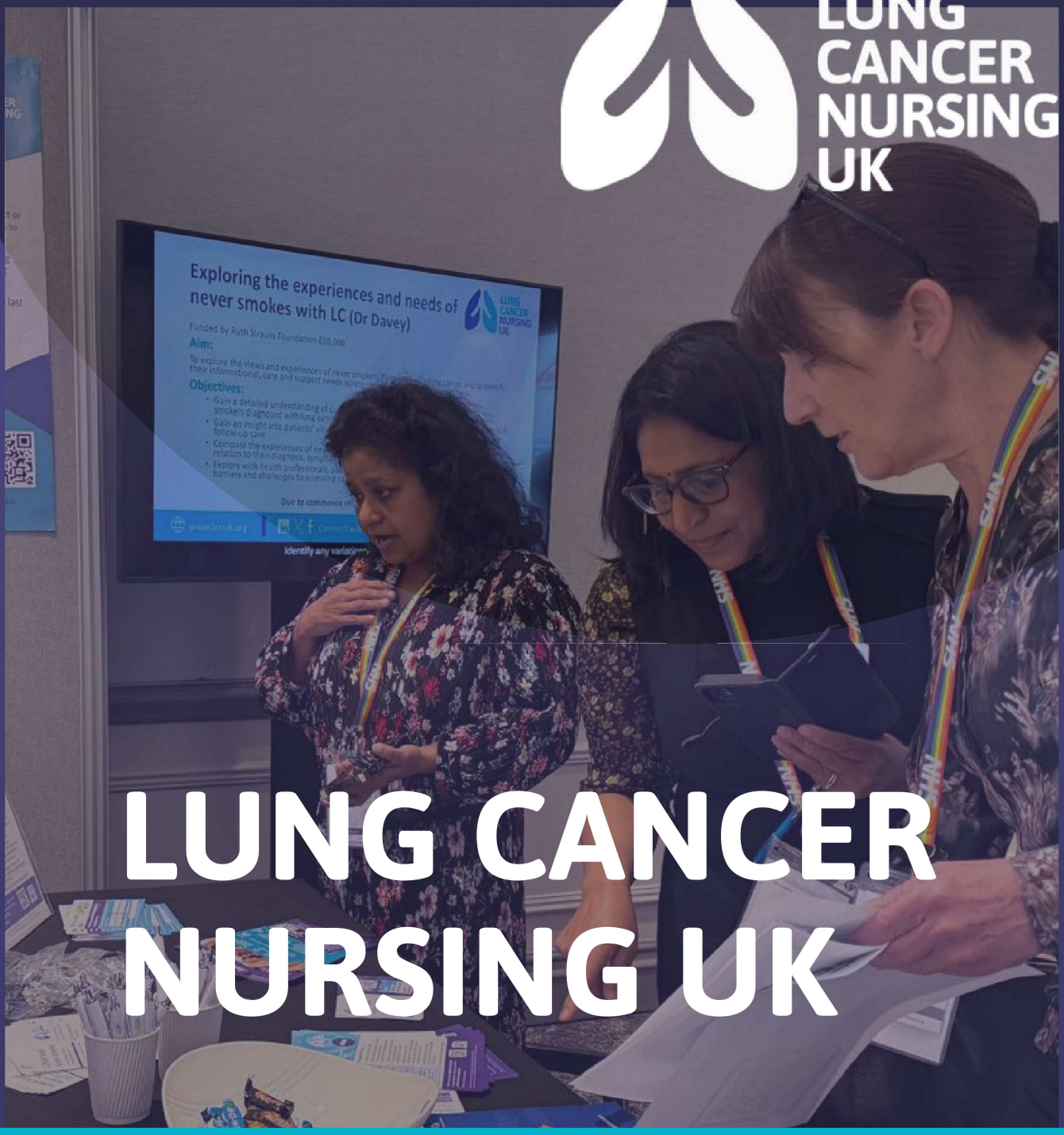


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Annual Report and Accounts
Financial Year ending January 2026

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About LCNUK

Lung Cancer Nursing UK was established in 1998 to support the advancement of health by providing nurses who specialise in the treatment of patients with lung cancer or mesothelioma with support, education and the opportunity to communicate and network with peers; and to provide a national voice on clinical and strategic issues for specialist lung cancer nurses. The organisation became a charitable incorporated organisation (CIO) in 2015.

Membership is open to any specialist nurse who spends more than 50% of their working week or clinical activities in caring for patients with lung cancer and or mesothelioma. Associate membership is open to those who do not meet this criteria. The experience and clinical background of the members working environments are very diverse, including, palliative care, oncology (cancer centres or units) respiratory medicine, community and others, this affords the organisation a wealth of knowledge in to which members can access.

The activities of the CIO fall into four distinct categories, these are as follows:

Clinical

- Improving the care lung cancer patients receive
- Disseminating best practice and sharing information and knowledge

Developmental

- Keeping members up-to-date with the latest lung cancer news through our e-bulletins
- Highlighting new developments in the UK
- Encouraging regional participation within LCNUK

Education

- Providing a forum to disseminate new developments, skills, treatments and practice through educational programmes, annual conference, resources and publications
- Sharing clinical updates and best practice with members
- Supporting and fostering audit and research in lung cancer and within the role of the LCNS

Professional

- Providing support and networking, infrastructure and opportunities
- Campaigning for and supporting the role of the lung cancer nurse specialist
- Providing a voice on clinical and strategic issues.
- Highlighting the specialist role of nurses in caring for people with lung cancer and mesothelioma
- Representing lung cancer nurse specialists on national and international bodies and organisations

2025 Business Priorities

The Trustees present their annual report together with the financial statements of the charity for the year 1 February 2025 to 31 January 2026. The Trustees confirm that the Annual Report and Financial Statements of the charity comply with the current statutory requirements, the requirements of the charity's governing document and the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS102) (effective 1 January 2019).

The Trustees have complied with the duty in part 1 section 4 of the Charities Act 2011 to have due regard to public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission. A detailed report of the activities undertaken and achievements by the Charity to further its charitable purposes for the public benefit is given below.

In 2025 LCNUK had the following business priorities:

Professional

To act as advocates for patients with lung cancer on national professional bodies such as NICE/BTOG.

To represent the lung cancer nurse specialist on professional bodies and committees and provide a voice on strategic issues at a regional and national level.

To promote the lung cancer nurse specialist role and its benefits on an international platform.

To share best practice in lung cancer and mesothelioma care.

Developmental

To ensure production and circulation of a monthly e-bulletin to share best practice and highlight lung cancer and relevant nursing news and events.

To maintain the LCNUK website creating, sharing and signposting to relevant news and events.

Education and clinical

Annual Conference June 2025 – To provide ongoing professional education to lung cancer nurse specialists through its annual conference.

To provide regular educational programmes of activity for members and associate members.

Research

To support ongoing research programmes with academic institutions and provide small research grants to support lung cancer nurse specialists taking their first steps in research and those seeking advanced care practitioner status.

2025 Impact report

In 2025, workforce pressures continued relentlessly to impact on Lung Cancer Nurse Specialists. The UK Lung Cancer Coalition (UKLCC) reported in 2025 that the lung cancer nurse specialist case load typically ranges from 100 - 200 patients per nurse, and that this level is insufficient to meet demand.

LCNUK has responded to these pressures by adapting its programmes and delivering education through short-form digital content, webinars and podcasts to support ongoing professional development. In spite of the challenges, the LCNUK annual conference continued to be well attended and is seen as a highlight of the professional year for our members.

In 2025, we introduced associate membership for lung cancer navigators and developed a dedicated programme of education and practical tools to support this vital workforce including a professional framework to guide Lung Cancer Navigators/Coordinators, their line managers and employers on the core skills, knowledge and training that they will gain and demonstrate as they progress in the role. Navigators play a key role alongside lung cancer nurse specialists in delivering high-quality lung cancer care. They are an essential part of the pathway, helping to ensure that patients' needs are prioritised and that their care journey is as seamless as possible.

Membership numbers have increased slightly in the business year and continue to hold strong following growth and increased retention after COVID. The charity is continuing to work on developing innovative programmes to attract new members.

Membership	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
New	83	84	95	113	86	50*	82
Renewed	211	206	178	179	282*	156*	180
Expired/ cancelled	148	127	114	150	0*	113	71

*Any member who paid for a membership in 2020, has had their membership end date extended to 2022

Professional

Influencing and contribution to national policy

LCNUK works alongside numerous organisations across the UK to inform lung cancer policy, promote best practice and act as the patients advocate for people with lung cancer.

In 2025, we continued to collaborate with national bodies including NICE, BTOG, UKLCC, Roy Castle Lung Cancer Foundation and other lung cancer related organisations to support the development of national policy and guidelines.

The organisation has continued to support Lung Cancer Europe activities which have had number of initiatives taking place and members have submitted abstracts to the IASLC World Conference on Lung Cancer.

Representation

- British Thoracic Oncology Group
- Global Lung Cancer Coalition
- International Thoracic Oncology Nurses Forum
- Lung Cancer Europe
- Mesothelioma UK
- National Lung Cancer Audit
- National Institute for Health and Care Excellence
- Roy Castle Lung Cancer Coalition
- Scottish Medicines Consortium
- Scottish Lung Cancer Nurses Forum
- UK Lung Cancer Coalition
- Welsh Lung Cancer Nurses Forum



During 2025, LCNUK implemented a programme to evaluate a tool to measure complexity in patients with lung cancer. The tool was assessed by group of members as part of the LCNUK annual workshop. The tool, based on The Patient Complexity Instrument* and the Macmillan Palliative Care Concerns HNA*, demonstrated that complexity increases with cancer stage and more nursing time is needed at stage 4. The strong correlation between emotional domains and physical concerns emphasized the importance of addressing both needs. Whilst the tool does measure complexity, its value is limited in quantifying the appropriate nurse to patient ratio for lung cancer nurse workforce planning. The results of the work was presented at BTOG and LCNUK conferences and included in a lightning presentation at the UKLCC conference.

