

# WORLD ORTHOPAEDIC CONCERN UK

England & Wales · Charity number 291881

## Details

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**Other names** W O C

**Status** Registered

**Legal form** Other

**Registered** 1985-06-12

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

## Contact

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## Activities

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**Objects:** 1. TO RELIEVE SICKNESS AND TO PRESERVE AND PROTECT HEALTH PARTICULARLY IN UNDER-DEVELOPED COUNTRIES BY THE PROMOTION OF ORTHOPAEDIC MEDICINE AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF ORTHOPAEDIC AND PARA-ORTHOPAEDIC MEDICINE. 2. TO ADVANCE EDUCATION FOR THE PUBLIC BENEFIT IN ORTHOPAEDIC AND PARA-ORTHOPAEDIC MEDICINE.

**Activities:** The aim of WOC UK is to educate and train personnel to treat and rehabilitate injured and disabled people in the developing world. Members of the association periodically travel to the countries in need of such help to conduct the programmes. In Cambodia funds are utilised for hospital construction. Current actives are in Ethiopia, Malawi & Ghana.

## Classification

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- **How:** Makes Grants To Individuals, Makes Grants To Organisations, Provides Human Resources, Provides Buildings/facilities/open Space, Provides Services, Provides Advocacy/advice/information
- **What:** Education/training, The Advancement Of Health Or Saving Of Lives, Disability
- **Who:** Children/young People, Elderly/old People, People With Disabilities, Other Charities Or Voluntary Bodies

## Geography

- Cambodia
- Ethiopia
- Ghana
- Guyana
- Malawi
- Papua New Guinea

## Finances

Period end	Income	Expenditure	Assets	Employees
2025-04-05	-	-	-	-
2024-04-05	£5,470	£7,759	-	-
2023-04-05	£15,255	£19,625	-	-
2022-04-05	£30,002	£17,443	-	-
2021-04-05	£19,196	£31,449	-	-
2020-04-05	£73,404	£57,804	-	-

## Trustees

Name	Role	Appointed
<b>STEPHEN JOHN MANNION</b>	Chair	
Alwyn Abraham		2019-01-01
Deepa Bose		
MR RAJARATNAM MBBS DORTHO MS (ORTHO) MCH ORTHO		
PAUL OFORI-ATTA FRCS		
PROFESSOR CHRISTOPHER LAVY FRCS		
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# Accounts

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**WORLD ORTHOPAEDIC CONCERN**

**291881**

**Income and Expenditure Account**

**For the year ended 5 April 2022**

# World Orthopaedic Concern

## Legal and Administrative Information

For the year ended 5 April 2022

<b>Charity name</b>	World Orthopaedic Concern
<b>Charity registration number</b>	291881
<b>Trustees</b>	Rajaratnam MBBS DOrtho MS (Ortho) MCH Ortho Professor Christopher Lavy FRCS Alwyn Abraham Paul Oforiatta FRCS Deepa Bose FRCS Stephen John Mannion ( <i>Chair</i> )
<b>Principal office address</b>	15 Chapel Lane Leicester LE2 3WF
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.wocuk.org">www.wocuk.org</a>
<b>Independent Examiner</b>	Streets Northern LLP Chartered Accountants Halifax House 30 George Street Hull East Yorkshire HU1 3AJ

# World Orthopaedic Concern

## Chairman's Report

For the year ended 5 April 2022

The pandemic has seen considerable changes to the way WOC operates, in common with many other charity organisations working in low- and middle-income countries (LMICs). The curtailment of international travel has meant that those of us who have ongoing projects overseas have not been able to visit in person since the start of 2020. As with most clouds, there has been a silver lining, which has seen the growth and development of virtual platforms for distance learning, as well as for clinical case discussions. These have allowed us to keep in touch with the medical staff on the ground, continuing our educational and clinical input.

