

THE ROMANI FOUNDATION

England & Wales · Charity number 1181483

Details

Other names	JORDAN'S FOUNDATION
Status	Registered
Legal form	CIO
Registered	2019-01-08
Register	View on the Charity Commission register

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Activities

Objects: THE OBJECTIVES OF THE CIO ARE:THE RELIEF OF MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL HEALTH OF YOUNG PERSONS SUFFERING FROM DEPRESSION, SOCIAL ISOLATION, ANXIETY, PANIC ATTACKS OR DRUG ADDICTION BY THE PROVISION OF SUPPORT, INTERVENTION AND OF DIRECT AND INDIRECT COUNSELLING AND SUPPORT FOR SUCH PERSONS BY:-A) CREATING A NETWORK WITH OTHER CHARITIES AND NOT FOR PROFIT ORGANISATIONS THAT IS SUSTAINABLE AND ADDRESSES THE PERCEPTION OF MENTAL HEALTH AS A STIGMA AND TO WHICH WE CAN SIGNPOST RELEVANT CANDIDATES FOR HELP.B) CAMPAIGNING TO (I) CATEGORISE SUCH ISSUES AS ANXIETY, PANIC ATTACKS, DEPRESSION, STRESS ETC AS EMOTIONAL HEALTH CONDITIONS AND (II) FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF 'SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL ASSISTANTS' WITHIN THE NHS/EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENTS WHO ARE EMPOWERED TO IDENTIFY AN INDIVIDUAL YOUNG PERSON'S HEALTH AND WELLBEING NEEDS AND PROVIDE THE RELEVANT SUPPORT AND TO IDENTIFY THOSE THAT ARE IN NEED OF URGENT MEDICAL INTERVENTION.C) CREATING A FORUM/HELPLINE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE WHO ARE NOT GETTING HELP OR ARE RELUCTANT TO BECAUSE OF FEAR, STIGMA AND CATEGORISATION OF MENTAL HEALTH BEING AGAINST THEM BY SOCIETY WHEN SEEKING EMPLOYMENT ETC.D) INVOLVING FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN THE SUPPORT AND WELLBEING OF YOUNG PEOPLE THAT ARE GOING THROUGH MENTAL/EMOTIONAL CRISIS.E) CREATING AND USING A DVD TO ENCOURAGE YOUNG PEOPLE TO BE MORE OPEN ABOUT THEIR SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL HEALTH. THIS WOULD BE A TOOL TO EXPLAIN HOW DEPRESSION, SOCIAL ISOLATION, ANXIETY ETC CAN FEEL AND ENCOURAGE YOUNG PEOPLE TO OPEN UP ABOUT HOW THEY ARE AND TALK ABOUT THE ISSUES.

Activities: The Charity operates from my office/home. Myself, my assistant, my sister, daughter and secretary are all involved although myself and my assistant are the main persons involved.Hopefully as time goes on we may get other volunteers to assist.We will raise funds through fundraising, donations and events, I will also donate monies from my company and personally to get us started! I have done

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives
- **Who:** Children/young People

Geography

- North Yorkshire

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-12-31	£3,462	£9,041	-	-
2024-12-31	£11,111	£11,537	-	-
2023-12-31	£9,836	£9,815	-	-
2022-12-31	£10,513	£8,030	-	-
2021-12-31	£11,366	£17,930	-	-
2020-12-31	£11,780	£19,854	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
CHLOE JADE ARNOLD		2019-01-08
Elizabeth Harwood		2021-01-01
JENNA ROMANI		2019-01-08
JULIE ROMANI		2019-01-08

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Accounts

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Profit and Loss

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From: Month 1, January 2025
To: Month 12, December 2025

Chart of Accounts: Default Layout of Accounts [PARTIAL]

