



2020-21 Annual Report

Adventist Development and Relief Agency Australia



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Our Purpose

To serve humanity so all may live as God intended.

Our Motto

Justice. Compassion. Love.

(Inspired by Micah 6:8).

Our Values

Connected

We work collaboratively for the best outcome for those living in poverty or distress.

Courageous

We persevere through challenging situations.

Compassionate

We empathise with the communities we work with and also with each other.

Who We Are

The Adventist Development and Relief Agency (ADRA) is the official humanitarian agency of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

ADRA Australia works as part of the global ADRA network, which extends into more than 100 countries.

CEO Statement



Dear ADRA friends,

Despite the struggles of the year, we have much to be grateful to God for. We have learnt much as an organisation and become more resilient to face difficult and volatile situations. We have experienced an increase in

generosity from our supporters, and we have adapted our programs to reflect new realities in the communities we serve. All these would not have been possible without a strong commitment from our partners, volunteers, supporters, government and church institutions, and our staff. The collective effort has enabled us to bring hope and transformational change to thousands of children, women and men living in poverty and hardship overseas and in Australia.

I am proud to be sharing the 2020-21 ADRA Annual Report with you. This report reflects a snapshot of the impact achieved thanks to the combined efforts of all our stakeholders.

In the past year, ADRA Australia and ADRA New Zealand formed an alliance. Through this undertaking, we are gradually combining our strengths and resources to become even more efficient in the ways we partner with and equip communities and families.

Without doubt, the economic and social impacts of COVID-19 will continue for a while. But we are committed to increasing the level of assistance and engagement with the most vulnerable to bring about even more positive change. To be prepared for that, we have revisited our strategic plan that will guide us for the next four years and have adopted an adaptive management approach.

I would like to take this opportunity to warmly acknowledge our staff, who have given their all in these unprecedented times, and our faithful supporters who make our work possible.

Blessings,


Denison Grellmann
CEO – ADRA Australia and New Zealand

“You are the light of the world... let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.”

Matthew 5:14, 16

Board Chair Statement



Dear friends,

One of my favourite analogies from the Bible is the metaphor that we as believers are one body, each with different roles and parts to play in thriving as one (1 Corinthians 12:12-27).

I have been blessed to be the President of the Australian Union Conference for the past six years, and more recently appointed as the Board Chair for ADRA Australia and New Zealand. It brings me great joy to see that within our church and within ADRA, we are all working together to be the one body of Christ.

In Hebrews 13:16 it says, “Don’t forget to do good and to share what you have because God is pleased with these kinds of sacrifices.”

When we think about sharing what we have, we often think about our wealth or our belongings. And while these are certainly things that the Lord asks us to share, He also desires more than what we physically possess. He desires our talents and our passion.

I have seen the generosity of you, our ADRA supporters, making a real and tangible change in the life of others. You heard the call to help those less fortunate and you gave generously. Through your generosity, lives have changed. Farmers in Africa have received access to climate-smart agricultural training to improve their crops and yield; communities in the South Pacific are battling non-communicable diseases like diabetes through improved nutrition and awareness; and families in Asia are experiencing improved health thanks to COVID-19 prevention messaging and activities.

I am honoured to be the Board Chair of an organisation that is enabling so much change not just overseas, but here at home as well. The National Program is only made possible because of our thousands of volunteers. People just like you who are sharing what they have: time, skills, resources and a desire to see a better world.

When we work like this together, combining our skills and resources and sharing what we have, we truly become the body of Christ, working together for His kingdom.

Blessings,



Jorge Muñoz
Board Chair – ADRA Australia



International Programs



Wilson's Story

My name is Wilson, and I am 25 years old. I live in Zambia with my mother, my grandmother and my siblings.

I have always been called 'chilema', meaning 'the paralytic'. People thought I would only be a burden to those around me. I was born with a disability in my hand and leg. I started school but was not able to write, so I only made it through grade one.

A community volunteer encouraged me to participate in ADRA's program. I was taught how to take care of chickens. Then, I was given five chickens. By following all the things I was taught by ADRA, I now have 50 chickens!

Whenever I need anything or if my brother or sister needs a uniform or books, I catch one chicken and sell it in order to get money for what is needed.

I am very respected here at home as a result of this chicken project. I am grateful for the help that I have received through ADRA.

