

2022/2023

Impact Report



Supporting the patients, staff and services of
Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust

- ▶ **Our Vision:** Worcestershire Acute Hospitals Charity supports Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust to Put Patients First.
- ▶ **Our Mission:** Worcestershire Acute Hospitals Charity supports patients, staff and services in Worcestershire's acute hospitals. We do this through fundraising campaigns and the effective use of donations, to provide enhancements, additions and added extras which link closely with the strategic aims of Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust.

“ As our NHS continues to be challenged by the increased demand for services our charity strives to work with the Trust to fund projects and initiatives that improve the experience for patients and make the environment more comfortable for patients, staff and volunteers. Thank you to everyone who has supported and fundraised for the charity, your contribution makes a huge difference. ”

Simon Murphy, Charitable Funds Committee Chair

Impact

Improving facilities for patients, staff and visitors

The charity has worked with the Trust on a number of different projects this year to refurbishing new patient spaces and providing products for extra support at difficult times including...



The Peony Room opened to provide a space for patients' families and loved ones as they near the end of their lives



939 Christmas gifts were bought, wrapped and delivered with the help of 15 volunteers



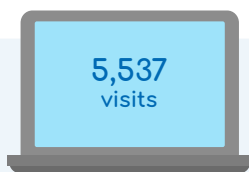
1000 packets of forget-me-not seeds and candles purchased for 1000 bereavement bags



Funded **10 end of treatment cakes** for children completing their cancer treatment

Supporting ongoing staff development and welfare

The charity continue to support the Trust's brilliant staff with extra support and wellbeing initiatives including...



The Financial Wellbeing Hub had **5,537 online visits** and many staff went on to access direct advice and support.



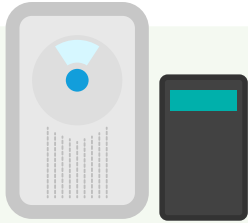
Senior Clinical Psychologist funded for 12 months



12 recognition awards given out at the annual Staff Awards ceremony attended by 320 colleagues

Funding additional medical equipment

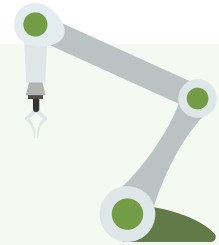
The charity aims to improve Trust's services by funding medical equipment not covered by core NHS funding including...



A **Ramblegard system** to support fall prevention for our older and more vulnerable patients



The maternity bereavement fund provided **Cuddle Cots** to support families following the loss of their baby offering precious extra time together



Bringing **Robotic Surgery** to Worcestershire with the culmination of the Rory the Robot Appeal

Fundraising

The charity exists to provide those added extras that improve the experience for everyone using or providing services at Worcestershire Acute Hospitals NHS Trust. Funds provided by the charity support developments and activities which are over and above core NHS services.

The incredible projects, initiatives and enhancements delivered this year would not have been possible without our wonderful supporters.