	<u>Period</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	
Sales			
Donations	3,413.69	3,413.69	
Fund Generation - Charity Shop	48.75	48.75	
	3,462.44		3,462.44
Purchases			
Cost of Charitable Activities	1,552.57	1,552.57	
	1,552.57		1,552.57
Direct Expenses			
Charitable Expenditure	287.88	287.88	
	287.88		287.88
Gross Profit / (Loss):	<u>1,621.99</u>		<u>1,621.99</u>
Overheads			
Support Costs - Travelling Expenses	442.51	442.51	
Support Costs - Printing and Stationery	100.54	100.54	
Support Costs - Computer & Website charges	3,160.45	3,160.45	
Support Costs - General Expenses	851.19	851.19	
Management & Admin - Gross Wages	2,280.50	2,280.50	
Management & Admin - Professional Fees	365.50	365.50	
	7,200.69		7,200.69
Net Profit / (Loss):	<u>(5,578.70)</u>		<u>(5,578.70)</u>

Annual Report for Small Non-Company Charity – Year to December 2025

Charity Name : The Romani Foundation

Registration Number : 1181483

Address : Sunnybank Farm, Whitehall Road East, Birkenshaw, West Yorkshire, BD11 2LL

Trustees :

Mrs Julie Romani

Mrs Jenna Romani

Miss Chloe Arnold

Mrs Elizabeth Harwood

Overview of the Year :-

CHARITY COMMISSION - ANNUAL REPORT 2025

The Romani Foundation (Help For Dependency) is dedicated to helping those experiencing dependency or addiction, their family and friends - helping to beat dependency and addiction by improving their mental/emotional health and wellbeing. By providing information and help to better understand substance use, addictive disorders, dependency and addiction, we hope that you will be able to make better lifestyle choices and get the right help.

The Romani Foundation operates from the founders/CEO's home/office and comprises a CEO, PA and a Board of four trustees. Family members and close friends volunteer their time to help and support the day to day operation of The Romani Foundation.

The Founder/CEO has supported the Charity financially via charitable contributions from her business enterprises and will continue to do so.

During 2025, The Romani Foundation continued to facilitate the grant funding received from the Bradford Creative Communities in July 2024. This particular project also received contributions from our CEO :

Grant Funding - The Bradford Creative Communities Fund - Art Therapy

Via the Bradford Year of Culture 2025, The Romani Foundation was awarded a micro grant to undertake further art therapy sessions with women in recovery from Evolve Recovery Homes. This was facilitated and covered more diverse use of art mediums from clay to flowers; with painting and drawing and the use of textiles.

An art psychotherapist therapist was engaged to work alongside The Romani Foundation staff. This enabled the effective management of any 'triggers' and any mental health issues that arose during the sessions.

Due to funding still being available, The Romani Foundation were authorised to organise some yoga evening sessions at The Loft in Bradford. These sessions were facilitated by a Yoga Master and our staff. The sessions were advertised throughout Bradford and attracted a diverse representation from the local community, including some of the women we had worked with previously.

This grant funded project was successful and garnered positive feedback from participants.

Positive Choices - Understanding the Risks of Cannabis/Vaping

Further to work that was conducted during the Autumn of 2023 to Spring 2024 with a PSHE (personal, social, health, economic) Education Consultant to further develop the presentation for children and young people (11- 16yrs) on - Positive Choices - Understanding The Risks of Cannabis and Vapes (including a lived experience video); along with Help and Support information and Evaluation sheets; we made connections with secondary schools, academies and PRU Schools (Pupil Referral Unit - type of school that provides education for children/young people who are unable to attend mainstream schools).

To facilitate the sessions we engaged a retired Police Officer to work alongside us to conduct 45 to 60 minute sessions for over 1000 children/young people in the Bradford area. The interactive lessons on the Risks of Cannabis and Vaping were delivered in several formats to manage the requirements of any behavioural or wellbeing needs:

- Year group assemblies enabled larger groups of children and young people to receive the lesson and actively engage throughout the sessions.
- Small class room groups (6 - 10 students) in secondary schools/academies were conducted to connect directly with children and young people whom pastoral/safeguarding staff felt required more direct interactions due to their vulnerabilities or their use of cannabis/vapes.
- The lessons conducted in the PRU schools were undertaken with very small groups of children/young people many of whom were regularly using cannabis/vapes or had possible connections with illegal supply of substances.