The FARMS Project in Zambia is supported by the Australian Government through the Australian NGO Cooperation Program (ANCP).

FARMS Project, Zambia
Photo by Chanda Chileshe

Program Overview

ADRA works with communities in the Pacific, Asia and Africa to bring transformative change. Our work is focused in the areas of health and wellbeing, livelihood opportunities and disaster response.



14 PROJECTS
INCORPORATED SPECIFIC
COVID-19 RESPONSES



\$8,708,247 TOTAL INTERNATIONAL
AID AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM
EXPENDITURE



31 PROJECTS IN 16
COUNTRIES

Health

With good health, people can live life to the fullest. That's why we work with communities to provide access to clean water, improve sanitation and hygiene, reduce malnutrition and prevent diseases through access to facilities and education. Some examples include: A new water system in Timor-Leste is providing clean drinking water for an entire community. In Vanuatu, a non-communicable disease risk reduction program piloted successfully. And through Open Heart International, women in Nepal received surgery offering relief from painful uterine prolapse.

33,176
PEOPLE
impacted by Health
Projects in the last
12 months



Livelihoods

With opportunities to earn a living, people can provide for their families and send their children to school. That's why we work with families to start and grow small businesses that benefit themselves, the community and the environment. Some examples include:

Farmers in Zambia received follow up support in agriculture and livestock production. In Nepal, Business Education for Agriculture Entrepreneurs was provided for participants. And in the Solomon Islands, project participants had the opportunity to join a savings and credit group, allowing them to access the finances needed to start a business.

20,237
PEOPLE
impacted by Livelihood
Projects in the last
12 months



Disasters

When people are supported before, during and after a disaster, they are more likely to survive and recover. That's why we work with communities to protect lives, provide emergency shelter kits and food supplies, and rebuild livelihoods. Some examples include:

Providing cash assistance for shelter repairs after the explosion in Beirut, Lebanon. Emergency food packs and hygiene kits were provided to people affected by the typhoon in the Bicol Region, Philippines. And in response to the COVID-19 crisis in India, medical equipment, supplies and PPE were provided to enable safe support for COVID-19 patients.

Responded to
17
DISASTERS
in ten countries in
the last 12 months



Program Evaluation



Impact Story - Health

Theakong is a mother in rural Cambodia. With few work opportunities and compounding financial struggles, the family was constantly battling sickness due to unsanitary living conditions. "We were doing open defecations," says Theakong. "We didn't have a water filter or clean water to drink. We got diseases – vomiting, diarrhoea, coughing."

When an ADRA project began in Theakong's village, she was eager to participate. "ADRA talked with me about having good sanitation and building a latrine," Theakong recalls. "This made me feel hopeful."

Theakong faithfully attended workshops, learning new skills about animal raising, gardening techniques and how to practice good hygiene. And she has witnessed her family's health drastically improve.

"ADRA helped me get a latrine," Theakong says. "No more bad smell!"

ADRA also provided Theakong and her family a water filter so they no longer become sick from drinking contaminated water. "Since we received a latrine and a water filter our family is better," says Theakong.

"ADRA brought change to my family. Our kids could have good health and they are able to go to school. It's better than before."

The Best CHOICES Project in Cambodia receives support from the Australian Government through the Australian NGO Cooperation Program (ANCP).

Best CHOICES Project, Cambodia
Photo by Luke Vodell

Monitoring and Evaluation Overview

The process of monitoring and evaluation is integrated into our project design and planning to ensure continuous improvement in program delivery. Learnings from our project evaluations will be used to inform ways of working for new and ongoing projects. Below is a selection of project evaluations and the outcomes they achieved.

Health

The Best CHOICES project in Cambodia seeks to improve participants' health through improved sanitation and hygiene, nutrition, reducing non-communicable disease (NCD) risk factors, and safe labour-based migration and anti-trafficking training. In the last year, COVID-19 interventions were introduced to ensure participants experienced good health. The project saw 3,193 community members complete safe labour-based migration and anti-trafficking training and values-based antenatal and postnatal childcare and nutrition practices training. Nearly 50% of these participants were female. Additionally, 94 household latrines were installed and 933 migrants were supported in their 14-day COVID-19 quarantine.