Developmental

Leadership

Supported by a £5,000 educational grant from MSD, alongside £15,000 of LCNUK core funding, we launched a new leadership programme at the end of 2024. This initiative provides lung cancer nurse specialist members with the opportunity to apply for funding to undertake NHS-approved leadership development, including the Mary Seacole, Rosalind Franklin, and King's Fund leadership programmes. These highly respected courses enable members to build essential leadership capabilities such as strategic thinking, influencing skills, service improvement, and leading teams through change. Three members have successfully applied for the funding and are participating in the leadership programmes.

By investing in leadership development, we aim to empower lung cancer nurse specialists to drive innovation, strengthen clinical services, and enhance the quality of care delivered across the lung cancer pathway.

*The Patient Complexity Instrument (v1). Presented at the RCN International Research Conference, University of South Wales. Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group. (n.d.). ECOG Performance Status Scale.
*Macmillan Cancer Support. (2022). Concerns Checklist – identifying your concerns. Palliative Care Concerns HNA Checklist. Thomas, S. (2018).

Education and clinical

In 2025, we hosted an annual conference at The Radisson Edwardian Hotel, Heathrow. The conference attracted 327 attendees of which 129 were members of LCNUK. 96% of those who completed the evaluation reported that the conference was relevant to their educational needs with similar numbers reporting that the information was well presented by knowledgeable and appropriate speakers. When asked to describe their conference experience delegates stated "informative", "educational", "interesting" "enjoyable", "networking", "fun" and "inspiring" as the most commonly used words.

The data represents a slight improvement on the previous year. The conference was able to raise much needed funds in 2025 (£176,633 vs £105,180 in 2024) from the sale of exhibition space.

The organisation hosted six webinars in 2025 supported by funding from AstraZeneca~ which members could attend live or watch on-demand at their leisure. These included:

The role of the multidisciplinary approach for high risk lung cancer patients	21/01/2025	Charlotte Smith and Vasileios Kouritas
TKI therapy in EGFR gene mutation lung cancers/ Interpreting clinical trials	27/02/2025	Alistair Greystoke and Jennifer Ross
Key learning from the BTOG annual conference 2025	18/03/2025	Paula Shepherd and Shobhit Baijal
Fit for Surgery Programme	29/04/2025	Babu Naidu and Bing Smith
Small cell lung cancer	22/05/2025	Emma Halkyard and Adam Uprichard
Considering and supporting the carers of people with lung cancer	31/07/2025	Julia McAdam and Nitin Palekar

~AstraZeneca had no input into the content of the webinars and speaker selection and editorial control rested exclusively with LCNUK

In a bid to reach a wider pool of lung cancer nurses LCNUK also hosted the first in a series of planned annual regional meetings. This first meeting was held in Bristol where LCNUK has identified a lower ratio of members than other areas of the country. 41 individuals attended with 21 delegates and 6 speakers. 2 registered delegates failed to attend. The meeting sessions scored well for content and feedback was good.

"Really useful, informative study day. Nice to have a more informal day and smaller number of delegates allowed more time for questions etc."

"I really enjoyed the day and felt it was a really lovely, informal atmosphere whilst being very informative with a great range of topics and speakers. Plenty of opportunity to speak to lung nurses from other areas and teams too and the food was lovely :) More information on new treatments and targeted therapies coming through is always welcome as it seems to be increasingly complex, so always great to have an update at any future sessions!"

Supported by funding from AstraZeneca LCNUK developed and implemented an online learning module on biomarker testing in NSCLC. We also commenced the development of a second learning module on adverse event management of TKI toxicity which is due for completion in Q2 2026. Online learning modules provide a valuable way for our members to keep up to date with new practices and treatments and support ongoing professional development in their own time. Records of all completed modules are retained and members have the opportunity to download certificates of completion for their professional portfolios.

LCNUK continues to support the annual award to recognise achievements of members.

Communicating with our members

LCNUK has continued to deliver short form easily-to-access succinct communications with members providing bite-size news and information that can be absorbed in the short window of time available to our members. To do this we continue to use social media to push out key messages, regularly update the content on our website with direct links from the home page to key important lung cancer and nursing news. We also prepare and deliver a monthly members newsletter featuring bite-size news and signposting members to educational and professional development information as well as updates on key lung cancer news and links to other charity and not-for-profit news.

Specialist Groups - Research and Thoracic Surgery

LCNUK has two small workgroups of active members interested in research (known as RIG – Research Interest Group) and thoracic surgery (TSG). In 2025, Bing Smith took over as research lead of the RIG. Charlotte Smith continued to lead the TSG.

The RIG has been contributing to research projects and supporting access to clinical trials. The group relaunched the small grants programme in 2025. Unfortunately, there have been no eligible applications. Following the annual meeting in 2025 the RIG are focusing on, with the support of the Board of Trustees, the opportunity to develop a PhD programme and support members who wish to take the first steps in research to support the research element of the four nationally defined pillars of advanced practice.

There is a focus on integrating the activities of the RIG through closer collaboration on the annual workshop programme and other LCNUK activities.

27 abstracts were submitted to the LCNUK annual conference (vs 35 in 2024). Although this is a slight decline on 2024 there has been a steady increase in submissions since COVID and this remains significantly higher than pre-COVID years.

The TSG have focused their work on a review of performance status in lung cancer. The outputs of their work have been shared through the lung cancer community. The work reported that HCPs rely in performance status assessments to make important clinical decisions but evidence suggests that there are newer tools which offer more objective, continuous, and multidimensional assessment compared to traditional Performance Status scales, but implementation challenges remain around standardization, cost, and integration into clinical workflows.

Plans for future periods

In 2026, LCNUK will be developing some new infographics to support nurses in the delivery of core treatments and care.

We will be seeking to influence the national agenda to ensure that patients have appropriate access to lung cancer nurse specialists so that they can act as the patients' ambassador and representative.

We will continue to disseminate and share the lung cancer nurse and navigator professional frameworks which sets out the key skills and training required for the roles.

We will be undertaking a programme of work on the impact of the National Optimal Lung cancer Pathway on lung cancer caseload for nurses.

A further regional meeting is planned for November 2026 in the eastern midlands region.

We are planning to introduce a "Nurse of the Year" award for members of LCNUK.

We will continue to explore how best to support, foster and harness research and audit by lung cancer nurse specialists and to share best practice and service development for the benefit of people with lung cancer.

We will support members who are working to achieve advanced clinical practitioner (ACP) status through our programme of activities which support all four pillars.

We will promote best practice through the sharing of clinical knowledge and skills at our annual flagship two-day conference in June 2026.

We will continue to work with partner organisations to promote best practice in lung cancer nursing.

We will continue to support member education with new online learning modules, ongoing webinars and other digital learning which are now an established feature and benefit of membership.

We will continue to promote member communications, the sharing and dissemination of relevant lung cancer news and information.

We will continue to act as patient representatives and advocates at a national policy level.

Structure, Governance & Management

Constitution

The charity is a registered charitable incorporated organisation, charity number 1160011. Formal membership is open to any lung cancer nurse specialist who spends more than 50% of their working week or clinical activities in caring for patients with lung cancer or mesothelioma. In addition, membership is open to nurse specialists in a lung cancer/mesothelioma academic or lung cancer/mesothelioma research role. Such membership is subject to approval by the LCNUK Committee. Associate membership is open to those who do not meet the criteria for formal membership.

Method of appointment and election of trustees

The management of the charity is the responsibility of the trustees who are elected and co-opted under the terms of the constitution. During this period the LCNUK was managed by seven trustees, led by Diana Borthwick after being elected the new chair by the board of trustees. The trustees, or any member of LCNUK can recommend a trustee for appointment. One third of the trustees retire each year and may be re-appointed. Applicants are asked to provide a CV and covering statement. A shortlist is drawn up and interviewed by a panel appointed by the Board of Trustees. Four new trustees were co-opted by the board of trustees in early 2026, Vanessa Beattie, Karen Clayton, Sian Evans and Lavinia Magee; these individuals will be put forward for election at the next annual general meeting of the charity. The new trustees bring expertise in NHS and lung cancer nursing and Sian Evans joins with experience in human resources. John White and George Bate resigned in 2025.

Policies adopted for the induction and training of trustees

A trustee recruitment and induction pack is available to support new trustees in learning about the organisation, its role, governance and responsibilities of trustees. LCNUK is also a member of the National Council for Voluntary Organisations to take advantage of governance training opportunities. The charity are introducing a buddy scheme for new trustees.

Organisation structure and decision making

The Trustees are assisted by the LCNUK Committee. The chair of the LCNUK committee attends trustee meetings to ensure continuity and good communications. During 2025 the committee was comprised of 13 elected members of LCNUK and three co-opted members. The LCNUK committee is responsible for the operational delivery of programmes and also formulates recommendations on the aims, strategies and activities of the charity for approval by the trustees.

An agency, Red Hot Irons Limited (RHI), is contracted to run the day-to-day business administration and operations of the organisation supervised by the LCNUK committee.