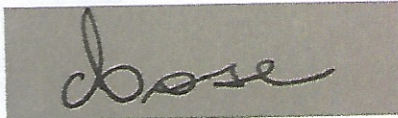
WOC held its first virtual conference on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2022, hosted by Orthohub. This has allowed us to reach a wider audience than usual, for which we are very grateful. It was especially heartening to see the interest it generated in trainees, and we are delighted that our trainee subcommittee is going from strength to strength. Several of them have initiated collaboratives with trainees in LMIC countries, which are mutually beneficial.

WOC had a stand at the recent British Orthopaedic Association Congress in Aberdeen on 21<sup>st</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> September, and generated some interest from trainees and a few consultants. We also ran a well-received session on 21<sup>st</sup> September on Challenges of Managing Orthopaedic Infections in Resource-Poor Settings.

We had a very productive committee meeting on 14<sup>th</sup> September, and made the decision to hold a face-to-face conference in June 2022.

WOC are also continuing to support a candidate for the BOA Future Leaders Programme for 2022. We had some good quality applications this year, and ended up with a tie, so we are exploring options for funding to see if both candidates can be supported.

Our usual visits have been suspended owing to the travel restrictions, but we hope to resume our travel plans in the coming year.



Deepa Bose  
President

**World Orthopaedic Concern**  
**Independent Examiners Report**  
**For the year ended 5 April 2022**

**Independent examiner's report to the trustees of World Orthopaedic Concern**

I report to the trustees on my examination of the accounts of World Orthopaedic Concern for the year to 05 April 2022.

**Responsibilities and basis of report**

As the charity 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**

I have completed my examination. I confirm that no material matters have come to my attention in connection with the examination giving me cause to believe that in any material respect:

1. Accounting records were not kept in respect of the Trust as required by section 130 of the Act; or
2. The accounts do not accord with those records.

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

Approved .....

Andrew Manderfield FCA

DATE 9 January 2023

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2022  
 2021  
 for the year ended 31st Dec 2022

	2022	2021	
Revenue	1,141,871	1,141,871	Revenue
Cost of sales	(1,141,871)	(1,141,871)	Cost of sales
Gross profit	0	0	Gross profit
Operating expenses	(1,141,871)	(1,141,871)	Operating expenses
Operating loss	(1,141,871)	(1,141,871)	Operating loss
Finance income	0	0	Finance income
Finance expense	0	0	Finance expense
Income tax expense	0	0	Income tax expense
Share of profit of associates	0	0	Share of profit of associates
Other income	0	0	Other income
Other expense	0	0	Other expense
Profit/(loss) before income tax	(1,141,871)	(1,141,871)	Profit/(loss) before income tax
Income tax	0	0	Income tax
Profit/(loss) for the year	(1,141,871)	(1,141,871)	Profit/(loss) for the year

**World Orthopaedic Concern  
Income and Expenditure Account**

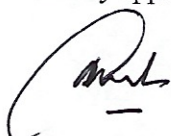
**For the year ended 5 April 2022**

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Opening Assets	141,671	157,508
Adjustment	-	-
Net Surplus/(Deficit)	7,831	(15,837)
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Closing Assets	<b>£ 149,502</b>	<b>£ 141,671</b>

**Asset Position**

<u>Balances</u>	<u>06/04/2021</u>	<u>Movement</u>	<u>05/04/2022</u>
Current Account	43,704	(17,644)	26,060
Treasury Accounts	376	19,000	19,376
Deposit Account	-	-	-
Fixed Interest Fund	-	-	-
COIF	67,065	(4,728)	62,337
Conf A/C	559	-	559
Bristol Bahir Dar	4,803	10,000	14,803
Flyspec Account	25,164	1,203	26,367
JN Wilson Memorial Fund	-	-	-
<b>Total Balances</b>	<b>£ 141,671</b>	<b>£ 7,831</b>	<b>£ 149,502</b>

I hereby approve the accounts



A Abraham  
Treasurer