> <p>Through Azur we pay staff wages and running costs of our clinics, ie. fuel, vehicle and pharmacy. We offer regular support to Azur, both through volunteers, training and financing some of their midwives.</p>
Other		N/A

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Midwives at Maternity Azur
Other name the charity uses	MAMA
Registered charity number	1173745
Charity's principal address	1 Church View Hook RG27 9HN

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	Rhiannon Grindle	Chairperson	2107 to present	Trustees
2	Alexandra Kennedy	Secretary / Treasurer	2019 to present	Trustees
3	Harriet Ivey	Safeguarding Lead	2017 to present	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	N/A
Name and objects of the charity on whose behalf the assets are held and how this falls within the custodian charity's objects	N/A
Details of arrangements for safe custody and segregation of such assets from the charity's own assets	N/A

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

N/A


Other optional information

N/A

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)	Rhiannon Grindle
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	
Date	30/10/2022

Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

Income & Expenditure Account

Year Ended 31st December 2021

Income & Expenditure Account for year ended 31st December 2021

	2021	2020
	£'s	£'s
Income		
Unrestricted Funds	32,070	47,798
Restricted Funds	36,729	35,738
Gift Aid	6,729	4,761
Clinic Income	25,506	21,424
Total Income	101,034	109,721
Expenditure		
In Country (Uganda)	126,088	80,122
UK	-	5,000
Charity Insurance	140	140
Website	257	300
Bank Charges	495	289
Total Expenditure	126,980	85,851
Surplus/(deficit) for the year	(25,946)	23,870

UK Bank Account 1st January	27,199	3,329
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UK Bank Account 31st December	1,253	27,199
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Accounts prepared by R C Stanhope (ACMA) August 2022



Report to the trustees/ members of	Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)		
On accounts for the year ended	31 December 2021	Charity no (if any)	1173745
Set out on pages	1-3		

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended

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: Rachel Stanhope **Date:** 31/10/2022

Name: Rachel Stanhope

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

Address: Walnut House, Tanners Lane,
Chalkhouse Green, Sth Oxon
RG4 9AA

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

MIDWIVES AT MATERNITY AZUR (MAMA)

England & Wales - Charity number 1173745

Accounts



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From: 01/01/2020 Period start date To: 31/12/2020 Period end date

Charity name: Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

Charity registration number: 1173745

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- To promote and protect, for the benefit of the public in Hoima and Kikuube District, Uganda, particularly in relation to maternity care, women's health and sexual health.- Provide training, mentoring, knowledge transfer and support to healthcare workers at Azur Health Centre IV and MAMA clinics.- Promoting good healthcare practices and support high quality care at the clinics and surrounding areas- To raise awareness and promote understanding in the UK, particularly amongst healthcare professionals, of the unique challenges faced by healthcare workers, and women at the Azur Health Centre IV and in the community in the surrounding area in relation to maternity care, women's health, and sexual health.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- We have maintained the activities of our existing rural health centre in Runga, offering 24/7 services to maternity, paediatric and general patients.- We have opened and established a second clinic in Kyarushesha offering similar services to those provided in Runga.- Both clinics have 24-hour access to a vehicle and escort for those patients needing an emergency referral to a higher level of care.- Regular updates on our website

		and social media pages have kept our supporters up to date with our activities.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	The three trustees confirm that we have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit. Our organisation has purposes which are exclusively charitable for the public benefit. This report illustrates how we have carried out these purposes for the public benefit.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	We are not a grant making organisation
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	N/A
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	<p>Due to the COVID pandemic, in 2020 we were largely unable to have in-country volunteers launching new projects or assisting us with existing activities.</p> <p>In February 2020 we were able to hold a very successful fundraising dinner, which was assisted by the voluntary contributions of a number of people (the restaurant only charged us cost for the night; multiple items/experiences were donated for our silent auction).</p> <p>In March 2020 our Chairperson (a senior UK midwife) was able to travel to Uganda to help with opening the new, UKAid-funded clinic, in Kyarushesha. Due to travel restrictions being imposed in Uganda, this trip was extended to 12 weeks, which ultimately was very beneficial to the project and other activities of our charity.</p> <p>In the latter part of the 2020, fundraising activities were able to recommence within the UK, raising funds for our proposed building project for the Kyarushesha Clinic.</p>
Other		

Achievements and Performance

	SORP reference	
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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

- As a result of our successful application to the UKAid Direct Small Charities Challenge Fund, we have employed a UK manager to live in Uganda for two years to set up our new clinic; this grant commenced on 1 February 2020.
- Thanks to this grant we have opened and established a second Health Centre III in rural Uganda, where we have been able to offer 24/7 skilled maternity, paediatric and general services to Kyarushesha and 11 villages in the surrounding area. This opened in leased premises.
- In 2020, each month, the Runga MAMA clinic saw an average of 117 women for antenatal visits (year total 1408); delivered 17 babies (total 208); prescribed family planning for 19 people (total 222); and saw 113 people through the outpatient service (total 1355).
- From March-December 2020, each month, the Kyarushesha MAMA Grace clinic saw a mean of 311 women through the antenatal clinics (total in 10 months 3106); delivered 29 babies (total 288); prescribed 56 family planning methods (total 559); and saw 195 people through the general outpatient clinic (total 1949).
- In addition, both clinics ran fortnightly childhood immunisation clinics.
- We have engaged with the Ugandan Red Cross Organisation and have hosted regular blood donor sessions.
- We have used local drivers and their vehicles to provide emergency transport to those patients requiring a higher level of care.
- We have employed two local midwives, one nurse and one clinical officer to run the clinic Kyarushesha, with support from security and domestic staff. We also employ local administration staff to help with data collection, local accounts and general running of the clinics.
- We revamped our clinic in Runga to replace floors, move walls and create a better working