Pay Policy for key management

There are no paid staff, all work undertaken by the committee and trustees is done so voluntarily. The support agency is contracted to run the operational day-to-day activities and business administration.

Application and adherence to the Charity Governance Code

LCNUK recognise good governance is essential to our effectiveness, reputation and credibility. The Board of Trustees regularly review activities, policies and processes to ensure the charity is delivering against its mission and charitable objectives. We have robust measures in place to ensure effective and clear overview of financial controls. The board undertakes a regular review (every two years) of its effectiveness, assessing competencies, skills gaps and training needs through a process of external audit and facilitated discussion. In 2025, LCNUK reviewed and updated its policies on privacy, safeguarding, antiharassment and bullying, disciplinary procedure for members, bribery, compliants, conflicts of interest, endorsement, procurement and representation. We also updated our policy for volunteers. The investment and risk management policies were also reviewed as part of the routine governance of the organisation.

We operate a robust conflicts of interest policy, and all Trustees and Committee members complete declarations of interest each year. Conflict of interests form a standing item on all committee/board agendas. The Board aims to continuously improve its governance processes and is currently working through the new Charity Governance Code to ensure its governance structures adhere to the principles of the code and recommended practice.

While the charity receives funding and sponsorship from a range of pharmaceutical companies and legal firms in the lung cancer field, the Board of Trustees undertakes regular reviews to ensure that no single organisation exerts undue influence or creates an over-reliance. We have clear and robust policies in place to safeguard our independence, ensuring that all funding is accepted on the basis that it does not shape, compromise, or jeopardise the integrity of our work or the best interests of the people we serve.



Risk management

The Trustees analyse and undertake a review of the risks the Charity is exposed to as part of an annual business planning process and in accordance with Charity Commission guidance (CC26), scoring the risks according to likelihood and impact. The systems and actions established to mitigate those risks are also reviewed by Trustees at each Board meeting and updated and adjusted accordingly, with the net risk in each area agreed. High risks closely monitored by the Trustees are:

- High level of dependency on too few income streams puts LCNUK at risk of sudden and/or long-term loss of funding – efforts continue to diversify income streams to include more Trusts and Foundation as well as funding from non-pharmaceutical companies.
- Potential for a sudden drop in income and the need to dip into accumulated reserves
- The risk that LCNUK could be perceived as being unduly influenced by. sponsors/pharmaceutical industry. LCNUK has adopted a stringent endorsement policy and ensures where possible that there is a balance of sponsors from across the industry spectrum with no one sponsor having significant influence or control. Sponsors are not permitted to have any form of editorial control or influence over the content and development of new LCNUK branded materials.

Volunteers

The Society is heavily reliant on the time, expertise and energy of its committee and other members. Much of the work of the charity is conducted virtually via email and teleconference and is undertaken on a voluntary basis.



Trustees, executive committee & senior management

Trustees

David Baldwin
George Bate (resigned 01/09/2025)
Vanessa Beattie (co-opted Jan 2026)
Diana Borthwick (resigned 07/06/2026)
Karen Clayton (co-opted Jan 2026)
Lorraine Creech
Sian Evans (co-opted Jan 2026)
Nicola Handley
Catherine Haywood
Lavinia Magee (co-opted Jan 2026)
Dominic Smith (interim chair from 07/06/26)
John White (resigned 11/06/2025)

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Nationwide Building Society
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Swindon, SN38 1NW

Teachers Building Society
Allenview House, Hanham Road
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LCNUK Committee

Karen Clayton (resigned June 2025)
Pamela Dalrymple
Marie Eaton
Annabel Grinbergs (resigned May 2025)
Emma Halkyard (resigned Dec 2025)
Maria Hill (elected October 2025)
Karen Macrae (elected October 2025)
Julia McAdam (Chair)
Venencia Rayson (elected October 2025)
Jennifer Ross
Paula Shepherd
Bing Smith
Charlotte Smith
Joanna Vick (elected October 2025)
Jane Weir
Kirstie Woods (elected October 2025, resigned April 2026)

Co-opted LCNUK Committee members
Peter Barton (LGBTQIA representative)
Matthew Kelly (NI representative)
Natalie Bloodworth (Wales representative)
Gemma Crowley (Wales representative)

Charity Registered Number

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Accountants

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Financial Review

Principal Income

The principal funding sources for the Charity in 2025 as in previous years were:

- Voluntary income from the pharmaceutical industry (fees from the LCNUK Corporate Sponsorship)
- Income from sponsorship of charitable activities by commercial organisations
- Membership fees and conference registrations

Total funding secured in 2025 was £255,052, an increase of 9.56% on the previous year. Although the charity was only able to secure one corporate sponsorship during the accounting period, additional sponsorship for charitable activities helped offset this. Increased income from bank interest (£19,820 compared with £6,808 in 2024), generated through the introduction of new fixed-rate accounts, also contributed to the overall uplift in funding. Together, these factors enabled us to achieve higher income than in 2024.

Membership income (£8,400) was up on 2024 (£7,740) due to the increase in retention.

Principal Expenditure

Total charitable expenditure in 2025 was £182,859, compared with £138,899 in 2024. This increase reflects the growth in charitable activity, including an increase in the number of webinars delivered, additional online learning modules produced, a new regional meeting was held, increased travel bursaries awarded, and higher committee costs (the committee has returned to face-to-face meetings rather than virtual formats). The national conference was also significantly more expensive in 2025 than in 2024, driven by substantial rises in venue fees that exceeded current inflation rates.

Support costs have risen by £15,201 in the fiscal year to £33,913. The largest item in support costs was secretariat, website and accountancy costs, which includes fees paid to Red Hot Irons. Red Hot Irons is contracted to run the day-to-day operations of the charity, including maintenance and upkeep of our website, membership management and communications, committee management, events, IT, webinars, analytics and database.

Reserves Policy

LCNUK has no regular or guaranteed sources of income, and the long-term financial sustainability of the charity remains uncertain. Despite this, the charity must meet fixed operating costs to maintain its activities, fulfil its charitable objectives, and sustain its presence. Work is planned at least one year in advance, with some financial commitments - such as those relating to the annual conference - made up to two years ahead.

The Trustees have therefore determined that, in order to safeguard the delivery of programmes in the event of a significant reduction in income, the charity should hold an optimal reserve equivalent to 12 months of fixed operating costs plus the annual cost of the conference.

This level of reserve enables LCNUK to pursue its long-term strategy without being forced into short-term reactive decisions during temporary funding deficits. It also provides the flexibility to take forward new opportunities that may require modest upfront investment. Minimum and maximum reserve levels have been set at six months and eighteen months of operating costs respectively.

The Trustees will only consider taking significant corrective action if reserves fall below the minimum threshold, and will only commit to major long-term investments when reserves exceed the optimal level.

Based on the 2026 budget, the optimal reserve level is £226,664, with a minimum requirement of £113,332. At the end of the accounting period (January 2026), the Society held free reserves of £442,048, exceeding the optimal reserve target. The Board is now working with the committee to identify new and appropriate charitable-purpose programmes that can be supported using the surplus reserves.

The Board undertakes an annual review of the reserves policy to ensure it remains aligned with the charity's activities and that the level of reserves is sufficient to meet financial and charitable obligations should funding decline for any reason.

Going concern

After making appropriate enquiries, the Trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. For this reason, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements. Further details regarding the adoption of the going concern basis can be found in the accounting policies.

Financial Review Conclusion

The Society ended the year with an operating surplus of £38,280 for the accounting period. The charity continues to hold healthy free reserves which exceed the maximum reserves level allowing the charity to undertake additional charitable programmes.

However, sponsorship and funding remain a significant challenge and operating costs continue to rise particularly around venue hire charges and insurance costs. The Trustees recognise that the funding situation remains challenging, and will continue to be innovative in our approach to fundraising, cost savings and ensuring value for money. We will also look to achieve additional funding from grant making bodies.

Statement of Trustees' responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Charity law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under charity law the Trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Charity and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles of the Charities SORP (FRS 102);
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards (FRS 102) have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charity's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Disclosure of information to independent examiners

Each of the persons who are Trustees at the time when this Trustees' report is approved has confirmed that:

- so far as that Trustee is aware, there is no relevant information of which the charity's accountant and independent examiner are unaware, and
- that Trustee has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a Trustee in order to be aware of any relevant information and to establish that the charity's accountants are aware of that information.

Approved by order of the members of the board of Trustees and signed on their behalf by:



Dominic Smith
Interim Chair of the Board of Trustees
Date:

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of

Lung Cancer Nursing UK

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 January 2026, which are set out on pages 16 to 23.

Your attention is drawn to the fact that the Charity has prepared the financial statements in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) in preference to the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice issued on 1 April 2005 which is referred to in the extant regulations but has since been withdrawn.