Naturally, all our staff had the appropriate DBS, Safeguarding qualification and presentation skills to be able to deliver the lessons and interact safely with children and young people; some of whom were vulnerable.

Positive feedback was received from both staff/students and we are continuing to apply for grant funding to facilitate further sessions; as up to now the CEO has funded the development and staffing costs of this work.

Donations

Our insurance company has continued to support the charity by donating our annual insurance premiums. Another donation was also received from a local building company.

Donations were also received from two local companies, private individuals, fund generation and contributions from our CEO.

Website and Social Media Platforms

Due to the rising numbers and concerning use of ketamine by young people a new section was added to the website to provide information on the use of ketamine as an illegal substance, the risks and the consequences.

The Local Services Database is an ongoing work in progress and we actively encourage services and users to recommend services/organisations so that we can check them out before submitting information on to our website directory.

The website continues to provide information and sources of help/support to a wide demographic; mainly in the UK but with some sources accessing it from other continents.

The Help for Dependency social media platforms; primarily facebook and instagram continue to be a great success, with increased usage and have enabled connections with a wide demographic as well forging new relationships with organisations in the dependency/addiction sector.

Social media continues to be an effective way of sharing information about all different aspects of dependency/addiction, physical and emotional wellbeing, diet and exercise, lived experience and much more. As well as linking with a UK audience; we still have a growing global following and made connections with other organisations in our field.

The interactive sharing of information of the latest news/research is essential to helping and supporting people make better lifestyle choices around dependency/addiction and associated issues.

The website and social media platforms have enabled us to signpost/direct an increasing number of people to help and support for their substance use disorders, other addictive behaviours and other issues associated with dependency/addiction. We have also been made aware of some incredible recovery stories that are a direct result of our intervention.

Direct Help and Support

Through direct contact from people with active addiction or via a family member we have liaised with them to establish what type of support they need for their substance abuse (mainly cannabis, cocaine, alcohol and ketamine). This has culminated in our staff arranging assessment appointments and access to rehabilitation services with other charities and organisations who we have forged great connections with over the past few years.

To date, the people that we have helped and supported have had successful recovery outcomes and some continue to keep in contact with us.

Connections

Through the 'power of connections' The Romani Foundation has continued to build partnerships and relationships with other organisational bodies (both charitable and public). This enables us to network and work more effectively with the sector and enables work/projects to be more targeted.

Within our local area the team at Glve Bradford have been particularly helpful in introducing us to a diverse range of charities and organisations. We also have great connections with charitable rehab services and some national charities/organisations who we engage with on a regular basis.

During the next year (2026) The Romani Foundation will:

- Applying for funding to facilitate out of school sessions that will combine education as well as art in vulnerable communities. The education aspect will provide an opportunity to deliver information on substance use, emotional wellbeing etc; whilst using art (in many forms) to depict such subject matter. This would involve working alongside other local organisations and qualified staff to achieve this.

Prioritise applying for external funding to extend project work in communities, support the core costs of the Foundation and replace digital technology.

- Continue to expand links with other charities, businesses and public services, to embed our work within a diverse range of communities.
- The Romani Foundation will continue to connect with those in active addiction, their families and friends to provide help and support; liaising on their behalf with services that can address their complex needs and provide treatment, rehab, counselling and

aftercare for their particular issues.

- Importance will continue to be placed on the continued development; through knowledge/training of those involved in the day to day operation of The Romani Foundation; as well as networking with our peers - both national and locally.