		<p>environment.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We have supported local midwives in practice to enhance their clinical and managerial skills.
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Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

<p>Achievements against objectives set</p>	<p>Para 1.41</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Anecdotally we have reduced the number of deaths in the communities we work in. This was reported to us by the Diocese who before we opened the clinics would have overseen a higher number of burials. - Twice weekly health education sessions at our clinics have improved the mothers' knowledge of when they should seek help in pregnancy, amongst other topics.
<p>Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set</p>	<p>Para 1.41</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We successfully completed the due diligence and grant set up process for the UK Aid Direct Small Charities Challenge Fund, for a grant worth £51,000 over two years, which started in February 2020. - In February 2020 we held a fundraising dinner, in conjunction with a local restaurant, which succeeded in raising just over £12,000 for our projects. This was used as matched funding in the establishment of the new clinic. - In the latter part of 2020, we started fundraising towards building a permanent clinic for our services in Kyarushesha, which in the long run will save us a considerable amount of money in rent. - Due to the Covid pandemic our normal avenues for small fundraising events were suspended for a substantial part of

		the year, but despite this we raised all the monies required to support our activities.
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	- N/A
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - At the end of the period reported our financial position was healthy, in part due to being partway through the fundraising effort for the new building project, and midway through the UKAid Direct grant (with an advance of 10% having been paid at commencement). - The current monthly income is sufficient to cover our costs through 2021, but we need to start planning for the end of the UKAid grant.
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - At the end of the financial year January-December 2020 (accounts provided) our reserves were significant (£27,199.64), however the majority of this (~£21,000) were funds raised for the new building project previously discussed, and were to be spent in the first part of 2021 (we can confirm that this has happened).
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	- £27,199.64
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	N/A
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	- Nil in deficit
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	- No uncertainties

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The principal source of funds for this financial year has been from the UKAid grant. - This has been supported by private donations from supporters in the UK, as well as a fundraising dinner and several supporters completing sponsored sporting challenges.
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	N/A
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We work in a high-risk country with a fragile government, especially in light of the upcoming elections. Coupled with the ongoing global pandemic, which has had significant impacts on the

		<p>economy and international travel, we acknowledge that as a small charity we are vulnerable to these risks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- The UK Government has reduced its commitment to spending on international aid from 7% to 5% of GDP, which immediately led to the FCDO cancelling all future grants from the UKAid Direct Small Charities Challenge Fund. This will not impact the grant we are in receipt of, however, does mean we can't apply for a follow-on grant for our projects.
Other		

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	- CIO
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	- Trustees are voted in, or re-elected by existing 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	- There are a number of policies to support our Trustees including financial, safeguarding and appointing volunteers.
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The charity has three Trustees (all voluntary), and no paid staff in the UK, keeping our overheads extremely low. - We have one MAMA member of staff working in Uganda for a fixed two-year term (1 February 2020 – 31 January 2022), who is paid a stipend. She is a senior midwife, who oversees all our projects, is involved with recruiting and training Ugandan staff and working clinically to support our projects. - We work closely with our downstream partners (Azur Health Centre IV), based in Hoima town, and it is through them that we employ Ugandan staff for our two clinics, and purchase the necessary supplies, including medications. We have a Memorandum of Understanding in place with them. - Our Runga clinic is now registered with the Hoima District Health Office. Our own premises will allow us to do the same for the Kyarushesha clinic with the Kikuube District Health Office.
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	- In Hoima, Uganda, MAMA works closely with Azur Health Centre IV,

		whose support is invaluable in running our clinics and ensuring wages are paid, we are registered with the correct authority and data collection is collated for the districts.
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	Midwives at Maternity Azur
Other name the charity uses	MAMA
Registered charity number	1173745
Charity's principal address	1 Church View, Hook, Hampshire, RG27 9HN.

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	Rhiannon Grindle	Chair	2017-2021	
2	Alexandra Kennedy	Secretary / Treasurer	2019-2021	
3	Harriet Jacobs	Safeguarding	2017-2021	
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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	

Funds held as custodian trustees on behalf of others

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

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

N/A


Other optional information

N/A

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)	Rhiannon Grindle
Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Chairperson
Date	30/10/2021

Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

Income & Expenditure Account

Year Ended 31st December 2020

Income & Expenditure Account for year ended 31st December 2020

	2020 £'s	2019 £'s
Income		
Unrestricted Funds	47,798	23,879
Restricted Funds	35,738	-
Gift Aid	4,761	3,620
Clinic Income	21,424	-
Total Income	109,721	27,499
Expenditure		
In Country (Uganda)	80,122	28,629
UK	5,000	-
Charity Insurance	140	-
Website	300	-
Bank Charges	289	204
Total Expenditure	85,851	28,833
Surplus/(deficit) for the year	23,870	(1,334)

UK Bank Account 1st January	3,329	4,663
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UK Bank Account 31st December	27,199	3,329
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Accounts prepared by R C Stanhope (ACMA) October 2021



Section A

Independent Examiner's Report

**Report to the trustees/
members of**

Midwives at Maternity Azur (MAMA)

**On accounts for the year
ended**

31 December 2020

**Charity no
(if any)**

1173745

Set out on pages

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of the above charity ("the Trust") for the year ended

**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:

Rachel Stanhope

Date:

30/10/2021

Name:

Rachel Stanhope

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

ACMA

Address:

Walnut House, Tanners Lane, Chalkhouse Green, South Oxfordshire

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight matters of concern (see CC32, Independent examination of charity accounts: directions and guidance for examiners).

Give here brief details of any items that the examiner wishes to disclose.