We understand that this has been done in order for the accounts to provide a true and fair view in accordance with the Generally Accepted Accounting Practice effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The Charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 as amended by the Charities Act 2022 (the Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the Act;
- follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145 (5) (b) of the Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiner's statement

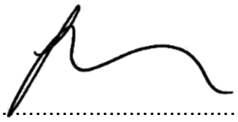
In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

(1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act 2011 as amended by the Charities Act 2022; and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of the Act

have not been met; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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Joanne Thomlinson FCA
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Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 31 January 2026

	Note	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2026	Total Funds 2025
		£	£	£
Income and endowments from:				
Donations and legacies	2	114	114	-
Investment income	3	19,820	19,820	6,808
Charitable activities	4	235,118	235,118	225,996
Total income		255,052	255,052	232,804
Expenditure on:				
Charitable activities		216,772	216,772	157,611
Total expenditure		216,772	216,772	157,611
Net movements in funds		38,280	38,280	75,193
Reconciliation of funds				
Total funds brought forward		403,768	403,768	328,575
Total funds carried forward		442,048	442,048	403,768

The notes on pages 18 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

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Balance Sheet as at 31 January 2026

	Note	2026		2025	
		£	£	£	£
Current assets					
Debtors	10	49,693		58,401	
Cash at bank and in hand		442,451		375,181	
			492,144		433,582
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	11		(50,096)		(29,814)
Net current assets			442,048		403,768
Net assets			442,048		403,768
The funds of the charity:					
Unrestricted funds					
Unrestricted income funds			442,048		403,768
Total charity funds			442,048		403,768

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

Approved by the Board on 26 May 2026 and signed on its behalf by:

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D Smith
Trustee

The notes on pages 18 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

1 Accounting policies

Statement of compliance

The accounts (financial statements) have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the second edition of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice issued in October 2019, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011 as amended by the Charities Act 2022.

The accounts (financial statements) have been prepared to give a 'true and fair' view and have departed from the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 only to the extent required to provide a 'true and fair view'. This departure has involved following Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) rather than the Accounting and Reporting by Charities:Statement of Recommended Practice effective from 1 April 2005 which has since been withdrawn.

Basis of preparation

The charity meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy notes.

Going concern

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.The trustees assess whether the use of going concern is appropriate i.e. whether there are any material uncertainties related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the Charity to continue as a going concern. The trustees make this assessment in respect of a period of one year from the date of approval of the financial statements.

Fund accounting policy

Unrestricted income funds are general funds that are available for use at the trustees' discretion in furtherance of the objectives of the charity.

Further details of each fund are disclosed in note 13.

Income and endowments

Donations and legacies including gifts are recognised where there is entitlement, probability of receipt and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability.

Income from Government and other grants, whether 'capital' grants or 'revenue' grants, is recognised when the charity has entitlement to the funds, any performance conditions attached to the grants have been met, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably and is not deferred.

Investment income is recognised on a receivable basis.

Income from charitable activities includes income recognised as earned (as the related goods or services are provided) under contract.

Membership income is recognised in the period it relates to.

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Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to the expenditure. All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category.

Expenditure on raising funds are the costs of trading for fundraising purposes.

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

Grants payable are payments made to third parties in the furtherance of the charitable objectives. Where the charity gives a grant with conditions for its payment being a specific level of service or output to be provided, such grants are only recognised in the SoFA once the recipient of the grant has provided the specific service or output.

Grants payable without performance conditions are only recognised in the accounts when a commitment has been made and there are no conditions to be met relating to the grant which remain in the control of the charity.

Provisions for grants are made when the intention to make a grant has been communicated to the recipient but there is uncertainty about either the timing of the grant or the amount of grant payable.

Support costs

Support costs include central functions and have been allocated to activity cost categories on a basis consistent with the use of resources, for example, allocating property costs by floor areas, or per capita, staff costs by the time spent and other costs by their usage.

Irrecoverable VAT

Irrecoverable VAT is charged against the category of resources expended for which it was incurred.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and call deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

Restatement of comparatives

The charity has reclassified certain income items from donations and legacies to charitable activities following a review of income presentation.

This is a disclosure-only change and does not affect total income, net movement in funds, or the charity's financial position. Prior year comparatives have been restated accordingly to ensure consistency with the current year's presentation.

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2 Donations and legacies

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Donations and legacies			
Donations	114	114	-

3 Investment income

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Interest on cash deposits	19,820	19,820	6,808

Of the investment income in 2025 £6,808 related to unrestricted funds.

4 Charitable activities

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Membership and research			
Membership subscriptions	8,400	8,400	7,740
Corporate sponsorship	12,000	12,000	22,000
Regional income	3,950	3,950	-
Navigator group income	17	17	-
	24,367	24,367	29,740
Annual conference			
Conference sponsorship	143,578	143,578	140,845
Conference exhibition only	22,455	22,455	19,618
Delegate registration	32,018	32,018	30,793
	198,051	198,051	191,256
Online Education			
Leadership programme income	-	-	5,000
Online Education Learning Modules	7,700	7,700	-
Webinar Sponsorship	5,000	5,000	-
	12,700	12,700	5,000
	235,118	235,118	225,996

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Of the income from charitable activities in 2025 £225,996 related to unrestricted funds.

5 Expenditure

	Membership and research	Annual conference	Online Education	Total 2026	Total 2025
	£	£	£	£	£
Direct costs					
Grants payable - individuals	-	2,649	-	2,649	(984)
Webinar costs	-	-	7,123	7,123	5,846
Leadership programme expenditure	-	-	4,134	4,134	4,455
Membership administration costs	12,299	-	-	12,299	12,533
TSG committee costs	845	-	-	845	1,061
Website costs	6,940	-	-	6,940	4,328
Navigator group expenditure	8,595	-	-	8,595	570
RIG costs	998	-	-	998	1,936
Annual workshop	998	-	-	998	8,333
Online learning	-	-	-	-	2,708
Venue costs	-	80,559	-	80,559	43,664
Speaker costs and tokens	-	2,946	-	2,946	3,444
Management fees	-	12,000	-	12,000	11,500
Conference costs - materials	-	23,724	-	23,724	20,068
Conference costs - other	-	19,049	-	19,049	19,437
	30,675	140,927	11,257	182,859	138,899
Support costs					
Insurance	285	285	285	855	828
Office management	5,026	5,026	5,026	15,078	7,591
Committee costs	3,439	3,438	3,438	10,315	3,055
Representation costs	279	278	278	835	324
Sundry expenses	104	104	104	312	-
Accountancy and bookkeeping fees	1,754	1,754	1,754	5,262	4,835
Independent examiner's fee	216	217	217	650	650
Bank charges	202	202	202	606	1,429
	11,305	11,304	11,304	33,913	18,712
	41,980	152,231	22,561	216,772	157,611

Of the total expenditure in 2025 £157,611 related to unrestricted funds.

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6 Grantmaking

	Grants to individuals £
Annual conference	2,649

7 Trustees' remuneration and expenses

Committee meeting and travel expenses totalling £283 (2025: £387) were paid to 2 (2025: 4) of the trustees during the year.

8 Taxation

The registered charity is exempt from taxation on income and gains.

9 Debtors

	2026 £	2025 £
Trade debtors	22,774	-
Other debtors	1,140	7,453
Prepayments and accrued income	25,779	50,948
	49,693	58,401

10 Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

	2026 £	2025 £
Trade creditors	2,664	1,787
Other creditors	-	340
Accruals and deferred income	47,432	27,687
	50,096	29,814

11 Related parties

Controlling entity

The charity is controlled by the trustees.

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12 Analysis of funds

	At 1 February 2025	Incoming resources	Resources expended	At 31 January 2026
	£	£	£	£
General Funds				
Unrestricted income fund	403,768	255,052	(216,772)	442,048

Prior year

	At 1 February 2024	Incoming resources	Resources expended	At 31 January 2025
	£	£	£	£
General Funds				
Unrestricted income fund	328,575	232,804	(157,611)	403,768

13 Net assets by fund

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2026	Total Funds 2025
	£	£	£
Current assets	492,144	492,144	433,582
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	(50,096)	(50,096)	(29,814)
Net assets	442,048	442,048	403,768

Prior year

	Unrestricted funds	Total funds 2025	Total funds 2024
	£	£	£
Current assets	433,582	433,582	386,310
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	(29,814)	(29,814)	(57,735)
Net assets	403,768	403,768	328,575

