

Charity Analysis Algorithm

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Financial							
Viability	Total spending last 3 years = 0	This charity appears to be dormant	-10		-20		-20
	Charity in administration/insolvent	This charity is in Administration or Insolvent	-20				20
Spending Trend							
	Growth rate>12% pa over 5 years + latest year>3y average	There has been strong growth in spending over the last 5 years	+2				
	Growth rate>8% pa over 5 years + latest year>3y average	There has been reasonable growth in spending over the last 5 years	+1				
	Growth rate>4% pa over 5 years + latest year>3y average Spending down by more than 5% pa over 5 years and latest year	There has been growth in spending over the last 5 years					
*	lower than previous	Spending is declining	-2				
	Spending down by more than 10% pa over last 3 years relative to previous peri	Spending has fallen significantly over the last 5 years	-2	2	-2	2	-2
	Growth>0 last 3 years	but has stabilised more recently	-2 -1				
	<5 year & >3 year history	but has stabilised more recently	-				
	Growth > 20% pa	There has been strong growth in spending since inception	+2				
	Growth > 8% pa	There has been reasonable growth in spending since inception	+1				
	th total funds<10* latest spending (to exclude those with endo	wments)					
Income security	Income declines over 20%>1 +>1 material deficits last 5 years	Income has been volatile and on several occasions in recent years less than spending	-5				
	Income declines over 20%>1 + deficit latest year>20% of spending	Income has been volatile and was significantly lower than spending in the latest year	-5				
	Funds unrestricted>Spending	but the charity has substantial reserves available	-2				
	Income declines over 20%>1 + surplus>50% of spending latest year	Income has been volatile and was substantially in excess of spending in the latest year	_				
	Income declines over 20%>1 over last 5 years	Income has been volatile	-3 5	5		5	-6
	Future grants		5	5	-2	5	-6
Deficite	>1 deficits last 5 years	On several occasions in recent years income has been less than spending<	-2		-2		
Dencits	deficit latest years deficit latest years deficit latest years are spending	Income was significantly lower than spending in the latest year"	-2 -2		-2		
	Funds unrestricted>Spending	but the charity has substantial reserves available	-1		-2		
	Surplus latest year>50% of spending	Income was substantially in excess of spending in the latest year	0				
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Only for charities wi	th PartB in latest year						
Sources of Income	Net trading income>50% of income	More than half of total income was derived from net trading in the latest year	+2				
	Govt grants & income>50% of income	Most of the income over the last 3 years has been in the form of Government income or grants	+2				
	Govt grants & income>30% of income	Significant income over the last 3 years has been in the form of Government income or grants	+2				
	Govt grants & income>0	Has received modest Govt grants or income	+1	2			
	Investment income>70% of income	This charity is mainly funded by investment income					
	Legacies>50% of total income last 5 years	This charity has received more than half of its income from legacies in recent years	2				
	Legacies>20% of total income last 5 years	This charity has received considerable income from legacies in recent years	+1				
	Net trading income<0 HHI index<25%	The accounts in the latest year show a deficit from trading activities Income is well diversified	-1 3	3	-1		
			3	3			
	(Total Income-Trading-Investment-Endowment)/Total Income>0.8	This charity is mainly funded by voluntary income					
Fundraising	(Fundraising Costs-InvMan costs)/(Income-Trading-Investment-				_		
efficiency	Endowment)>0.25	Fundraising costs are [>0.4: extremely] high in relation to income generated	max(-5,-10*Co	st%)	-5		
Admin costs	Admin costs/total spending					11	-20
						11	-20
Balance Sheet	TICSCI VESIGIOPS	Liquidity appeared to be in excess of CC guidelines at the latest year end	-1				
	if no income declines in last 6 years	especially considering the stability of income historically	-2	_	_		
	if >1 income declines in last 6 years	but income has been volatile		0	-2		
	Reserves ratio < 3	Liquidity appears to have been slender at the latest year end	-1				
	Funds unrestricted>50% of spending Reserves ratio>3 & <9 each of last 5 years	but there were less liquid reserves available Reserves have been well managed within offical guidance levels	0 3	3			
	Funds unrestricted> 2 * spending	This charity has substantial unrestricted reserves available	0	,			
	Funds unrestricted > 2 * spending Funds unrestricted < 0	There was a deficit on unrestricted reserves of £*** at the last year end	-2		-2		
	Funds unrestricted<200% expenses	This charity has substantial unrestricted reserves available and so may not be able to utilise add	_		-		
	Liabilities/Assets>60%	This charity has very substantial liabilities	-5				
	Liabilities/Assets>40%	This charity has substantial liabilities	-3	3	-5		
	Liabilities/Assets<10% & Reserves Ratio>6	This charity has a robust balance sheet	3				
	Pension deficit>£100k & >25% of other assets	There is a pension deficit of £***	-5		-5		
Governance							
Filing							
All charities	Latest accounts overdue	Latest accounts are overdue for filing	-5		-5		
All E+W charities	Filed late once last 5 years	Accounts have been filed late on one occasion in the last 5 years	-1		-3		
	Filed late more than once last 5 years	Accounts have been filed late on ** occasions over the last 10 years	-Count				