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Overview of the Year :-

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During 2024, The Romani Foundation continued to facilitate the grant funding received from the Give Bradford in 2023. In July 2024, the charity was awarded a micro grant from The Bradford Creative Communities Fund. Both projects have also received contributions from our CEO :

The Give Bradford Fund - Art Therapy Project

This grant was received in June 2023 to identify the need in Bradford for art to be introduced as part of the recovery mechanism for those recovering from substance use disorders, addictive behaviours and associated mental health issues.

As part of the process The Romani Foundation worked closely with the other local community organisations to establish access to people in recovery who may want to take part in this trail project

In February 2024, we commenced work with a group of men in recovery from Alpha House. Over a six week period, a group of men in recovery from dependency/addiction took part in an art therapy course. The course was facilitated by a trained art psychotherapist and members of our team. Each week different techniques and mediums were introduced. The participants were encouraged to address various stages of recovery and their feelings through creativity.

Any 'triggers' experienced by individual participants during the sessions were addressed on a one to one basis by the psychotherapist and at the end of each session everyone gave feedback.

The Bradford Creative Communities Fund - Art Therapy

Via the Bradford Year of Culture 2025, The Romani Foundation was awarded another micro grant to undertake further art therapy sessions with women in recovery from Evolve Recovery Homes. This commenced in October 2024 and covered more diverse use of art mediums from clay to flowers; with painting and drawing and the use of textiles.

Again an art psychotherapist therapist was engaged to work alongside The Romani Foundation. This enabled the effective management of any 'triggers' and any mental health issues that arose during the sessions.

Due to funding still being available, The Romani Foundation were authorised to organise some yoga evening sessions at The Loft in Bradford. These sessions were facilitated by a Yoga Master and our staff. The sessions were advertised throughout Bradford and attracted a diverse representation from the local community, including some of the women we had worked with previously.

Both of the grant funded projects were successful and garnered positive feedback from participants.

From the Autumn of 2023 to Spring 2024 The Romani Foundation continued to work with a PSHE (personal, social, health, economic) Education Consultant to further develop the presentation for children and young people (11- 16yrs) on - Positive Choices - Understanding The Risks of Cannabis and Vapes; along with Help and Support information and Evaluation sheets.

As part of this process the charity engaged with people in recovery to work alongside us to pilot this education in schools; it was well received by students and teachers.

The Local Services database on The Help for Dependency website has further developed with more organisation/services being added. The information is accessed on a regional

basis and covers the whole of the UK. Information is not only accessed via county/area but is further categorised into the categories of Alcohol, Alternative Therapies, Behavioral Addiction, Counselling, Drugs, Friends and Family, Gambling, Homeless/Housing, Mental Health, Online Support, Other, Recovery, Recovery Groups, Residential Rehab and Suicide Prevention.

To accompany this the CEO also funded the addition of an Apps page that directs users to apps that may be useful to support their recovery and continued well being.

Once again our insurance company has supported the charity by donating our annual insurance premiums. Another donation was also received from a local building company.

The Help for Dependency website and social media platforms continue to be a great success and have enabled connections with a wide demographic as well forging new relationships with organisations in the dependency/addiction sector.

Social media continues to be an effective way of sharing information about all different aspects of dependency/addiction, physical and emotional wellbeing, diet and exercise etc. As well as linking with a UK audience; we still have a growing global following and made connections with other organisations in our field.

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During the next year (2025) The Romani Foundation will:

- Apply to the Community Lottery fund to facilitate the delivery of education on cannabis/vapes to children and young people will be a priority. This will also involve engaging with schools in the Bradford area initially and the appointment of additional staff should the funding be successful.
- Continue to grow and develop the database of 'Local Services' on The Help for Dependency website, monitor its usage on a monthly basis and ensure information is relevant and up to date. This will be an ever growing service to provide a free 'One Stop Shop' of signposted services/organisations for those struggling with addiction, dependency and their associated issues; as well as support for friends and family.
- Extend and develop the Apps page to enable users to access self help and information on continued wellbeing
- Review and extend the website content to address emerging topics such as ketamine, porn dependency/addiction and other subject matter as necessitated by the ever changing demographic of substance misuse and addictive behaviours.