3,193
PEOPLE
completed
childcare and
nutrition training



Livelihoods

Wealth in the Soil III is an agriculture-based livelihoods project in Zimbabwe. It seeks to achieve three key outcomes: an increase in market-led agricultural productivity; improved nutrition awareness, dietary diversity and dietary intake by households; and diversified livelihood options for participating farmers. A large component of the project involves helping farmers to access financial services and last year 1,386 participants were investing in project activities from the Village Savings and Loans (VSL) group. Crucially, the project saw 660 participants trained in climate smart agriculture, helping to ensure sustainability for the farmers.

1,386
PEOPLE
participated in the
Village Savings and
Loans group.



Disasters

ADRA was involved in the long-term response after category five storm Tropical Cyclone Harold struck Vanuatu in early April 2020. The greatest immediate need after the cyclone was access to clean drinking water. ADRA helped restore five damaged water systems before working with communities of the disaster-prone island nation on Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR). In a combined effort with local authorities and agencies, ADRA utilised local solutions to retrofit church facilities to become accessible evacuation centres in preparation for future disasters. Further, training was conducted for communities covering DRR, hygiene and sanitation, gender and protection, COVID-19 key messages, and food security awareness, all steps that will reduce the impact of future disasters.

1,781
HELPED
by ADRA's
response to
Cyclone Harold



National Programs



Debbie's Story

For as long as Debbie can remember, drugs dictated her life. For decades, Debbie and her family experienced periods of homelessness and money was scarce.

"I was a drug addict for 48 years," Debbie says. "I was always rejected from society, being a heroin addict, bkie, gangster, whatever you wanted to label me."

A few years ago, Debbie broke her addiction. She began looking for a support network.

Volunteering for ADRA not only gave Debbie purpose, it gave her a sense of belonging. "It's the first time in my life that I've been in a community," Debbie says. "And I get respect from people. In 18 months since I've been here, I can feel my growth. I have a spiritual growth."

ADRA Community Care Centre, Gatton QLD
Photo by Wes Tolhurst

Program Overview

Through ADRA, local churches take on initiatives such as food pantries, community gardens and emergency relief to help those in the community who would otherwise fall through the cracks. When accessing these services, those receiving assistance also find comfort in the companionship of ADRA and church volunteers, creating a stronger sense of belonging within their community.

"ADRA is ministry. You can't separate community service from spiritual ministry because the two work hand-in-hand." – Darryl Groves, Manager at ADRA Community Care Centre in Gatton.



445,080 PEOPLE IMPACTED BY
ADRA'S NATIONAL PROJECTS
IN THE PAST YEAR



111 COMMUNITY
PROJECTS IN
AUSTRALIA



\$7,147,421 TOTAL
NATIONAL PROGRAM
EXPENDITURE

Volunteers

Our volunteers are at the heart of what we do. This year, we were blessed to have over 1,400 volunteers give generously of their time to support our work in Australia. Spanning across all age groups and life experiences, our volunteers have been involved with ADRA throughout the year by running food pantries, hosting fundraiser events in their schools, churches and workplaces, and continuing to serve their communities throughout the COVID-19 crisis. Thank you to our committed volunteers for all you have made possible.

205,760

VOLUNTEER
HOURS
in the last 12
months



Disasters

Throughout the 2020-21 year, ADRA Australia was involved in a number of short and long-term disaster response and recovery efforts. Thanks to our partnership with churches and volunteers who are on the ground and ready to help, ADRA responded to the East Coast Floods, the Australian bushfires, Tropical Cyclone Seroja in Western Australia, and the nationwide COVID-19 crisis. In response to Cyclone Seroja, ADRA was activated through the Department of Communities, Emergency Services Unit as a member of the State Welfare Emergency Committee (SWEC), to coordinate and organise temporary short-term accommodation for those affected.

OVER
\$200,000

programmed
to respond
to national
disasters



Impact Story

Dharmilla was in unimaginable pain. It hurt to sit down and lifting any weight was agonising – including holding her own children. It was in this condition that Dharmilla was turned away from the doctors at her local hospital. Instead of providing the support she needed, the doctors told Dharmilla that she was too young to worry – uterine prolapse wouldn't affect her. She should go home, return to work in the fields and carry on.

