

DEVON ESSENTIAL MEDICAL SERVICES & SOUTHERN EVENT SOLUTIONS CIO

England & Wales · Charity number 1197624

Details

Other names DEVON EMS & SOUTHERN EVENT SOLUTIONS CIO

Status Registered

Legal form CIO

Registered 2022-01-24

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

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Activities

Objects: 1) THE ADVANCEMENT OF HEALTH AND SAVING LIVES BY THE PROVISION OF: A) AN EVENT AMBULANCE AND FIRST AID SERVICE, PLUS OTHER ASSOCIATED SERVICES PROMOTING HEALTH AND SAFETY TO COMMUNITIES WITHIN THE SOUTH AND SOUTH WEST OF ENGLAND, PRINCIPALLY AT SPORTING AND PUBLIC EVENTS; B) A PLANNED PATIENT TRANSFER SERVICE IN ASSOCIATION WITH DEVON AMBULANCE AND FIRST AID SERVICES CIC (AKA AMBFAS); 2) THE ADVANCEMENT OF EDUCATION AND THE PRESERVATION AND PROTECTION OF HEALTH BY PROVIDING TRAINING IN LIFESAVING FIRST AID AND OTHER ASSOCIATED SUBJECTS. 3) THE PROMOTION OF CIVIC RESPONSIBILITY AND GOOD CITIZENSHIP BY ENCOURAGING VOLUNTEERING AND GREATER PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN EDUCATION AND TRAINING IN, AND THE PROVISION OF, LIFESAVING FIRST AID.

Activities: Devon Essential Medical Services provides an event medical service to community events. provides a community first aid training service and promotes volunteering

Classification

- **How:** Provides Services
- **What:** The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, The General Public/mankind

Geography

- **Area of benefit:** LOCAL
- Bath And North East Somerset
- Cornwall
- Devon
- Dorset
- Gloucestershire
- Oxfordshire
- Somerset
- Wiltshire

Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-03-31	-	-	-	-
2024-03-31	£23,479	£22,900	-	-
2023-03-31	£24,736	£23,151	-	-

Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
STEVEN DAVIES	Chair	2024-09-20

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Trustees' Annual Report for the period

From 1.4.23 Period start date To 31.3.24 Period end date

Charity name: DEVON ESSENTIAL Medical Services + Southern Event Solutions CIO

Charity registration number: 11971024

Objectives and Activities

	SORP reference	
Summary of the purposes of the charity as set out in its governing document	Para 1.17	Provide event medical + training service + promoter + fundraising
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	Attending in excess of 200 public events to provide medical services.
Statement confirming whether the trustees have had regard to the guidance issued by the Charity Commission on public benefit	Para 1.18	In so far as practical.

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

	SORP reference	
Policy on grant making	Para 1.38	
Policy on social investment including program related investment	Para 1.38	
Contribution made by volunteers	Para 1.38	
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	The service which we provide has been made possible by volunteers. Thus beyond cost of community events to a minimum, without volunteering scores small community events would provide it difficult to finance. Generally

Additional information (optional)

You may choose to include further statements where relevant about:

Achievements against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Performance of fundraising activities against objectives set	Para 1.41	
Investment performance against objectives	Para 1.41	
Other		

Financial Review

Review of the charity's financial position at the end of the period	Para 1.21	See income + expenditure page 23479 income + 23900 exp
Statement explaining the policy for holding reserves stating why they are held	Para 1.22	the reserves held.
Amount of reserves held	Para 1.22	N/A.
Reasons for holding zero reserves	Para 1.22	insufficient income
Details of fund materially in deficit	Para 1.24	N/A
Explanation of any uncertainties about the charity continuing as a going concern	Para 1.23	N/A

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	
Investment policy and objectives including any social investment policy adopted	Para 1.46	
A description of the principal risks facing the charity	Para 1.46	
Other		

Structure, Governance and Management

Description of charity's trusts:		n.l
Type of governing document (trust deed, royal charter)	Para 1.25	Standard Foundation Model
How is the charity constituted? (e.g. unincorporated association, CIO)	Para 1.25	Per Functional Model 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	Selected from members.

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	
The charity's organisational structure and any wider network with which the charity works	Para 1.51	
Relationship with any related parties	Para 1.51	
Other		

Reference and Administrative details

Charity name	DEVON ESSENTIAL MEDICAL SERVICES TRUSTS
Other name the charity uses	DEVON EHS
Registered charity number	1197624
Charity's principal address	Suite 3 Bridge House, North Hill Devon

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)	Position (eg Secretary, Chair, etc)	Date
James A Cree	James Anthony Cree	Chair	22/11/2025.

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Trustee Report Jan 2022 to March 2023

During the above period Devon EMS Volunteers provided medical cover for 216 events of various types and complexities, many of which were Community Events.

Our volunteer base remained fairly static at between 25 and 20 volunteers, and our board of trustee's static at 5.

During this period we operated a fleet of four Ambulances and three cars.

During February of 2023 we moved our training and operational base from the South Devon Railway at Buckfastleigh to Bridge House in Newton Abbot on a three-year lease.

J Clarke Feb'24