The ease of use and functionality of the website will also be audited and amended where necessary, with the support of our web providers.

- Continue to expand links with other charities, businesses and public services to embed our work within a diverse range of communities, through the 'Power of Connections' the organisation will
- Prioritise applying for external funding to support the running costs of the Foundation and to extend project work in communities.
- Continued importance will be given to the knowledge/training of those involved in the day to day operation of The Romani Foundation; as well as networking with our peers - both national and locally

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Profit and Loss

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	<u>Period</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	
Sales			
Donations	6,380.03	6,380.03	
Grants	3,625.00	3,625.00	
Fund Generation - Fund Raising	863.92	863.92	
Other Income	242.88	242.88	
	11,111.83		11,111.83
Purchases			
Charitable Expenditure	1,453.90	1,453.90	
Cost of Charitable Activities	3,361.56	3,361.56	
	4,815.46		4,815.46
Direct Expenses			
	0.00		0.00
Gross Profit / (Loss):	<u>6,296.37</u>		<u>6,296.37</u>
Overheads			
Support Costs - Travelling Expenses	1,169.49	1,169.49	
Support Costs - Printing and Stationery	58.00	58.00	
Support Costs - Computer & Website charges	1,954.68	1,954.68	
Support Costs - General Expenses	723.51	723.51	
Management & Admin - Gross Wages	2,570.50	2,570.50	
Management & Admin - Professional Fees	246.00	246.00	
	6,722.18		6,722.18
Net Profit / (Loss):	<u>(425.81)</u>		<u>(425.81)</u>

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Chart of Accounts:

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	<u>Period</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	
Sales			
Donations	1,786.39	1,786.39	
Grants	8,000.00	8,000.00	
Other Income	50.00	50.00	
	9,836.39		9,836.39
Purchases			
Charitable Expenditure - Grants Payable	1,135.00	1,135.00	
Cost of Charitable Activities	42.50	42.50	
	1,177.50		1,177.50
Direct Expenses			
Cost of Fund Generation - Fund Raising	19.96	19.96	
	19.96		19.96
Gross Profit/(Loss):	<u>8,638.93</u>		<u>8,638.93</u>
Overheads			
Support Costs - Rent and Rates	826.68	826.68	
Support Costs - Travelling Expenses	9.00	9.00	
Support Costs - Printing and Stationery	237.94	237.94	
Support Costs - Telephone and Computer	2,253.76	2,253.76	
Support Costs - Maintenance	382.10	382.10	
Support Costs - General Expenses	1,367.83	1,367.83	
Management & Admin - Bank Charges and	(60.00)	(60.00)	
Management & Admin - Gross Wages	3,320.00	3,320.00	
Management & Admin - Professional Fees	280.00	280.00	
	8,617.31		8,617.31
Net Profit/(Loss):	<u>21.62</u>		<u>21.62</u>

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During 2023, The Romani Foundation was successful in attaining two micro- grants from The Community Lottery Fund and The Give Bradford Fund for two very different projects. Both projects have also received contributions from our CEO :

Community Lottery Fund - Database of Local Services

This grant was received in April 2023 to facilitate the development of a FREE online service via our Help for Dependency website that signposts children, young people, adults and their families and friends.

The information is accessed on a regional basis and covers the whole of the UK. Information is not only accessed via county/area but is further categorised into the categories of Alcohol, Alternative Therapies, Behavioral Addiction, Counselling, Drugs, Friends and Family, Gambling, Homeless/Housing, Mental Health, Online Support, Other, Recovery, Recovery Groups, Residential Rehab and Suicide Prevention.

<https://www.helpfordependency.co.uk/service-search/>

The Romani Foundation has worked closely with its website providers to develop this online provision. It has also enabled interactions with partners, visits to other charities and the formulation of important connections within the field of addiction/dependency and their associated issues; to gain relevant information to be published.