Uterine prolapse is caused by the ligaments and muscles in the pelvic floor becoming too weak to hold the uterus. It's often the result of overwork, not enough recovery time between pregnancies or pregnancy at a young age.

Thanks to Open Heart International volunteers, and the generosity of OHI's supporters, Dharmilla's suffering has ended. Dharmilla was able to visit one of OHI's mobile screening clinics and was recommended for surgery. She is now pain free and enjoying being mum to two bright, young children.

COVID-19 may have paused travel, but it certainly hasn't put a stop to OHI's life-changing impact. Despite the challenges, this vital work is still being carried out in Nepal.



OHI Project visit, Nepal
Photo by Megan Kraa

Open Heart International is a partnership of ADRA Australia and Sydney Adventist Hospital, and brings modern surgery, training, community education and equipment to some of the world's most disadvantaged communities. This is achieved by deploying teams of medical professionals to communities, who deliver education and surgery.

In 2020-21, OHI's trips were paused due to the impact of COVID-19 on international travel. But the Women's Health Project in Nepal, that aims to improve the health of women impacted by pelvic organ prolapse, reached a total of 8,508 women and men in the last 12 months. This included women receiving surgery, training health workers on conservative management, and community awareness. The project is supported by the Australian Government through the Australian NGO Cooperation Program and has been extended for another two years. It will now also include cervical cancer screening and response to gender-based violence.

Open Heart International greatly anticipates the re-opening of international borders so life-saving trips may resume. In the meantime, remote training and referrals with countries like Tonga will continue.

Governance

ADRA Australia's Board is accountable to the local ADRA constituency to achieve the purpose outlined in the company Constitution: to reduce poverty by serving people and communities in need, by the provision of humanitarian, development and relief assistance in Australia and overseas, without regard to ethnic, political, racial or religious association. The Board oversees the direction of the organisation and monitors performance against the strategic plan. It has overall responsibility for managing risks and complying with legislation. It determines operating policy, approves plans, activities and the appointment of key personnel. ADRA Australia's Board met six times in 2020-21.

Board Members

Pr Jorge Muñoz Chair
President of the Seventh-day Adventist Church
(Australian Union Conference) Ltd.

Mr Denison Grellmann
CEO, ADRA Australia & New Zealand
Commenced – 22 September 2020

Ms Janelle Cuthbert
Product Manager, ANZ

Ms Leanne Davies
Self-Employed
Commenced – 17 December 2020

Mr Faatonu (Tony) Fautua
Ambassador, Fred Hollows Foundation,
NZ and Community Strategist
Commenced – 21 December 2020

Ms Susan Piket
Business Consultant and Coach, Director
Barbican Training Centre Limited
Commenced – 12 January 2021

Ms Julie Praestiin
Head of Corporate Communications,
Sanitarium Health Food Company

Mr Craig Price
Head of Data Science & AI, Suncorp Group

Dr Edward Tupa'i
President, New Zealand Pacific Union Conference of
the Seventh-day Adventist Church
Commenced – 17 December 2020

Mr Karl Waretini
Business Owner/Director, Prosper Coaching
Commenced – 1 March 2021

Mr Kingsley Wood
Chief Financial Officer, New Zealand Pacific Union
Conference of the Seventh-day Adventist Church
Commenced – 9 March 2021

Pr Michael Worker Deputy Chair
General Secretary, Australian Union Conference of
the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

Mr Gregory Young
Regional Director, South Pacific Division of the
Seventh-day Adventist Church
Commenced – 1 January 2021

Ceased – 31 August 2020
Mr Paul Rubessa

Ceased – 25 November 2020
Ms Lorraine Anthony
Mr Peter Cameron
Ms Kelly Jackman
Mr Dane Moores
Dr Lydia Timms

Company Secretary
Mr Jean Tiran

Related Parties and Transactions

Transaction between related parties are on normal commercial terms and conditions no more favourable than those available to other parties unless otherwise stated. No internal loans were made to the members of the governing body. Clear policies and processes are in place for managing such transactions and full disclosure is made in the financial statements. All advances provided to employees are made on the understanding that they will be repaid through regular payroll deductions. Outstanding balances resulting from such transactions are disclosed in the full Financial Statements.

See note 5, 11 and 16 in the full Financial Statement.

