



Trustees' Annual Report for the period

	Period start date				Period end date		
From	01	04	2020	To	31	03	2021

Section A

Reference and administration details

Charity name

UK Photopheresis Society

Other names charity is known by

Registered charity number (if any) 1178321

Charity's principal address

The Rotherham NHS Foundation Trust

Moorgate Road

Rotherham

Postcode

S60 2UD

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	Dr Arun Alfred	Treasurer	Whole year	UK Photopheresis Society
2	Dr Andrew Gennery	Secretary	Whole year	UK Photopheresis Society
3	Dr Julia Scarisbrick	President	Whole year	UK Photopheresis Society
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Names of the trustees for the charity, if any, (for example, any custodian trustees)

Name	Dates acted if not for whole year

Names and addresses of advisers (Optional information)

Type of adviser	Name	Address

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

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Section B Structure, governance and management

Description of the charity's trusts

Type of governing document
(eg. trust deed, constitution)

Constitution

How the charity is constituted
(eg. trust, association, company)

Charitable Incorporated Organisation

Trustee selection methods
(eg. appointed by, elected by)

Appointed by the UK Photopheresis Society

Additional governance issues (Optional information)

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

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

The charity came into existence on 10th May, 2018

Section C Objectives and activities

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

To advance health by promoting the knowledge of Photopheresis, stimulate research in this field, and disseminate knowledge at meetings, via publications and guidelines and work to develop best standards in clinical practice for the advancement of care to the health benefit of our patients. The Society would wish to represent the application of Photopheresis to UK Healthcare organisations and facilitate collaboration with International organisations to foster research and medical advance in this field. This would include but not be limited to provisions of grants to help achieve the objectives of the Society.

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

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

Section D

Achievements and performance

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

Two manuscripts have been published over the last year:-

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Annual meeting:

Friday November 13th 2020

Therakos Virtual On-Line Symposium: 10.30-11:30

10.30-11.30 ECP usage in combinational approaches: how and why?

Prof Robert Zeiser, Freiburg, Germany

UKPS Virtual On-Line Annual Meeting: 13:00-16:30

13.00-14.00 Poster Viewing

14:00 - 14.15 Welcome, introductions and future plans

Prof Julia Scarisbrick, University Hospital

Birmingham, UK

14:15 – 15:00:

Extracorporeal Photopheresis 2020 Update

TBC

Prof. Robert Knobler, Medical University of

Vienna, Austria

15:00 – 15:45:

ECP use: A practical Guide To Patient

Management

Dr Fiona Child, Guy's and St Thomas' Hospital,

UK

15:45 - 16:30: UKPS Business Meeting

16.30: Close

Additional details of objectives and activities (Optional information)

Section E

Financial review

Brief statement of the charity's policy on reserves

The charity's finances are presented regularly at the Annual meeting and reviewed with regards to holding adequate appropriate resources

Details of any funds materially in deficit

None

Further financial review details (Optional information)

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

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

Section F

Other optional information

Section G

Declaration

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

Signed on behalf of the charity's trustees

Signature(s)

Full name(s)

Dr Arun Alfred

Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)

Treasurer

Date

Mar31st,2021

Summary of the main achievements of the charity during the year

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**Statement of accounts for the UKPS for Apr 2020 to March 2021 presented
to Board**

Charity registration number: 1178321

April 2020 Balance: £42768.19

Publication for Open Access: : £1680.00

UKPS annual educational meeting admin set up cost : £34.95

Poster presentation prize: £500.00

Newcastle University grant : £1000.00

Therakos (unrestricted sponsorship) Nov 2020: presented with business papers at AGM

Dr Arun Alfred 31/3/21

Treasurer UKPS