As part of the process The Romani Foundation has also been approached by some international charitable organisations who offer help and support in the UK.

The Give Bradford Fund - Art Therapy Project

This grant was received in June 2023 to identify the need in Bradford for art to be introduced as part of the recovery mechanism for those recovering from substance use disorders, addictive behaviours and associated mental health issues.

As part of the process The Romani Foundation has worked closely with the other local community organisations to establish access to people in recovery who may want to take part in this trail project.

To facilitate the project The Romani Foundation engaged a fully qualified Art Psychotherapist who has produced a six week program to be delivered in conjunction with a local charity for approximately 12 clients. This will commence in February 2024.

Through its association with Give Bradford, The Romani Foundation has succeeded in becoming more embedded in local community organisation/services; which up to this year has proved difficult. Making some great connections and foundations to better work in the local area with new partners.

BCB local radio also invited The Romani Foundation to promote its projects and charity during its live community broadcast.

During the Autumn period work commenced on rewriting the educational material that supports the films previously made .

Initially, starting with the cannabis lesson plan; work has commenced with one of our partners to simplify and update information for use by teachers or The Romani Foundations own volunteers for delivery to young people either at school or via community organisations. A PSHE Advisor has also been engaged to consult on the material produced.

As part of this process The Romani Foundation has forged a connection with a premier league football club's community foundation to deliver this educational material.

The Help for Dependency website and social media platforms continue to be a great success and have enabled connections with a wide demographic as well forging new relationships with organisations in the dependency/addiction sector.

The website is continually updated with new information and monitored on a monthly basis to enable targeted information to be relayed via the Help for Dependency social media platforms.

Social media continues to be an effective way of sharing information about all different aspects of dependency/addiction, physical and emotional wellbeing, diet and exercise etc. As well as linking with a UK audience; we also now have a growing global following and made connections with other organisations in our field.

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During the next year (2024) The Romani Foundation is hoping to:-

- Continue to grow and develop the database of 'Local Services' on The Help for Dependency website, monitor its usage on a monthly basis and ensure information is relevant and up to date. This will be an ever growing service to provide a free 'One Stop Shop' of signposted services/organisations for those struggling with addiction, dependency and their associated issues; as well as support for friends and family.

- The Arts Therapy project will be delivered in February/March 2024. The outcomes will be published and shared. It's also hoped that The Romani Foundation can seek additional funding for those in recovery to produce pieces of art to be displayed as part of Bradford City of Arts and Culture 2025.
- New lesson plans will continue to be created to accompany the films we have already produced on various types of drugs, understanding addiction and the law. The lesson plans need to be simplified and more user friendly for teachers and those wishing to use them in an educational setting. To achieve this we will be engaging with some of our partners and PSHE Advisor.
- The website content will be reviewed and extended to include new topics as necessitated by the ever changing demographic of substance misuse and addictive behaviours.
- The Romani Foundation will continue to expand the Board of Trustees so that we can increase our expertise in the field of dependency/addiction. We would also like to appoint ambassadors with lived experience in different regions of the UK to provide educational awareness of dependency/addiction.
- Likewise through the 'Power of Connections' the organisation will continue to expand links with other charities, businesses and public services to embed our work within a diverse range of communities.
- Applying for external funding will continue to be a priority to support the running costs of the Foundation and to extend project work in communities

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ACTIVITIES - how the charity spends its money

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The Founder/CEO has supported the Charity financially via charitable contributions from her business enterprises and will continue to do so. In December 2021 The Romani Foundation was successful in attaining a micro- grant from The Bradford Fund centred around 'Resilience'. This funding has enabled our organisation to focus on strategic issues to enable sustainability/resilience as the Foundation grows and develops. The outcome being the production of a 'Change Document' for the next three years 2022 to 2023. Our Insurance Company has again donated our annual insurance premiums.