Note: Paul Rubessa was the CEO of ADRA Australia during the 2019-20 Financial Year. Denison Grellmann was appointed as CEO of ADRA Australia and New Zealand in September 2020.

Management and Staff

ADRA Australia invests in people. The success of our efforts to create change all stems from the actions of our employees, volunteers, supporters and partners. We strive to empower, inspire and enable our people as agents for change. ADRA is an Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) employer and recruits staff through competitive selection to ensure we have the best people available in every role. Staff have access to generous training and conference attendance allowances to ensure they remain up to speed with industry developments.

Executive Committee

The Executive Committee (EXCOM) includes the CEO, Departmental Directors and, in line with the ADRA Australia and New Zealand Alliance, ADRA New Zealand's General Manager. EXCOM met 14 times in the 2020-21 Financial Year. EXCOM meets regularly to record decisions that are made under the delegation of authorities and to discuss strategy, to approve new projects and initiatives, to monitor and report risks, and to manage compliances, including safety.

Members

Denison Grellmann
CEO ADRA Australia & New Zealand
Chair from 13 Sep 2020

Charlene Luzuk
National Programs Director
from 13 May 2021

Murray Millar
Emergency Management Director
full financial year

Alisha Olsen
Supporter Engagement Director
from 17 August 2020

Jean Tiran
Finance & IT Director
from 3 August 2020

Brad Watson
International Programs Director
from 19 April 2021

Keryn McCutcheon
People & Culture Director
ADRA New Zealand General Manager
from 9 Dec 2020

Ceased
Paul Rubessa
Chair until 31 Aug 2020

Melville Simonsz
until 28 August 2021

Bruna Tawake
until 28 August 2020

Michael Were
until 5 Feb 2021

Financial Summary

Despite the abrupt changes brought on by the current global health crisis, ADRA Australia still remains in a strong financial position as reflected in the 2020-21 Financial Statements presented in this annual report.

Revenue

ADRA Australia's overall revenue decreased by \$954k (-4.4%) in 2020-21 to \$20.97 million compared to \$21.92 million in 2019-20. Total expenditure decreased by \$1.03 million (-5.3%) in 2020-21 to \$18.53 million compared to \$19.56 million in 2019-20.

Details of the Income Statement are as follows:

- Donations and gifts – cash donations and gifts decreased by \$644k (-9.6%).
- ADRA was again blessed with generous bequests in 2020-2021.
- Non-monetary income from donated goods and services decreased by \$1.12 million for overseas projects due to the ongoing COVID-19 restrictions and increased by \$1.00 million for national projects due to increased demand on emergency relief services as a result of COVID-19.
- In addition to the Federal Government's COVID-19 assistance payments, Grants from the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade increased by \$1.59 million (30.7%).
- International Donations of \$470k from The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints for Tropical Cyclone Harold relief in the South Pacific.

Expenditure

International Programs:

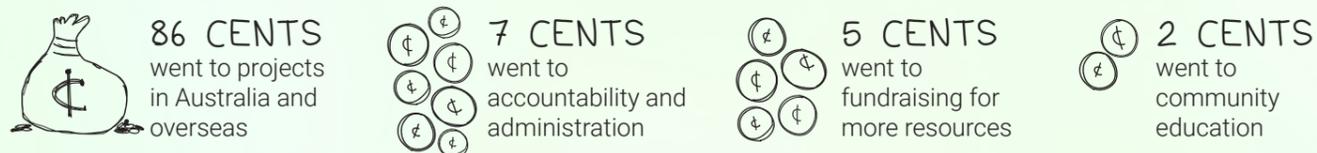
- Funds to international projects increased by \$41k in 2020-21.
- Fundraising costs increased by \$43k due to new initiatives in digital fundraising.
- Accountability and administration costs decreased by \$128k due to continual focus on cost control during the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Non-monetary expenditure (international program) decreased by \$1.12 million due to COVID-19 related travel restrictions for Open Heart International projects.

National Programs:

- National programs expenditure increased by \$474k due to increased demand on emergency relief services as a result of COVID-19.

The financial highlights are an extract from the full financial report for the year ended 30 June 2021, and should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of Adventist Development and Relief Agency Australia Trust.