rustee Age range	Oldest-Youngest>19 + Youngest<50	The Board appears to be well diversified in terms of age	3		3	-2	
	Oldest-Youngest<19	The Board has little diversity in terms of age		-2	3	-2	
Gender balance	Female proportion 30-70%	The Board appears to be well diversified in terms of gender	3				
	<20% females or male	The Board is largely male/female		-1			
	100% male	The Board is completely male		-3	3	-3	
	100% female	The Board is completely female		-1			
Activity	30% appointed in last 4 years	The Board appears to be dynamic in terms of composition	3				
	Most recent appointment > 7 years ago	The Board appears to be very static in terms of composition		-5	3	-5	
	Most recent appointment > 4 years ago	The Board appears to be rather static in terms of composition		-3	3	-5	
	More than half of trustees joined in last 2 years	Over half the Board have joined recently					12
Trustee number	Trustee count =1 and name != Limited	There is only 1 trustee		-5			
	Trustee count =2	There are only 2 trustees		-3			
	Trustee count =3 & spending>£50k	There are only 3 trustees		-2	3	-5	
	Trustee count >12	There are ** trustees		-1			
	Other cases where we know the number		0				
	Latest return shows payment/benefits received	One or more trustees has received payments or benefits from the charity for providing services to	o the chari	ity			
&W Charities only							
olicies	Beneficiaries includes Children and no safeguarding policy	Although this charity works with children it does not have a Safeguarding policy		-10		-10	
	No conflicts policy	This charity does not have a conflicts of interest policy		-1		-1	
	No volunteers policy && Volunteers>0	Although this charity works with volunteers it does not have a Volunteer Management policy		-2		-2	
C Reports	A report was been issued with Warning in the name	The Charities Commission has issued an Official Warning on this charity		-10			
	A report was been issued with Inquiry in the name	The Charities Commission has initated an Inquiry into this charity (see details below)		-2		-10	
	A report was been issued	The Charities Commission has issued a Public Report on this charity (see details below)					
ift Aid	Not registered for Gift Aid and Public Fund Raiser	This charity is not registered for Gift Aid		-5		-5	
ndorsement or	Impact						
Donors	Known grants latest year>25% of income [Community="Y"]	A significant proportion of income in the latest year was derived from major grant makers [include					
	More than 1 donor last 5 years [Community="Y"]	The charity has received [modest] backing from multiple/several prominent grant makers [includes]					
	Known grants latest year>8% of income	The charity has received modest backing from at least one prominent grant maker in recent year					
	Known grants next 2 years>25% of income	and there are significant future grants due to be received					
	Government income or grants>10% of income	< Including the Government>			15		20
Awards	1 Award win within last 5 years	This charity is an Award winner					20
	>1 Award win within last 5 years	This charity is a multiple Award winner					
Endorsement	Recommended by one charity evaluator	This charity is endorsed by a respected charity evaluator					
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Volunteers		This charity has attracted ** volunteers	5		5		
ocation	Reg Office has IMD < 6569/3285	This charity is operating in an area of [extremely] high deprivation					

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