Our website and social media platforms - Help for Dependency - continue to be a great success and have enabled connections with a wide demographic as well forging new relationships with organisations in the dependency/addiction sector. Social media in particular is effective in sharing information about all different aspects of dependency/addiction, physical and emotional wellbeing, diet and exercise etc. As well as linking with a UK audience; we also now have a growing global following. Our interactive sharing of information of the latest news/research is essential to helping and supporting people make better lifestyle choices around dependency/addiction.

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During the next year we're hoping to:-

- **Establish a database of services that are available on a regional basis throughout the UK for those struggling with dependency/addiction; their families and friends. This will be attached to our website and promoted through social media and partner organisations as a 'ONE STOP SHOP' for help and support.**

This will be an ever growing service and we will endeavour to visit the organisations offering the services to ensure that we are providing accurate information on the provider and that they are providing good and reliable help and support.

- **New lesson plans will be created to accompany the films we have already produced on various types of drugs, understanding addiction and the law. The lesson plans need to be simplified and more user friendly for teachers and those wishing to use them in an educational setting. To achieve this we will be engaging with some of our partners and focus groups.**
- **The Romani Foundation will continue to expand the Board of Trustees so that we can increase our expertise in the field of dependency/addiction. We would also like to appoint Ambassadors in different regions of the UK to provide educational awareness of dependency/addiction. Likewise through the 'Power of Connections' we're expanding our links with other charities, businesses and public services to embed our work within different communities.**

- **We will continue to apply for external funding to help support the running costs of the Foundation and also to extend our project work in communities.**

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Chart of Accounts:

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	<u>Period</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	
Sales			
Donations	10,513.00	10,513.00	10,513.00
		10,513.00	10,513.00
Purchases			
Charitable Expenditure - Grants Payable	253.80	253.80	253.80
		253.80	253.80
Direct Expenses			
Cost of Fund Generation - Fund Raising	115.00	115.00	115.00
		115.00	115.00
Gross Profit / (Loss):		<u>10,144.20</u>	<u>10,144.20</u>
Overheads			
Support Costs - Travelling Expenses	3.00	3.00	
Support Costs - Printing and Stationery	79.11	79.11	
Support Costs - Telephone and Computer	3,494.03	3,494.03	
Support Costs - Maintenance	240.00	240.00	
Support Costs - General Expenses	35.39	35.39	
Management & Admin - Gross Wages	3,810.00	3,810.00	
		7,661.53	7,661.53
Net Profit / (Loss):		<u>2,482.67</u>	<u>2,482.67</u>

THE ROMANI FOUNDATION

England & Wales - Charity number 1181483

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Annual Report for Small Non-Company Charity - Year to December 2021

Charity Name : The Romani Foundation

Registration Number : 1181483

Address : Sunnybank Farm, Whitehall Road East, Birkenshaw, West Yorkshire, BD11 2LL

Trustees :

Mrs Julie Romani

Mrs Jenna Romani

Miss Chloe Arnold

Mrs Liz Harwood

Overview of the Year :-

CHARITY COMMISSION - ANNUAL REPORT 2021

ACTIVITIES - how the charity spends its money

The Romani Foundation (Help For Dependency) is dedicated to helping those experiencing dependency or addiction, their family and friends - helping to beat dependency and addiction by improving their mental/emotional health and wellbeing. By providing information and help to better understand substance use, addictive disorders, dependency and addiction, we hope that you will be able to make better lifestyle choices and get the right help.

The Romani Foundation operates from the founders/CEO's home/office and comprises a CEO, PA and a Board of four trustees. Family members and close friends volunteer their time to help and support the day to day operation of The Romani Foundation.

The Founder/CEO has supported the Charity financially via charitable contributions from her business enterprises and will continue to do so. In December 2022 The Romani Foundation was successful in attaining a micro- grant from The Bradford Fund centred around 'Resilience'. This funding has enabled our organisation to focus on strategic issues to enable sustainability as the Foundation grows and develops. Our Insurance Company has donated our annual insurance premiums and

we continue to receive small donations from other initiatives such as Give As You Live.