FOR EVERY DOLLAR INVESTED THIS FINANCIAL YEAR



Note: The ratios are expense items expressed as a percentage of total expenditure reported in the audited Comprehensive Income Statement

Financial Highlights

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

Where We've Helped

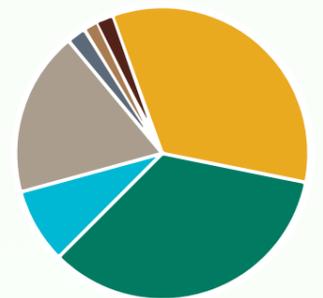
Total Program Expenditure	Amount	Percentage
Africa & Asia projects	4,916,392	27%
Pacific projects	2,152,663	13%
Australia projects	7,572,349	45%
Common projects (all regions)	2,073,105	12%
TOTAL PROGRAM EXPENDITURE	16,714,509	100%



Note: The ratios are program expenses expressed as a percentage of total expenditure less fundraising, accountability and administration costs as reported in the audited Comprehensive Income Statement

How We Are Supported

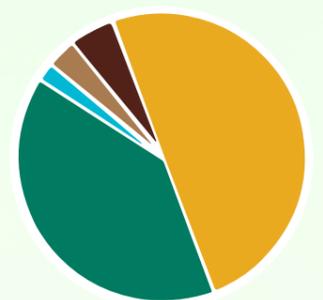
Total Revenue	Amount	Percentage
Donations & gifts	6,044,778	29%
Donations & gifts (non-monetary)	5,107,707	24%
Bequests and Legacies	949,029	5%
Grants - DFAT	6,779,986	32%
Grants - Other	1,601,578	8%
Other Income	352,305	2%
Investment Income	131,296	1%
TOTAL REVENUE	20,966,679	100%



Note: The ratios are revenue items expressed as a percentage of total revenue reported in the audited Comprehensive Income Statement

Use of Funds

Total Expenditure	Amount	Percentage
International Projects	8,708,247	47%
Domestic Projects	7,147,420	39%
Community Education Costs	427,168	2%
Fundraising Costs	964,231	5%
Accountability and Administration Costs	1,277,993	7%
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	18,525,059	100%



Note: The ratios are expense items expressed as a percentage of total expenditure reported in the audited Comprehensive Income Statement

Statement of Profit or Loss

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	30 June 2021	30 June 2020
	\$	\$
REVENUE		
Donations and gifts		
Monetary	6,044,778	6,688,885
Non-monetary (International)	4,859	1,123,213
Non-monetary (National)	5,102,848	4,100,249
Bequests and Legacies	949,029	2,859,278
Grants		
Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT)	6,779,986	5,186,052
Other National	1,131,249	730,668
Other International	470,329	392,728
Appropriations received	113,854	113,854
Other income	238,451	425,551
Investment income	131,296	300,386
TOTAL REVENUE	20,966,679	21,920,864

EXPENDITURE

	30 June 2021	30 June 2020
International Aid and Development Program Expenditure		
International Projects		
Funds to international projects	7,573,237	7,532,097
Program support costs	1,130,151	1,290,466
Non-monetary expenditure	4,859	1,123,213
Community education costs	427,168	613,083
Fundraising costs		
Public	658,764	614,610
Government, multilateral and private	22,050	22,785
Accountability and administration costs	1,129,736	1,258,103
Total International Aid and Development Program Expenditure	10,945,965	12,454,357
National Programs Expenditure		
Funds to national projects	7,147,420	6,679,549
Fundraising costs	283,417	259,819
Accountability and administration costs	148,257	165,865
Total National Programs Expenditure	7,579,094	7,105,233
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	18,525,059	19,559,590
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE	2,441,620	2,361,274

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements set out in the ACFID Code of Conduct. For further information on the Code, please refer to the ACFID website www.acfid.asn.au

Statement of Financial Position

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

	30 June 2021	30 June 2020
	\$	\$
ASSETS		
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	22,486,678	20,485,053
Trade and other receivables	267,565	499,167
Inventories	89,666	188,446
Financial assets	0	0
Other current assets	656,848	121,457
Total Current Assets	23,500,757	21,294,123
Non-Current Assets		
Financial assets	0	0
Property, plant and equipment	39,043	69,453
Intangible assets	209,625	264,774
Total Non-Current Assets	248,668	334,227
TOTAL ASSETS	23,749,425	21,628,350

