



Højgård Hestehospital A/S

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5462 Morud
CVR No. 33783116

Annual report 2021

The Annual General Meeting adopted the
annual report on 15.03.2022

Dorthe Rasmussen

Chairman of the General Meeting

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Entity details

Entity

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Business Registration No.: 33783116

Registered office: Morud

Financial year: 01.01.2021 - 31.12.2021

Board of Directors

Jørgen Michael Hansen, Chairman

Jonas Daniel Rasmussen

Dorthe Rasmussen

Executive Board

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Martin Hjorth Jensen

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Deloitte Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab

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Statement by Management

The Board of Directors and the Executive Board have today considered and approved the annual report of Højgård Hestehospital A/S for the financial year 01.01.2021 - 31.12.2021.

The annual report is presented in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2021 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2021 - 31.12.2021.

We believe that the management commentary contains a fair review of the affairs and conditions referred to therein.

We recommend the annual report for adoption at the Annual General Meeting.

Odense, 15.03.2022

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Independent auditor's report

To the shareholders of Højgård Hestehospital A/S

Report on the audit of the financial statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Højgård Hestehospital A/S for the financial year 01.01.2021 - 31.12.2021, which comprise the income statement, balance sheet, statement of changes in equity and notes, including a summary of significant accounting policies. The financial statements are prepared in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

In our opinion, the financial statements give a true and fair view of the Entity's financial position at 31.12.2021 and of the results of its operations for the financial year 01.01.2021 - 31.12.2021 in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Basis for opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs) and additional requirements applicable in Denmark. Our responsibilities under those standards and requirements are further described in the "Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements" section of this auditor's report. We are independent of the Entity in accordance with the International Ethics Standards Board for Accountants' International Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (IESBA Code) and the additional ethical requirements applicable in Denmark, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements and the IESBA Code. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Management's responsibilities for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation of financial statements that give a true and fair view in accordance with the Danish Financial Statements Act, and for such internal control as Management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, Management is responsible for assessing the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, for disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern, and for using the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements unless Management either intends to liquidate the Entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit conducted in accordance with ISAs and the additional requirements applicable in Denmark,

we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Entity's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by Management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of Management's use of the going concern basis of accounting in preparing the financial statements, and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Entity to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures in the notes, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that gives a true and fair view.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Statement on the management commentary

Management is responsible for the management commentary.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the management commentary, and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the management commentary and, in doing so, consider whether the management commentary is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

Moreover, it is our responsibility to consider whether the management commentary provides the information required under the Danish Financial Statements Act.

Based on the work we have performed, we conclude that the management commentary is in accordance with the financial statements and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Danish Financial Statements Act. We did not identify any material misstatement of the management commentary.

Report on other legal and regulatory requirements and other reporting responsibilities

Violation of other legislation

In violation of the Money Laundering Act, the company has violated the amount limit for the cash deposits of DKK 20,000, whereby the management can be held liable for this.

Odense, 15.03.2022

Deloitte

Statsautoriseret Revisionspartnerselskab

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Michael Bach

State Authorised Public Accountant

Identification No (MNE) mne19691

Abdul Wahab Ashraf

State Authorised Public Accountant

Identification No (MNE) mne46664

Management commentary

Primary activities

The purpose of the company is operation of veterinary and hospital activities as well as agriculture and related activities.

Description of material changes in activities and finances

In December 2021, the company acquired the rest of the shares in Højgård Hesteklinik Århus ApS. Moreover they sold the rest of its investments in associates, during its own acquisition by Altano Denmark A/S. The financial results are effected by these transactions.

The result for the year shows a profit of TDKK 26,203.

The result for the year is considered satisfactory.

Events after the balance sheet date

No events have occurred after the balance sheet date to this date, which would influence the evaluation of this annual report.