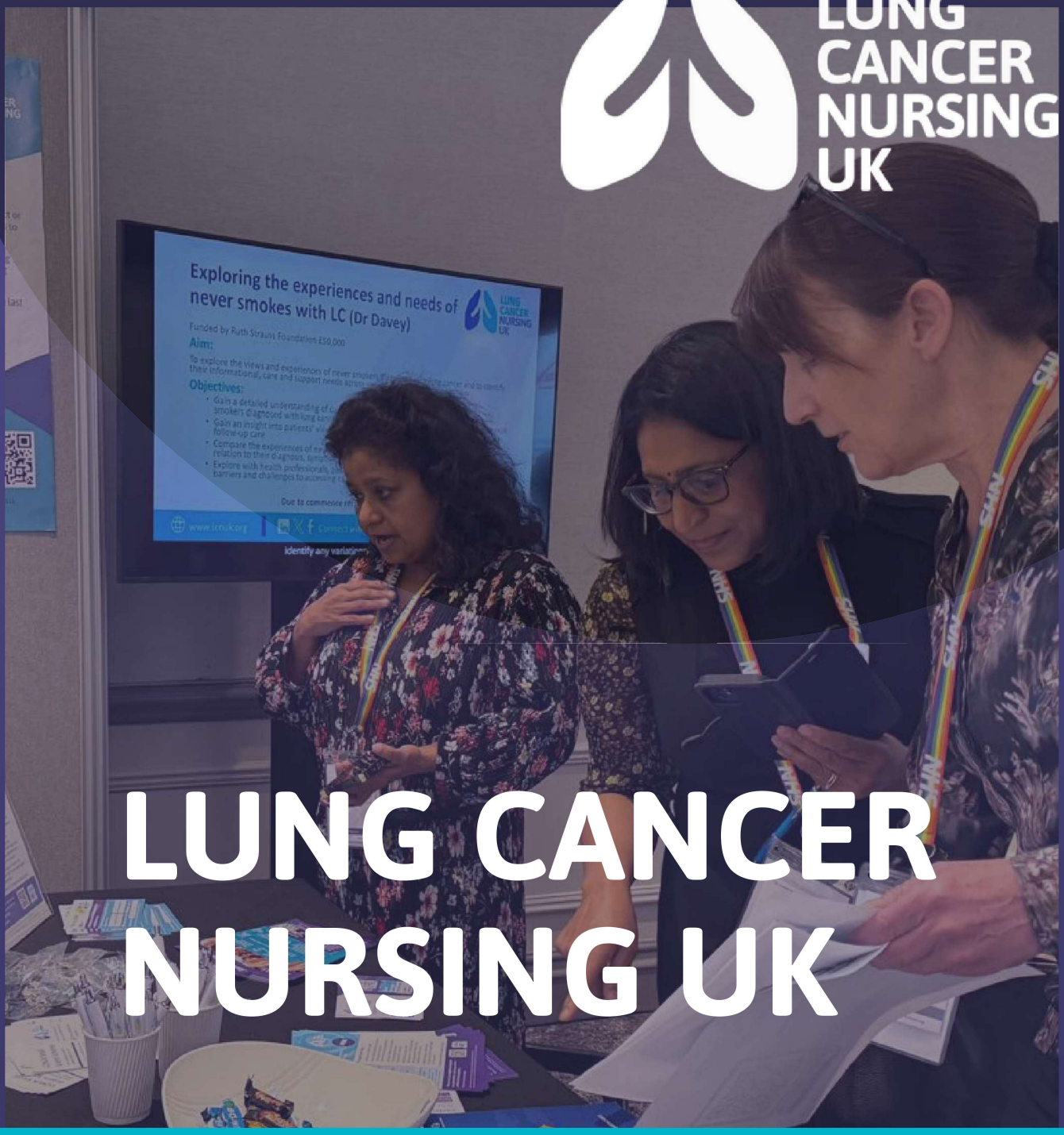
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Financial Year ending January 2026

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About LCNUK

Lung Cancer Nursing UK was established in 1998 to support the advancement of health by providing nurses who specialise in the treatment of patients with lung cancer or mesothelioma with support, education and the opportunity to communicate and network with peers; and to provide a national voice on clinical and strategic issues for specialist lung cancer nurses. The organisation became a charitable incorporated organisation (CIO) in 2015.

Membership is open to any specialist nurse who spends more than 50% of their working week or clinical activities in caring for patients with lung cancer and or mesothelioma. Associate membership is open to those who do not meet this criteria. The experience and clinical background of the members working environments are very diverse, including, palliative care, oncology (cancer centres or units) respiratory medicine, community and others, this affords the organisation a wealth of knowledge in to which members can access.

The activities of the CIO fall into four distinct categories, these are as follows:

Clinical

- Improving the care lung cancer patients receive
- Disseminating best practice and sharing information and knowledge

Developmental

- Keeping members up-to-date with the latest lung cancer news through our e-bulletins
- Highlighting new developments in the UK
- Encouraging regional participation within LCNUK

Education

- Providing a forum to disseminate new developments, skills, treatments and practice through educational programmes, annual conference, resources and publications
- Sharing clinical updates and best practice with members
- Supporting and fostering audit and research in lung cancer and within the role of the LCNS

Professional

- Providing support and networking, infrastructure and opportunities
- Campaigning for and supporting the role of the lung cancer nurse specialist
- Providing a voice on clinical and strategic issues.
- Highlighting the specialist role of nurses in caring for people with lung cancer and mesothelioma
- Representing lung cancer nurse specialists on national and international bodies and organisations

2025 Business Priorities

The Trustees present their annual report together with the financial statements of the charity for the year 1 February 2025 to 31 January 2026. The Trustees confirm that the Annual Report and Financial Statements of the charity comply with the current statutory requirements, the requirements of the charity's governing document and the provisions of the Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP) applicable to charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS102) (effective 1 January 2019).

The Trustees have complied with the duty in part 1 section 4 of the Charities Act 2011 to have due regard to public benefit guidance published by the Charity Commission. A detailed report of the activities undertaken and achievements by the Charity to further its charitable purposes for the public benefit is given below.

In 2025 LCNUK had the following business priorities:

Professional

To act as advocates for patients with lung cancer on national professional bodies such as NICE/BTOG.

To represent the lung cancer nurse specialist on professional bodies and committees and provide a voice on strategic issues at a regional and national level.

To promote the lung cancer nurse specialist role and its benefits on an international platform.

To share best practice in lung cancer and mesothelioma care.

Developmental

To ensure production and circulation of a monthly e-bulletin to share best practice and highlight lung cancer and relevant nursing news and events.

To maintain the LCNUK website creating, sharing and signposting to relevant news and events.

Education and clinical

Annual Conference June 2025 – To provide ongoing professional education to lung cancer nurse specialists through its annual conference.

To provide regular educational programmes of activity for members and associate members.

Research

To support ongoing research programmes with academic institutions and provide small research grants to support lung cancer nurse specialists taking their first steps in research and those seeking advanced care practitioner status.

2025 Impact report

In 2025, workforce pressures continued relentlessly to impact on Lung Cancer Nurse Specialists. The UK Lung Cancer Coalition (UKLCC) reported in 2025 that the lung cancer nurse specialist case load typically ranges from 100 - 200 patients per nurse, and that this level is insufficient to meet demand.

LCNUK has responded to these pressures by adapting its programmes and delivering education through short-form digital content, webinars and podcasts to support ongoing professional development. In spite of the challenges, the LCNUK annual conference continued to be well attended and is seen as a highlight of the professional year for our members.

In 2025, we introduced associate membership for lung cancer navigators and developed a dedicated programme of education and practical tools to support this vital workforce including a professional framework to guide Lung Cancer Navigators/Coordinators, their line managers and employers on the core skills, knowledge and training that they will gain and demonstrate as they progress in the role. Navigators play a key role alongside lung cancer nurse specialists in delivering high-quality lung cancer care. They are an essential part of the pathway, helping to ensure that patients' needs are prioritised and that their care journey is as seamless as possible.

Membership numbers have increased slightly in the business year and continue to hold strong following growth and increased retention after COVID. The charity is continuing to work on developing innovative programmes to attract new members.

Membership	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
New	83	84	95	113	86	50*	82
Renewed	211	206	178	179	282*	156*	180
Expired/ cancelled	148	127	114	150	0*	113	71

*Any member who paid for a membership in 2020, has had their membership end date extended to 2022

Professional

Influencing and contribution to national policy

LCNUK works alongside numerous organisations across the UK to inform lung cancer policy, promote best practice and act as the patients advocate for people with lung cancer.

In 2025, we continued to collaborate with national bodies including NICE, BTOG, UKLCC, Roy Castle Lung Cancer Foundation and other lung cancer related organisations to support the development of national policy and guidelines.

The organisation has continued to support Lung Cancer Europe activities which have had number of initiatives taking place and members have submitted abstracts to the IASLC World Conference on Lung Cancer.

Representation

- British Thoracic Oncology Group
- Global Lung Cancer Coalition
- International Thoracic Oncology Nurses Forum
- Lung Cancer Europe
- Mesothelioma UK
- National Lung Cancer Audit
- National Institute for Health and Care Excellence
- Roy Castle Lung Cancer Coalition
- Scottish Medicines Consortium
- Scottish Lung Cancer Nurses Forum
- UK Lung Cancer Coalition
- Welsh Lung Cancer Nurses Forum



During 2025, LCNUK implemented a programme to evaluate a tool to measure complexity in patients with lung cancer. The tool was assessed by group of members as part of the LCNUK annual workshop. The tool, based on The Patient Complexity Instrument* and the Macmillan Palliative Care Concerns HNA*, demonstrated that complexity increases with cancer stage and more nursing time is needed at stage 4. The strong correlation between emotional domains and physical concerns emphasized the importance of addressing both needs. Whilst the tool does measure complexity, its value is limited in quantifying the appropriate nurse to patient ratio for lung cancer nurse workforce planning. The results of the work was presented at BTOG and LCNUK conferences and included in a lightning presentation at the UKLCC conference.

Developmental

Leadership

Supported by a £5,000 educational grant from MSD, alongside £15,000 of LCNUK core funding, we launched a new leadership programme at the end of 2024. This initiative provides lung cancer nurse specialist members with the opportunity to apply for funding to undertake NHS-approved leadership development, including the Mary Seacole, Rosalind Franklin, and King's Fund leadership programmes. These highly respected courses enable members to build essential leadership capabilities such as strategic thinking, influencing skills, service improvement, and leading teams through change. Three members have successfully applied for the funding and are participating in the leadership programmes.

By investing in leadership development, we aim to empower lung cancer nurse specialists to drive innovation, strengthen clinical services, and enhance the quality of care delivered across the lung cancer pathway.

*The Patient Complexity Instrument (v1). Presented at the RCN International Research Conference, University of South Wales. Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group. (n.d.). ECOG Performance Status Scale.
*Macmillan Cancer Support. (2022). Concerns Checklist – identifying your concerns. Palliative Care Concerns HNA Checklist. Thomas, S. (2018).

