

ProStrakan Financial Declarations 2012

In line with the Association of the British Pharmaceutical Industry (ABPI) Code of Practice requirements ProStrakan makes the following financial declarations regarding the company's spending in 2012.

ProStrakan is committed to supporting the NHS and the development of patient care across the UK. As such we offer financial support to the NHS and healthcare practitioners who work within it. All applications for financial support are assessed on a case-by-case basis, and funding offered only where there is a clear benefit to the NHS and patient care, and provided that the support requested is in compliance with the ABPI Code.

Meetings Costs

A significant proportion of the financial support offered to healthcare practitioners in 2012 centred on assistance to attend educational meetings in order to further the training and development of healthcare practitioners working within the NHS. Every meeting supported was assessed for educational value and Code compliance in advance of support being agreed.

In total 141 healthcare practitioners were supported by ProStrakan to attend meetings in 2012. The majority of these meetings were UK based educational training events or congresses. In total 146 meeting attendances were supported by ProStrakan.

A total of £46,659 was spent on registration fees and £21,701 on accommodation. £5,511 was awarded for travel outside of the UK.

Sponsorship and Donations

Further to the funds detailed above, ProStrakan also supported the following projects in 2012:

Funding Recipient	Project Detail	Total Awarded
County Durham and Darlington Primary Care Trust	Locality Project to Promote Bone Health	£2,000
Royal Surrey County Hospital	Research Programme into Breakthrough Cancer Pain	£50,000
Isle of Wight Primary Care Trust	Locality Project to Promote Bone Health	£6,600
Haxby Group	Locality Project to Promote Bone Health	£2,500
NHS Bradford, Airedale and Leeds Primary Care Trust	Locality Projects to Promote Bone Health	£27,500
Good Hope Hospital, Sutton Coldfield	Research Programme in Type Two Diabetes and Hypogonadism	£5,000
Barnsley Hospital NHS Foundation Trust	Printing Costs for Publication on Testosterone	£750
Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Gateshead	Patient Interview Project	£350
White House Surgery, Chipping Norton	Development of Diabetes and Hypogonadism Work Stream	£1,200
Wandsworth Primary Care Trust Falls Team	Support for Public Health Falls Campaign	£1,000

Patient Organisations

One patient organisation was supported in 2012. £100 was donated to the National Osteoporosis Society (NOS) in October. These funds were provided as a donation to support National Osteoporosis Day.

N.B. NOS have a clearly defined policy which states that no more than 15% of its funding can come from the pharmaceutical industry.

Consultancy Costs

On occasion ProStrakan employs UK based healthcare practitioners as consultants or advisers. This work is completed under contract and in compliance with Clause Twenty of the ABPI Code of Practice.

In 2012 a total of 29 individuals worked as consultants to the company over 32 separate occasions. The majority of this work was concerned with presenting data at educational meetings on behalf of ProStrakan. The remainder was concerned with participation in an advisory board run by the company.

A total of £14,630 was paid to these individuals leading to an average fee of £457 each.