Income statement for 2021

	Notes	2021 DKK	2020 DKK
Gross profit/loss		24,327,901	26,666,419
Staff costs	1	(18,094,890)	(14,775,103)
Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses		(723,421)	(8,087,907)
Other operating expenses		0	(2,722,137)
Operating profit/loss		5,509,590	1,081,272
Income from investments in group enterprises		6,689,009	519,110
Income from investments in associates		14,926,683	680,000
Other financial income		52,111	41,164
Other financial expenses		(149,462)	(129,217)
Profit/loss before tax		27,027,931	2,192,329
Tax on profit/loss for the year	2	(825,027)	(349,447)
Profit/loss for the year		26,202,904	1,842,882
Proposed distribution of profit and loss			
Retained earnings		26,202,904	1,842,882
Proposed distribution of profit and loss		26,202,904	1,842,882

Balance sheet at 31.12.2021

Assets

	Notes	2021 DKK	2020 DKK
Land and buildings		0	10,133,501
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment		2,064,072	1,568,961
Leasehold improvements		746,563	0
Property, plant and equipment	3	2,810,635	11,702,462
Investments in group enterprises		56,782,084	884,110
Investments in associates		0	569,127
Other receivables		525,000	0
Financial assets	4	57,307,084	1,453,237
Fixed assets		60,117,719	13,155,699
Raw materials and consumables		867,725	883,404
Inventories		867,725	883,404
Trade receivables		4,453,056	2,557,316
Receivables from group enterprises		1,884,071	558,968
Receivables from associates		0	680,000
Deferred tax		48,044	414,367
Other receivables		955,175	80,738
Income tax receivable		189,318	0
Receivables		7,529,664	4,291,389
Cash		7,175,999	8,453,710
Current assets		15,573,388	13,628,503
Assets		75,691,107	26,784,202

Equity and liabilities

	Notes	2021 DKK	2020 DKK
Contributed capital		805,000	804,000
Share premium		0	6,488,000
Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method		6,689,009	0
Retained earnings		58,441,138	5,005,655
Equity		65,935,147	12,297,655
Other provisions	5	3,558,000	0
Provisions		3,558,000	0
Mortgage debt		0	5,437,096
Other payables		0	413,150
Non-current liabilities other than provisions		0	5,850,246
Current portion of non-current liabilities other than provisions		0	406,111
Trade payables		1,589,860	841,548
Payables to group enterprises		720,575	0
Payables to associates		0	589,142
Income tax payable		0	614,600
Other payables		3,887,525	6,184,900
Current liabilities other than provisions		6,197,960	8,636,301
Liabilities other than provisions		6,197,960	14,486,547
Equity and liabilities		75,691,107	26,784,202
Unrecognised rental and lease commitments	6		
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Statement of changes in equity for 2021

	Contributed capital DKK	Share premium DKK	Reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method DKK	Retained earnings DKK	Total DKK
Equity beginning of year	804,000	6,488,000	0	5,005,655	12,297,655
Increase of capital	1,000	31,908,008	0	0	31,909,008
Transferred from share premium	0	(38,396,008)	0	38,396,008	0
Extraordinary dividend paid	0	0	0	(4,474,420)	(4,474,420)
Profit/loss for the year	0	0	6,689,009	19,513,895	26,202,904
Equity end of year	805,000	0	6,689,009	58,441,138	65,935,147

Notes

1 Staff costs

	2021 DKK	2020 DKK
Wages and salaries	16,199,540	13,571,696
Pension costs	1,110,765	621,886
Other social security costs	784,585	581,521
	18,094,890	14,775,103
Average number of full-time employees	46	40

2 Tax on profit/loss for the year

	2021 DKK	2020 DKK
Current tax	458,704	1,729,530
Change in deferred tax	366,323	(1,380,083)
	825,027	349,447

3 Property, plant and equipment

	Land and buildings DKK	Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment DKK	Leasehold improvements DKK
Cost beginning of year	18,759,584	7,854,663	0
Additions	88,262	1,189,579	752,837
Disposals	(18,847,846)	(110,400)	0
Cost end of year	0	8,933,842	752,837
Depreciation and impairment losses beginning of year	(8,626,084)	(6,285,703)	0
Depreciation for the year	(105,418)	(611,729)	(6,274)
Reversal regarding disposals	8,731,502	27,662	0
Depreciation and impairment losses end of year	0	(6,869,770)	(6,274)
Carrying amount end of year	0	2,064,072	746,563