10 superb Staff Awards sponsors



46 pairs of trainers laced for Worcester City Runs



32 tea parties held for the NHS Big Tea



The **3 Peaks** Challenge Completed



52 pairs of boxing gloves donned for a charity boxing tournament



25 chilli plants donated at Droitwich Food Festival

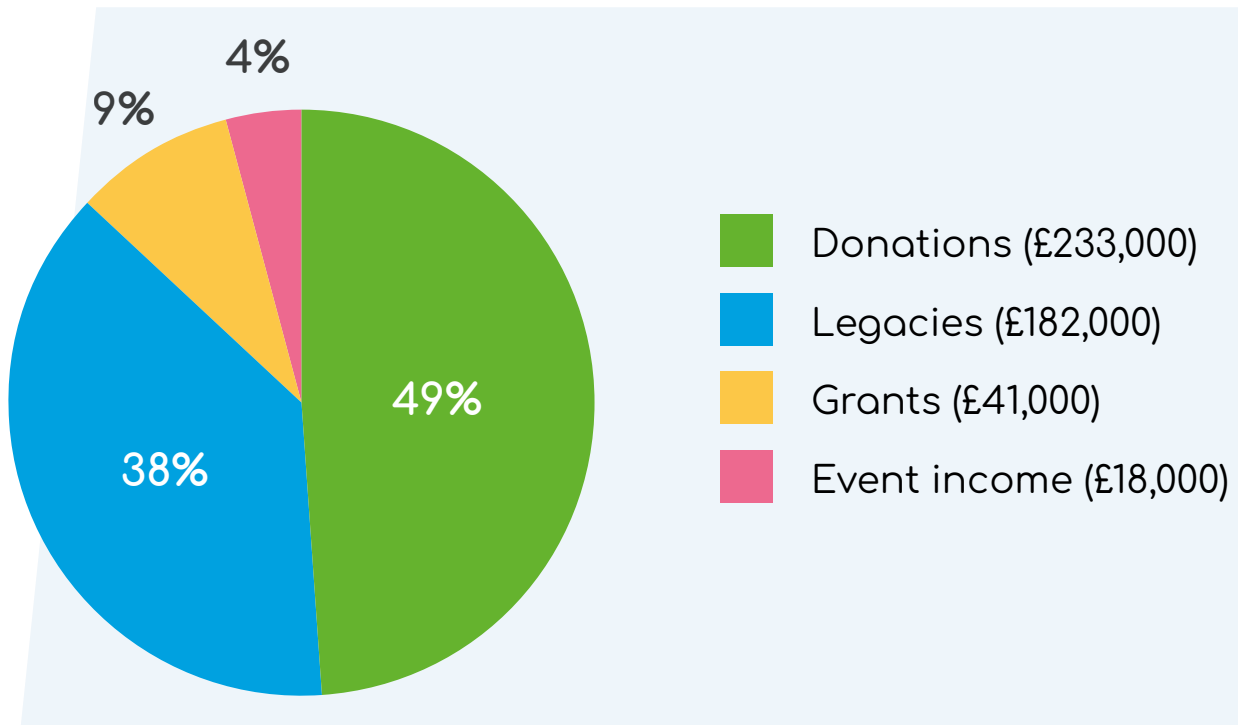


70 voices sang from Worcester Male Voice Choir

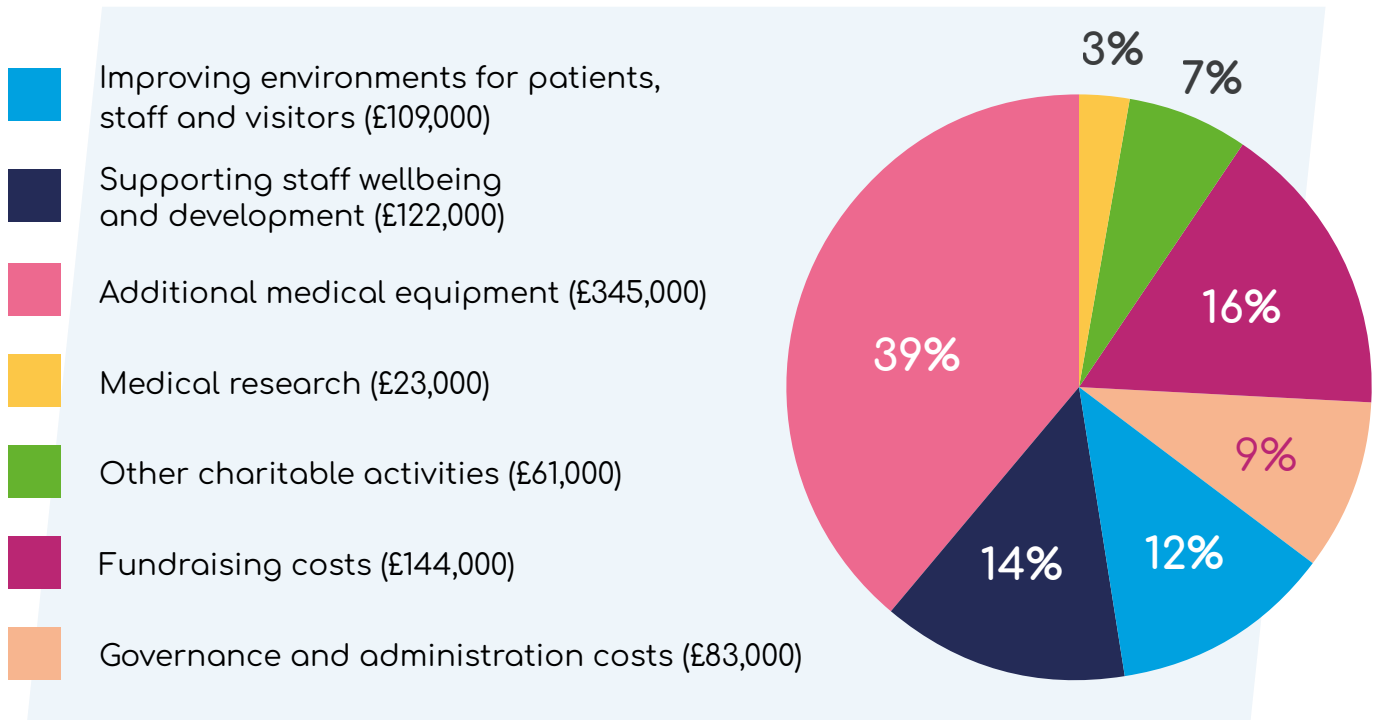


12 Teams of golfers enjoyed a golf day

Income 22/23 : £474,000



Expenditure 22/23 : £887,000



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