Education and clinical

In 2025, we hosted an annual conference at The Radisson Edwardian Hotel, Heathrow. The conference attracted 327 attendees of which 129 were members of LCNUK. 96% of those who completed the evaluation reported that the conference was relevant to their educational needs with similar numbers reporting that the information was well presented by knowledgeable and appropriate speakers. When asked to describe their conference experience delegates stated "informative", "educational", "interesting" "enjoyable", "networking", "fun" and "inspiring" as the most commonly used words.

The data represents a slight improvement on the previous year. The conference was able to raise much needed funds in 2025 (£176,633 vs £105,180 in 2024) from the sale of exhibition space.

The organisation hosted six webinars in 2025 supported by funding from AstraZeneca~ which members could attend live or watch on-demand at their leisure. These included:

The role of the multidisciplinary approach for high risk lung cancer patients	21/01/2025	Charlotte Smith and Vasileios Kouritas
TKI therapy in EGFR gene mutation lung cancers/ Interpreting clinical trials	27/02/2025	Alistair Greystoke and Jennifer Ross
Key learning from the BTOG annual conference 2025	18/03/2025	Paula Shepherd and Shobhit Baijal
Fit for Surgery Programme	29/04/2025	Babu Naidu and Bing Smith
Small cell lung cancer	22/05/2025	Emma Halkyard and Adam Uprichard
Considering and supporting the carers of people with lung cancer	31/07/2025	Julia McAdam and Nitin Palekar

~AstraZeneca had no input into the content of the webinars and speaker selection and editorial control rested exclusively with LCNUK

In a bid to reach a wider pool of lung cancer nurses LCNUK also hosted the first in a series of planned annual regional meetings. This first meeting was held in Bristol where LCNUK has identified a lower ratio of members than other areas of the country. 41 individuals attended with 21 delegates and 6 speakers. 2 registered delegates failed to attend. The meeting sessions scored well for content and feedback was good.

"Really useful, informative study day. Nice to have a more informal day and smaller number of delegates allowed more time for questions etc."

"I really enjoyed the day and felt it was a really lovely, informal atmosphere whilst being very informative with a great range of topics and speakers. Plenty of opportunity to speak to lung nurses from other areas and teams too and the food was lovely :) More information on new treatments and targeted therapies coming through is always welcome as it seems to be increasingly complex, so always great to have an update at any future sessions!"

Supported by funding from AstraZeneca LCNUK developed and implemented an online learning module on biomarker testing in NSCLC. We also commenced the development of a second learning module on adverse event management of TKI toxicity which is due for completion in Q2 2026. Online learning modules provide a valuable way for our members to keep up to date with new practices and treatments and support ongoing professional development in their own time. Records of all completed modules are retained and members have the opportunity to download certificates of completion for their professional portfolios.

LCNUK continues to support the annual award to recognise achievements of members.

Communicating with our members

LCNUK has continued to deliver short form easily-to-access succinct communications with members providing bite-size news and information that can be absorbed in the short window of time available to our members. To do this we continue to use social media to push out key messages, regularly update the content on our website with direct links from the home page to key important lung cancer and nursing news. We also prepare and deliver a monthly members newsletter featuring bite-size news and signposting members to educational and professional development information as well as updates on key lung cancer news and links to other charity and not-for-profit news.

Specialist Groups - Research and Thoracic Surgery

LCNUK has two small workgroups of active members interested in research (known as RIG – Research Interest Group) and thoracic surgery (TSG). In 2025, Bing Smith took over as research lead of the RIG. Charlotte Smith continued to lead the TSG.

The RIG has been contributing to research projects and supporting access to clinical trials. The group relaunched the small grants programme in 2025. Unfortunately, there have been no eligible applications. Following the annual meeting in 2025 the RIG are focusing on, with the support of the Board of Trustees, the opportunity to develop a PhD programme and support members who wish to take the first steps in research to support the research element of the four nationally defined pillars of advanced practice.

There is a focus on integrating the activities of the RIG through closer collaboration on the annual workshop programme and other LCNUK activities.

27 abstracts were submitted to the LCNUK annual conference (vs 35 in 2024). Although this is a slight decline on 2024 there has been a steady increase in submissions since COVID and this remains significantly higher than pre-COVID years.

The TSG have focused their work on a review of performance status in lung cancer. The outputs of their work have been shared through the lung cancer community. The work reported that HCPs rely in performance status assessments to make important clinical decisions but evidence suggests that there are newer tools which offer more objective, continuous, and multidimensional assessment compared to traditional Performance Status scales, but implementation challenges remain around standardization, cost, and integration into clinical workflows.

Plans for future periods

In 2026, LCNUK will be developing some new infographics to support nurses in the delivery of core treatments and care.

We will be seeking to influence the national agenda to ensure that patients have appropriate access to lung cancer nurse specialists so that they can act as the patients' ambassador and representative.

We will continue to disseminate and share the lung cancer nurse and navigator professional frameworks which sets out the key skills and training required for the roles.

We will be undertaking a programme of work on the impact of the National Optimal Lung cancer Pathway on lung cancer caseload for nurses.

A further regional meeting is planned for November 2026 in the eastern midlands region.

We are planning to introduce a "Nurse of the Year" award for members of LCNUK.

We will continue to explore how best to support, foster and harness research and audit by lung cancer nurse specialists and to share best practice and service development for the benefit of people with lung cancer.

We will support members who are working to achieve advanced clinical practitioner (ACP) status through our programme of activities which support all four pillars.

We will promote best practice through the sharing of clinical knowledge and skills at our annual flagship two-day conference in June 2026.

We will continue to work with partner organisations to promote best practice in lung cancer nursing.

We will continue to support member education with new online learning modules, ongoing webinars and other digital learning which are now an established feature and benefit of membership.

We will continue to promote member communications, the sharing and dissemination of relevant lung cancer news and information.

We will continue to act as patient representatives and advocates at a national policy level.

Structure, Governance & Management

Constitution

The charity is a registered charitable incorporated organisation, charity number 1160011. Formal membership is open to any lung cancer nurse specialist who spends more than 50% of their working week or clinical activities in caring for patients with lung cancer or mesothelioma. In addition, membership is open to nurse specialists in a lung cancer/mesothelioma academic or lung cancer/mesothelioma research role. Such membership is subject to approval by the LCNUK Committee. Associate membership is open to those who do not meet the criteria for formal membership.

Method of appointment and election of trustees

The management of the charity is the responsibility of the trustees who are elected and co-opted under the terms of the constitution. During this period the LCNUK was managed by seven trustees, led by Diana Borthwick after being elected the new chair by the board of trustees. The trustees, or any member of LCNUK can recommend a trustee for appointment. One third of the trustees retire each year and may be re-appointed. Applicants are asked to provide a CV and covering statement. A shortlist is drawn up and interviewed by a panel appointed by the Board of Trustees. Four new trustees were co-opted by the board of trustees in early 2026, Vanessa Beattie, Karen Clayton, Sian Evans and Lavinia Magee; these individuals will be put forward for election at the next annual general meeting of the charity. The new trustees bring expertise in NHS and lung cancer nursing and Sian Evans joins with experience in human resources. John White and George Bate resigned in 2025.

Policies adopted for the induction and training of trustees

A trustee recruitment and induction pack is available to support new trustees in learning about the organisation, its role, governance and responsibilities of trustees. LCNUK is also a member of the National Council for Voluntary Organisations to take advantage of governance training opportunities. The charity are introducing a buddy scheme for new trustees.

Organisation structure and decision making

The Trustees are assisted by the LCNUK Committee. The chair of the LCNUK committee attends trustee meetings to ensure continuity and good communications. During 2025 the committee was comprised of 13 elected members of LCNUK and three co-opted members. The LCNUK committee is responsible for the operational delivery of programmes and also formulates recommendations on the aims, strategies and activities of the charity for approval by the trustees.

An agency, Red Hot Irons Limited (RHI), is contracted to run the day-to-day business administration and operations of the organisation supervised by the LCNUK committee.

Pay Policy for key management

There are no paid staff, all work undertaken by the committee and trustees is done so voluntarily. The support agency is contracted to run the operational day-to-day activities and business administration.

Application and adherence to the Charity Governance Code

LCNUK recognise good governance is essential to our effectiveness, reputation and credibility. The Board of Trustees regularly review activities, policies and processes to ensure the charity is delivering against its mission and charitable objectives. We have robust measures in place to ensure effective and clear overview of financial controls. The board undertakes a regular review (every two years) of its effectiveness, assessing competencies, skills gaps and training needs through a process of external audit and facilitated discussion. In 2025, LCNUK reviewed and updated its policies on privacy, safeguarding, antiharassment and bullying, disciplinary procedure for members, bribery, compliants, conflicts of interest, endorsement, procurement and representation. We also updated our policy for volunteers. The investment and risk management policies were also reviewed as part of the routine governance of the organisation.

We operate a robust conflicts of interest policy, and all Trustees and Committee members complete declarations of interest each year. Conflict of interests form a standing item on all committee/board agendas. The Board aims to continuously improve its governance processes and is currently working through the new Charity Governance Code to ensure its governance structures adhere to the principles of the code and recommended practice.

While the charity receives funding and sponsorship from a range of pharmaceutical companies and legal firms in the lung cancer field, the Board of Trustees undertakes regular reviews to ensure that no single organisation exerts undue influence or creates an over-reliance. We have clear and robust policies in place to safeguard our independence, ensuring that all funding is accepted on the basis that it does not shape, compromise, or jeopardise the integrity of our work or the best interests of the people we serve.