LIABILITIES

Current Liabilities		
Trade and other payables	296,966	444,939
Contact Liabilities	1,159,393	1,225,390
Short-term provisions	453,198	669,740
Total Current Liabilities	1,909,557	2,340,069
Non-Current Liabilities		
Long-term provisions	232,805	122,838
Total Non-Current Liabilities	232,805	122,838
TOTAL LIABILITIES	2,142,362	2,462,907
NET ASSETS	21,607,063	19,165,443

EQUITY

Reserves	5,347,702	5,941,848
Funds available for future use	16,259,361	13,223,595
TOTAL EQUITY	21,607,063	19,165,443

Statement of Changes in Equity

AS AT 30 JUNE 2021	Retained Earnings	Reserves	Total
Balance as at 1 July 2020	13,223,595	5,941,848	19,165,443
Total comprehensive surplus for the year	2,441,620	0	2,441,620
Transfers to and from reserves	594,146	(594,146)	0
BALANCE AS AT 30 JUNE 2021	16,259,361	5,347,702	21,607,063

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Adventist Development and Relief Agency Australia Trust

Report on the audit of the summary financial report

Opinion

In our opinion, the accompanying financial summary, which comprises the Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2021, and the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Profit or Loss for the year ended 30 June 2021, derived from the audited financial report of Adventist Development and Relief Agency Australia Trust for the year ended 30 June 2021 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial report.

The summary financial summary does not contain all the disclosures required by the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012. Reading the summary financial summary, therefore, is not a substitute for reading the audited financial report.

Basis for opinion

The accompanying financial summary, which comprises the Statement of Financial Position as at 30 June 2021, and the Statement of Changes in Equity and the Statement of Profit or Loss for the year ended 30 June 2021, are derived from the audited financial report of Adventist Development and Relief Agency Australia Trust for the year ended 30 June 2021. We expressed an unmodified audit report on the financial report in our report dated 16 November 2021.

Responsibilities of the Directors' for the Financial Report

The Directors of the Trustee Company are responsible for the preparation of the summary financial report.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the summary financial summary based on our procedures which were conducted in accordance with Auditing Standard ASA 810 Engagements to Report on Summary Financial Statements.



Grant Thornton Audit Pty Ltd
Chartered Accountants



A G Rigele
Partner – Audit & Assurance

Sydney, 16 November 2021

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146 Fox Valley Road Wahroonga NSW 2076

Incorporation and Charitable Status:

- Public company limited by guarantee under the Corporations Act.
- Registered charity with the Australian Charities and Not-for-Profits Commission.

Tax Concessions and Fundraising

Public Benevolent Institution (PBI) and endorsed by the Australian Taxation Office as:

- A Deductible Gift Recipient (DGR).
- An Income Tax Exempt Charity (holding tax concessions and exemptions relating to income, goods and services, and fringe benefits taxes).
- Operates an Overseas Aid Fund and Necessitous Persons Fund, endorsed as DGRs.
- Fundraises throughout Australia and registered under fundraising legislation as required.

Accreditations

ADRA Australia has full accreditation with the Australian Government's Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade. This accreditation was renewed during 2017-18 for a further five years. The stringent accreditation process provides the Australian Government and Australian public with the confidence that ADRA is a professional, well-managed, community-based organisation capable of delivering successful development outcomes.

ADRA Australia is a full member of the Australian Council for International Development (ACFID). As a signatory to the voluntary, self-regulatory ACFID Code of Conduct, we are committed to conducting our work with transparency, accountability and integrity. ADRA Australia is also a signatory to the Fundraising Institute of Australia (FIA) Code of Conduct.

Feedback and Complaints

Feedback on this report and our work more generally can be sent to info@adra.org.au. All feedback will be acknowledged and responses given.

Complaints relating to a breach of the ACFID Code of Conduct can be made to our Complaints Officer by emailing complaints.officer@adra.org.au.

About this Annual Report

This report covers our work and performance during the 2020-21 financial year. It has been prepared in response to specific legal requirements and the ACFID Code of Conduct.

This Annual Report is just one of the ways we strive to meet our accountability obligations to all our stakeholders, including our partners and supporters. We believe transparency and accountability are crucial to what we do and vital to achieving our mission in a sustainable manner.

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