Due to the impact of COVID we have been unable to run any major fundraising events.

Through dedicated partnerships with a production company, other charitable organisations and people with lived experience of dependency/addiction we have produced education material on Understanding The Risks of Dependency/Addiction. The nine films are aimed at informing and educating people on the concept of dependency/addiction; explaining the science behind it, presenting keywords and featuring select moments from interviews with seven people who have each been exposed to different types of dependency/addictions.

Our website and social media platforms - Help for Dependency - are continually evolving. Social media in particular is effective in sharing information about all different aspects of dependency/addiction, physical and emotional wellbeing, diet and exercise etc. As well as linking with a UK audience; we also now have a global following. Our interactive sharing of information of the latest news/research is essential to helping and supporting people make better lifestyle choices around dependency/addiction.

During the next year we're hoping to appoint more Trustees to the Boards so that we can expand our expertise in the field of dependency/addiction. We would also like to appoint Ambassadors in different regions of the UK to provide educational awareness of dependency/addiction. Likewise through the 'Power of Connections' we're expanding our links with other charities, businesses and public services to embed our work within different communities.

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	<u>Period</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	
Sales			
Donations	8,865.81	8,865.81	
Grants	2,500.00	2,500.00	
	11,365.81		11,365.81
Purchases			
Charitable Expenditure - Grants Payable	231.30	231.30	
Cost of Charitable Activities	10,725.60	10,725.60	
	10,956.90		10,956.90
Direct Expenses			
Cost of Fund Generation - Fund Raising	424.66	424.66	
	424.66		424.66
Gross Profit/(Loss):	<u>(15.75)</u>		<u>(15.75)</u>
Overheads			
Support Costs - Travelling Expenses	258.90	258.90	
Support Costs - Printing and Stationery	337.86	337.86	
Support Costs - Telephone and Computer	2,609.28	2,609.28	
Support Costs - General Expenses	632.92	632.92	
Management & Admin - Gross Wages	2,710.00	2,710.00	
	6,548.96		6,548.96
Net Profit/(Loss):	<u>(6,564.71)</u>		<u>(6,564.71)</u>

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The Romani Foundation was set up to provide website and help via educational cd's to young adults, it is run and managed by Mrs Julie Romani, who recruited the Trustees as friends and family.

The objective in the first year was to get the website up and running and functioning correctly and that the Cd's are distributed where they are needed, we will be fundraising throughout the year.

The objective in the first year was to get the website up and running which we achieved, in the second year we have concentrated on getting the necessary training and organising the Dvd's which are very costly but we feel vital to the service we want to provide.

In its second year the charity made a loss of -£8074.27 but we had a lot of expenditure in the year to 31st December 2020 which we will reap the benefits of hopefully as we go into the third year.

Mrs Julie Romani

15th April 2021

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Chart of Accounts:

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	<u>Period</u>		<u>Year to Date</u>	
Sales				
Donations	11,762.57		11,762.57	
Grants	27.61		27.61	
Charitable Activities	(10.00)		(10.00)	
		11,780.18		11,780.18
Purchases				
Cost of Charitable Activities	11,225.60		11,225.60	
		11,225.60		11,225.60
Direct Expenses				
Cost of Fund Generation - Fund Raising	418.16		418.16	
		418.16		418.16
Gross Profit/(Loss):		<u>136.42</u>		<u>136.42</u>
Overheads				
Support Costs - Travelling Expenses	224.79		224.79	
Support Costs - Printing and Stationery	25.94		25.94	
Support Costs - Telephone and Computer	5,642.97		5,642.97	
Support Costs - Maintenance	130.08		130.08	
Support Costs - General Expenses	607.04		607.04	
Management & Admin - Bank Charges and	(0.13)		(0.13)	
Management & Admin - Gross Wages	1,580.00		1,580.00	
		8,210.69		8,210.69
Net Profit/(Loss):		<u>(8,074.27)</u>		<u>(8,074.27)</u>