Risk management

The Trustees analyse and undertake a review of the risks the Charity is exposed to as part of an annual business planning process and in accordance with Charity Commission guidance (CC26), scoring the risks according to likelihood and impact. The systems and actions established to mitigate those risks are also reviewed by Trustees at each Board meeting and updated and adjusted accordingly, with the net risk in each area agreed. High risks closely monitored by the Trustees are:

- High level of dependency on too few income streams puts LCNUK at risk of sudden and/or long-term loss of funding – efforts continue to diversify income streams to include more Trusts and Foundation as well as funding from non-pharmaceutical companies.
- Potential for a sudden drop in income and the need to dip into accumulated reserves
- The risk that LCNUK could be perceived as being unduly influenced by. sponsors/pharmaceutical industry. LCNUK has adopted a stringent endorsement policy and ensures where possible that there is a balance of sponsors from across the industry spectrum with no one sponsor having significant influence or control. Sponsors are not permitted to have any form of editorial control or influence over the content and development of new LCNUK branded materials.

Volunteers

The Society is heavily reliant on the time, expertise and energy of its committee and other members. Much of the work of the charity is conducted virtually via email and teleconference and is undertaken on a voluntary basis.



Trustees, executive committee & senior management

Trustees

David Baldwin
George Bate (resigned 01/09/2025)
Vanessa Beattie (co-opted Jan 2026)
Diana Borthwick (resigned 07/06/2026)
Karen Clayton (co-opted Jan 2026)
Lorraine Creech
Sian Evans (co-opted Jan 2026)
Nicola Handley
Catherine Haywood
Lavinia Magee (co-opted Jan 2026)
Dominic Smith (interim chair from 07/06/26)
John White (resigned 11/06/2025)

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LCNUK Committee

Karen Clayton (resigned June 2025)
Pamela Dalrymple
Marie Eaton
Annabel Grinbergs (resigned May 2025)
Emma Halkyard (resigned Dec 2025)
Maria Hill (elected October 2025)
Karen Macrae (elected October 2025)
Julia McAdam (Chair)
Venencia Rayson (elected October 2025)
Jennifer Ross
Paula Shepherd
Bing Smith
Charlotte Smith
Joanna Vick (elected October 2025)
Jane Weir
Kirstie Woods (elected October 2025, resigned April 2026)

Co-opted LCNUK Committee members
Peter Barton (LGBTQIA representative)
Matthew Kelly (NI representative)
Natalie Bloodworth (Wales representative)
Gemma Crowley (Wales representative)

Charity Registered Number

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Financial Review

Principal Income

The principal funding sources for the Charity in 2025 as in previous years were:

- Voluntary income from the pharmaceutical industry (fees from the LCNUK Corporate Sponsorship)
- Income from sponsorship of charitable activities by commercial organisations
- Membership fees and conference registrations

Total funding secured in 2025 was £255,052, an increase of 9.56% on the previous year. Although the charity was only able to secure one corporate sponsorship during the accounting period, additional sponsorship for charitable activities helped offset this. Increased income from bank interest (£19,820 compared with £6,808 in 2024), generated through the introduction of new fixed-rate accounts, also contributed to the overall uplift in funding. Together, these factors enabled us to achieve higher income than in 2024.

Membership income (£8,400) was up on 2024 (£7,740) due to the increase in retention.

Principal Expenditure

Total charitable expenditure in 2025 was £182,859, compared with £138,899 in 2024. This increase reflects the growth in charitable activity, including an increase in the number of webinars delivered, additional online learning modules produced, a new regional meeting was held, increased travel bursaries awarded, and higher committee costs (the committee has returned to face-to-face meetings rather than virtual formats). The national conference was also significantly more expensive in 2025 than in 2024, driven by substantial rises in venue fees that exceeded current inflation rates.

Support costs have risen by £15,201 in the fiscal year to £33,913. The largest item in support costs was secretariat, website and accountancy costs, which includes fees paid to Red Hot Irons. Red Hot Irons is contracted to run the day-to-day operations of the charity, including maintenance and upkeep of our website, membership management and communications, committee management, events, IT, webinars, analytics and database.

Reserves Policy

LCNUK has no regular or guaranteed sources of income, and the long-term financial sustainability of the charity remains uncertain. Despite this, the charity must meet fixed operating costs to maintain its activities, fulfil its charitable objectives, and sustain its presence. Work is planned at least one year in advance, with some financial commitments - such as those relating to the annual conference - made up to two years ahead.

The Trustees have therefore determined that, in order to safeguard the delivery of programmes in the event of a significant reduction in income, the charity should hold an optimal reserve equivalent to 12 months of fixed operating costs plus the annual cost of the conference.

This level of reserve enables LCNUK to pursue its long-term strategy without being forced into short-term reactive decisions during temporary funding deficits. It also provides the flexibility to take forward new opportunities that may require modest upfront investment. Minimum and maximum reserve levels have been set at six months and eighteen months of operating costs respectively.

The Trustees will only consider taking significant corrective action if reserves fall below the minimum threshold, and will only commit to major long-term investments when reserves exceed the optimal level.

Based on the 2026 budget, the optimal reserve level is £226,664, with a minimum requirement of £113,332. At the end of the accounting period (January 2026), the Society held free reserves of £442,048, exceeding the optimal reserve target. The Board is now working with the committee to identify new and appropriate charitable-purpose programmes that can be supported using the surplus reserves.

The Board undertakes an annual review of the reserves policy to ensure it remains aligned with the charity's activities and that the level of reserves is sufficient to meet financial and charitable obligations should funding decline for any reason.

Going concern

After making appropriate enquiries, the Trustees have a reasonable expectation that the charity has adequate resources to continue in operational existence for the foreseeable future. For this reason, they continue to adopt the going concern basis in preparing the financial statements. Further details regarding the adoption of the going concern basis can be found in the accounting policies.

Financial Review Conclusion

The Society ended the year with an operating surplus of £38,280 for the accounting period. The charity continues to hold healthy free reserves which exceed the maximum reserves level allowing the charity to undertake additional charitable programmes.

However, sponsorship and funding remain a significant challenge and operating costs continue to rise particularly around venue hire charges and insurance costs. The Trustees recognise that the funding situation remains challenging, and will continue to be innovative in our approach to fundraising, cost savings and ensuring value for money. We will also look to achieve additional funding from grant making bodies.

Statement of Trustees' responsibilities

The Trustees are responsible for preparing the Trustees' report and the financial statements in accordance with applicable law and United Kingdom Accounting Standards (United Kingdom Generally Accepted Accounting Practice).

Charity law requires the Trustees to prepare financial statements for each financial year. Under charity law the Trustees must not approve the financial statements unless they are satisfied that they give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the Charity and of its incoming resources and application of resources, including its income and expenditure, for that period. In preparing these financial statements, the Trustees are required to:

- select suitable accounting policies and then apply them consistently;
- observe the methods and principles of the Charities SORP (FRS 102);
- make judgments and accounting estimates that are reasonable and prudent;
- state whether applicable UK Accounting Standards (FRS 102) have been followed, subject to any material departures disclosed and explained in the financial statements;
- prepare the financial statements on the going concern basis unless it is inappropriate to presume that the charity will continue in business.

The Trustees are responsible for keeping adequate accounting records that are sufficient to show and explain the charity's transactions and disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the charity and enable them to ensure that the financial statements comply with the Charities Act 2011. They are also responsible for safeguarding the assets of the charity and hence for taking reasonable steps for the prevention and detection of fraud and other irregularities.

Disclosure of information to independent examiners

Each of the persons who are Trustees at the time when this Trustees' report is approved has confirmed that:

- so far as that Trustee is aware, there is no relevant information of which the charity's accountant and independent examiner are unaware, and
- that Trustee has taken all the steps that ought to have been taken as a Trustee in order to be aware of any relevant information and to establish that the charity's accountants are aware of that information.

Approved by order of the members of the board of Trustees and signed on their behalf by:



Dominic Smith
Interim Chair of the Board of Trustees
Date:

Independent Examiner's Report to the Trustees of

Lung Cancer Nursing UK

I report on the accounts of the charity for the year ended 31 January 2026, which are set out on pages 16 to 23.

Your attention is drawn to the fact that the Charity has prepared the financial statements in accordance with Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) in preference to the Accounting and Reporting by Charities: Statement of Recommended Practice issued on 1 April 2005 which is referred to in the extant regulations but has since been withdrawn.

We understand that this has been done in order for the accounts to provide a true and fair view in accordance with the Generally Accepted Accounting Practice effective for reporting periods beginning on or after 1 January 2019.

Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner

The Charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts. The trustees consider that an audit is not required for this year under section 144(2) of the Charities Act 2011 as amended by the Charities Act 2022 (the Act) and that an independent examination is needed.

The charity's gross income exceeded £250,000 and I am qualified to undertake the examination by being a qualified member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales.

It is my responsibility to:

- examine the accounts under section 145 of the Act;
- follow the procedures laid down in the General Directions given by the Charity Commission under section 145 (5) (b) of the Act; and
- state whether particular matters have come to my attention.

Basis of independent examiner's report

My examination was carried out in accordance with the General Directions given by the Charity Commission. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts, and seeking explanations from you as trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and consequently no opinion is given as to whether the accounts present a 'true and fair view' and the report is limited to those matters set out in the statement below.

