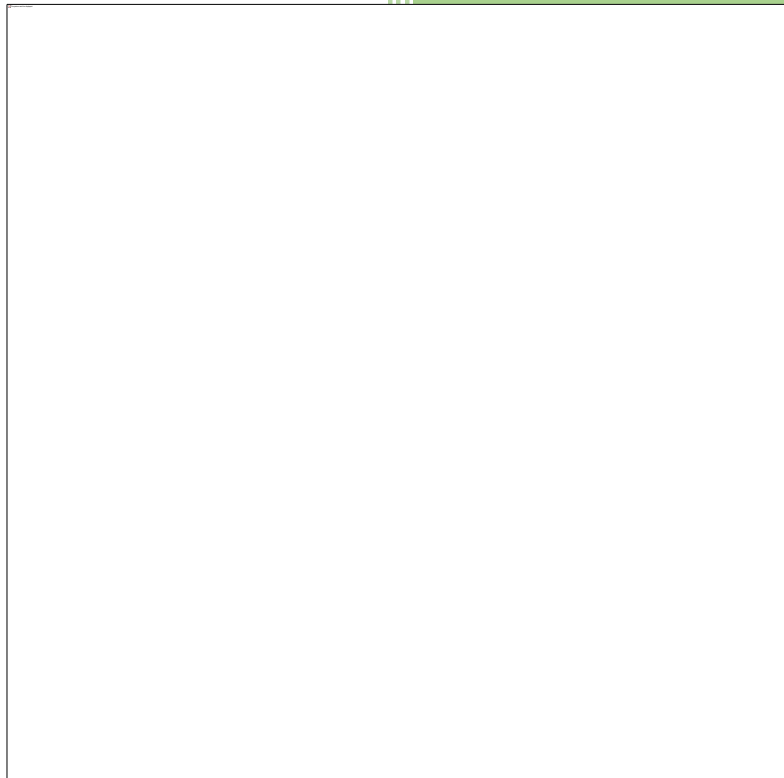


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**OPERATION FLORENCE  
ANNUAL REPORT – YEAR END  
MAY 15, 2022**



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OPERATION FLORENCE EMR CIO

Operation Florence  
Charity Number 1196409  
Financial Year End  
May 15, 2022  
  
Annual Report

**Charity Name**                      Operation Florence

**Charity Number**                  1196409

**Registered Address**            257 Thorney Leys, Witney, Oxfordshire, OX28 5PH

**Trustee Committee**

Laird Keith Robert Jeffs Esq (Ex Officio)                      Chief Officer

Mr Neil Thompson    Chair

Miss Lisa Roberts

Mrs Sarah Thompson

Mr Owen Deli    Vice Chair

**Senior Management Team**

Laird Keith Robert Jeffs Esq    Chief Officer

Mr Damian Deverson    Deputy Chief Officer

Mr Neil Thompson    Assistant Chief Officer

**Legal Advisors**

Dobson and James Law

**Banking**

Metro Bank

## **Aims and Objectives**

The charities aims and objectives, as laid out in our Charity Constitution are;

1. **WATER AND TECHNICAL SEARCH AND RESCUE.** For the public benefit, provide first response search and rescue services to those in need of rescue following accident or disaster involving bodies of water, flooding or otherwise entrapped throughout the United Kingdom.
2. **MEDICAL FIRST RESPONSE** For the public benefit, provide first response medical care and life saving first response medical intervention to those experiencing a medical emergency following an accident or disaster or otherwise in need of assistance throughout the United Kingdom.
3. **EMERGENCY MEDICAL TRANSPORT** For the public benefit, provide life saving emergency medical transport of live human tissues, blood or medical equipment throughout the United Kingdom.
4. **YOUTH FIRST AID AND FIRST RESPONSE TRAINING** For the public benefit, provide First Aid and First Responder training to Youth Groups, inclusive of Schools and Activity Groups throughout the United Kingdom.
5. **TRAINING AND TRAINING BURSARIES SPECIFIC TO LIFE SAVING SKILLS** For the public benefit, provide Training to those serving with, or wishing to serve with the emergency services throughout the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, either in an employed or voluntary capacity. Training shall include, but not be restricted to, emergency response driver training, specialist driver training and pre hospital emergency medical training. For the public benefit, provide Training Bursaries and funded apprenticeships to those training to save lives, inclusive of those training to be First Responders, Ambulance Technicians, Paramedics, Nurses and Midwives,
6. **FURTHERING FIRST RESPONSE LIFE SAVING INTERVENTION** To advance such charitable purposes (according to the law of England and Wales) as the trustees see fit from time to time in particular but not limited to the advancement of life saving activities throughout the United Kingdom, including but not restricted to specialist and emergency response driving and pre hospital emergency medical care.

Our Aims and Objectives are reviewed each year in consultation with National Resilience and Statutory Service Partners to ensure that we are meeting the needs of the General Public.

## **Activity Overview**

Having recently obtained Charity Registration (England and Wales) focus has returned to planning and preparation for construction to obtain Operational Status (OS).

During this period effort has been made to consult with National Resilience Officers (NROs) and our Partner Support Organisation (PSO) UKERT CIC in order to obtain operational requirement detail and best practice equipment information.

Research has shown that we must aim for a Three Stage development plan, initial estimates for Stage One construct are £2.75M with a Retained Volunteer Requirement (RVR) of Sixty Eight Crew Members with additional Support Officers.

During this time period, our Operational Activity has been restricted to the delivery of First Aid Training to Youth Groups to enable concentrated efforts on Operational Construction.

In order to achieve Operational Construction we must ensure that all aspects receive equal attention, inclusive of Risk Management.

### **Future Plans**

For the period 2022/2023 Operation Florence will continue to construct, growing Public Benefit Engagements in a step by step, structured manner to ensure total Risk Management as we progress.

Particular attention should be given to the finalisation of all policies and procedures, working alongside our Pro Bono Legal Provider, Dobson and James Law and the development of our Data Pack to enable Grant Funding Provision.

Current Progress would indicate that we are on target for Stage One Development completion by the end of the 2022/2023 reporting period.

### **Financial Report**

#### **Financial Report for the year ending May 15, 2022**

**Total Income**                      **£0**

**Total Expenditure**              **£0**

**All activities have been executed under volunteer/Pro Bono provision.**



Laird K R Jeffs Esq  
Chief Officer