Independent examiner's statement

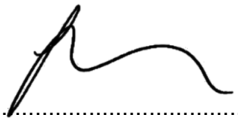
In connection with my examination, no matter has come to my attention:

(1) which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements:

- to keep accounting records in accordance with section 130 of the Charities Act 2011 as amended by the Charities Act 2022; and
- to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records, comply with the accounting requirements of the Act

have not been met; or

(2) to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.



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Joanne Thomlinson FCA
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26 May 2026

Lung Cancer Nursing UK
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Statement of Financial Activities for the Year Ended 31 January 2026

	Note	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2026	Total Funds 2025
		£	£	£
Income and endowments from:				
Donations and legacies	2	114	114	-
Investment income	3	19,820	19,820	6,808
Charitable activities	4	235,118	235,118	225,996
Total income		255,052	255,052	232,804
Expenditure on:				
Charitable activities		216,772	216,772	157,611
Total expenditure		216,772	216,772	157,611
Net movements in funds		38,280	38,280	75,193
Reconciliation of funds				
Total funds brought forward		403,768	403,768	328,575
Total funds carried forward		442,048	442,048	403,768

The notes on pages 18 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

Lung Cancer Nursing UK
trading as
LCNUK

Balance Sheet as at 31 January 2026

	Note	2026		2025	
		£	£	£	£
Current assets					
Debtors	10	49,693		58,401	
Cash at bank and in hand		442,451		375,181	
			492,144		433,582
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	11		(50,096)		(29,814)
Net current assets			442,048		403,768
Net assets			442,048		403,768
The funds of the charity:					
Unrestricted funds					
Unrestricted income funds			442,048		403,768
Total charity funds			442,048		403,768

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102).

Approved by the Board on 26 May 2026 and signed on its behalf by:

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D Smith
Trustee

The notes on pages 18 to 24 form an integral part of these financial statements.

1 Accounting policies

Statement of compliance

The accounts (financial statements) have been prepared under the historical cost convention with items recognised at cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant note(s) to these accounts. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the second edition of the Charities Statement of Recommended Practice issued in October 2019, the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the United Kingdom and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) and the Charities Act 2011 as amended by the Charities Act 2022.

The accounts (financial statements) have been prepared to give a 'true and fair' view and have departed from the Charities (Accounts and Reports) Regulations 2008 only to the extent required to provide a 'true and fair view'. This departure has involved following Accounting and Reporting by Charities preparing their accounts in accordance with the Financial Reporting Standard applicable in the UK and Republic of Ireland (FRS 102) rather than the Accounting and Reporting by Charities:Statement of Recommended Practice effective from 1 April 2005 which has since been withdrawn.

Basis of preparation

The charity meets the definition of a public benefit entity under FRS 102. Assets and liabilities are initially recognised at historical cost or transaction value unless otherwise stated in the relevant accounting policy notes.

Going concern

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis.The trustees assess whether the use of going concern is appropriate i.e. whether there are any material uncertainties related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the ability of the Charity to continue as a going concern. The trustees make this assessment in respect of a period of one year from the date of approval of the financial statements.

Fund accounting policy

Unrestricted income funds are general funds that are available for use at the trustees' discretion in furtherance of the objectives of the charity.

Further details of each fund are disclosed in note 13.

Income and endowments

Donations and legacies including gifts are recognised where there is entitlement, probability of receipt and the amount can be measured with sufficient reliability.

Income from Government and other grants, whether 'capital' grants or 'revenue' grants, is recognised when the charity has entitlement to the funds, any performance conditions attached to the grants have been met, it is probable that the income will be received and the amount can be measured reliably and is not deferred.

Investment income is recognised on a receivable basis.

Income from charitable activities includes income recognised as earned (as the related goods or services are provided) under contract.

Membership income is recognised in the period it relates to.

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Expenditure

Liabilities are recognised as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to the expenditure. All expenditure is accounted for on an accruals basis and has been classified under headings that aggregate all costs related to the category.

Expenditure on raising funds are the costs of trading for fundraising purposes.

Charitable expenditure comprises those costs incurred by the charity in the delivery of its activities and services for its beneficiaries. It includes both costs that can be allocated directly to such activities and those costs of an indirect nature necessary to support them.

Grants payable are payments made to third parties in the furtherance of the charitable objectives. Where the charity gives a grant with conditions for its payment being a specific level of service or output to be provided, such grants are only recognised in the SoFA once the recipient of the grant has provided the specific service or output.

Grants payable without performance conditions are only recognised in the accounts when a commitment has been made and there are no conditions to be met relating to the grant which remain in the control of the charity.

Provisions for grants are made when the intention to make a grant has been communicated to the recipient but there is uncertainty about either the timing of the grant or the amount of grant payable.

Support costs

Support costs include central functions and have been allocated to activity cost categories on a basis consistent with the use of resources, for example, allocating property costs by floor areas, or per capita, staff costs by the time spent and other costs by their usage.

Irrecoverable VAT

Irrecoverable VAT is charged against the category of resources expended for which it was incurred.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and call deposits, and other short-term highly liquid investments that are readily convertible to a known amount of cash and are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

Restatement of comparatives

The charity has reclassified certain income items from donations and legacies to charitable activities following a review of income presentation.

This is a disclosure-only change and does not affect total income, net movement in funds, or the charity's financial position. Prior year comparatives have been restated accordingly to ensure consistency with the current year's presentation.

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2 Donations and legacies

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Donations and legacies			
Donations	114	114	-

3 Investment income

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Interest on cash deposits	19,820	19,820	6,808

Of the investment income in 2025 £6,808 related to unrestricted funds.

4 Charitable activities

	Unrestricted Funds £	Total Funds 2026 £	Total Funds 2025 £
Membership and research			
Membership subscriptions	8,400	8,400	7,740
Corporate sponsorship	12,000	12,000	22,000
Regional income	3,950	3,950	-
Navigator group income	17	17	-
	24,367	24,367	29,740
Annual conference			
Conference sponsorship	143,578	143,578	140,845
Conference exhibition only	22,455	22,455	19,618
Delegate registration	32,018	32,018	30,793
	198,051	198,051	191,256
Online Education			
Leadership programme income	-	-	5,000
Online Education Learning Modules	7,700	7,700	-
Webinar Sponsorship	5,000	5,000	-
	12,700	12,700	5,000
	235,118	235,118	225,996

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Of the income from charitable activities in 2025 £225,996 related to unrestricted funds.

5 Expenditure

	Membership and research	Annual conference	Online Education	Total 2026	Total 2025
	£	£	£	£	£
Direct costs					
Grants payable - individuals	-	2,649	-	2,649	(984)
Webinar costs	-	-	7,123	7,123	5,846
Leadership programme expenditure	-	-	4,134	4,134	4,455
Membership administration costs	12,299	-	-	12,299	12,533
TSG committee costs	845	-	-	845	1,061
Website costs	6,940	-	-	6,940	4,328
Navigator group expenditure	8,595	-	-	8,595	570
RIG costs	998	-	-	998	1,936
Annual workshop	998	-	-	998	8,333
Online learning	-	-	-	-	2,708
Venue costs	-	80,559	-	80,559	43,664
Speaker costs and tokens	-	2,946	-	2,946	3,444
Management fees	-	12,000	-	12,000	11,500
Conference costs - materials	-	23,724	-	23,724	20,068
Conference costs - other	-	19,049	-	19,049	19,437
	30,675	140,927	11,257	182,859	138,899
Support costs					
Insurance	285	285	285	855	828
Office management	5,026	5,026	5,026	15,078	7,591
Committee costs	3,439	3,438	3,438	10,315	3,055
Representation costs	279	278	278	835	324
Sundry expenses	104	104	104	312	-
Accountancy and bookkeeping fees	1,754	1,754	1,754	5,262	4,835
Independent examiner's fee	216	217	217	650	650
Bank charges	202	202	202	606	1,429
	11,305	11,304	11,304	33,913	18,712
	41,980	152,231	22,561	216,772	157,611

Of the total expenditure in 2025 £157,611 related to unrestricted funds.

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6 Grantmaking

	Grants to individuals £
Annual conference	2,649

7 Trustees' remuneration and expenses

Committee meeting and travel expenses totalling £283 (2025: £387) were paid to 2 (2025: 4) of the trustees during the year.

8 Taxation

The registered charity is exempt from taxation on income and gains.

9 Debtors

	2026 £	2025 £
Trade debtors	22,774	-
Other debtors	1,140	7,453
Prepayments and accrued income	25,779	50,948
	49,693	58,401

10 Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year

	2026 £	2025 £
Trade creditors	2,664	1,787
Other creditors	-	340
Accruals and deferred income	47,432	27,687
	50,096	29,814

11 Related parties

Controlling entity

The charity is controlled by the trustees.

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12 Analysis of funds

	At 1 February 2025	Incoming resources	Resources expended	At 31 January 2026
	£	£	£	£
General Funds				
Unrestricted income fund	403,768	255,052	(216,772)	442,048

Prior year

	At 1 February 2024	Incoming resources	Resources expended	At 31 January 2025
	£	£	£	£
General Funds				
Unrestricted income fund	328,575	232,804	(157,611)	403,768

13 Net assets by fund

	Unrestricted Funds	Total Funds 2026	Total Funds 2025
	£	£	£
Current assets	492,144	492,144	433,582
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	(50,096)	(50,096)	(29,814)
Net assets	442,048	442,048	403,768

Prior year

	Unrestricted funds	Total funds 2025	Total funds 2024
	£	£	£
Current assets	433,582	433,582	386,310
Creditors: Amounts falling due within one year	(29,814)	(29,814)	(57,735)
Net assets	403,768	403,768	328,575

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