4 Financial assets

	Investments in group enterprises DKK	Investments in associates DKK	Other receivables DKK
Cost beginning of year	365,000	569,127	0
Disposals on divestments etc	0	(569,127)	0
Additions	49,728,075	0	525,000
Cost end of year	50,093,075	0	525,000
Revaluations beginning of year	519,110	0	0
Share of profit/loss for the year	6,689,009	0	0
Dividend	(519,110)	0	0
Revaluations end of year	6,689,009	0	0
Carrying amount end of year	56,782,084	0	525,000

In connection with the initial recognition of investments a goodwill is reconciled of the amount of DKK 31.193.384

Investments in subsidiaries	Registered in	Equity interest %
Hestedoktoren, Højgård Sjælland ApS	Agerup	100.00
HØJGÅRD HESTEKLINIK ÅRHUS ApS	Højbjerg	100.00

5 Other provisions

Other provision have been recognized for DKK 3,558k related to contingent earn-outs. The acquisition agreement states that a contingent earn-out is to be paid to the former owner based on the fulfilment of certain terms and conditions, such as profitability targets for 2022.

6 Unrecognised rental and lease commitments

Liabilities under rental or lease agreements until maturity in total DKK 13,157k (2020: DKK 449k)

7 Contingent liabilities

The Entity participates in a Danish joint taxation arrangement where Altano Denmark ApS serves as the administration company. According to the joint taxation provisions of the Danish Corporation Tax Act, the Entity is therefore liable for income taxes etc for the jointly taxed entities, and for obligations, if any, relating to the withholding of tax on interest, royalties and dividend for the jointly taxed entities. The jointly taxed entities' total known net liability under the joint taxation arrangement is disclosed in the administration company's financial statements.

8 Group relations

Name and registered office of the Parent preparing consolidated financial statements for the smallest group:

Altano Denmark A/S

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5462 Morud

Denmark

Accounting policies

Reporting class

This annual report has been presented in accordance with the provisions of the Danish Financial Statements Act governing reporting class B enterprises with addition of a few provisions for reporting class C.

The accounting policies applied to these financial statements are consistent with those applied last year.

Recognition and measurement

Assets are recognised in the balance sheet when it is probable as a result of a prior event that future economic benefits will flow to the Entity, and the value of the asset can be measured reliably.

Liabilities are recognised in the balance sheet when the Entity has a legal or constructive obligation as a result of a prior event, and it is probable that future economic benefits will flow out of the Entity, and the value of the liability can be measured reliably.

On initial recognition, assets and liabilities are measured at cost. Measurement subsequent to initial recognition is effected as described below for each financial statement item.

Anticipated risks and losses that arise before the time of presentation of the annual report and that confirm or invalidate affairs and conditions existing at the balance sheet date are considered at recognition and measurement.

Income is recognised in the income statement when earned, whereas costs are recognised by the amounts attributable to this financial year.

Business combinations

Newly acquired or newly established enterprises are recognised in the financial statements from the time of acquiring or establishing such enterprises. Divested or wound-up enterprises are recognised in the income statement up to the time of their divestment or winding-up.

The purchase method is applied at the acquisition of new enterprises, under which identifiable assets and liabilities of these enterprises are measured at fair value at the acquisition date. Provisions for costs of restructuring of the enterprise acquired are only made in so far as such restructuring was decided by the enterprise acquired prior to acquisition. Allowance is made for the tax effect of restatements.

Positive differences in amount (goodwill) between cost of the acquired share and fair value of the assets and liabilities taken over are recognised in intangible assets, and they are amortised systematically over the income statement based on an individual assessment of their useful lives. If the useful life cannot be estimated reliably, it is fixed at 10 years. Useful life is reassessed annually. Negative balances (negative goodwill) are recognised as income in the income statement.

Income statement

Gross profit or loss

Gross profit or loss comprises revenue, changes in inventories of consumables, own work capitalised, other operating income, cost of consumables and external expenses.

Revenue

Revenue from the sale of services is recognised in the income statement when delivery is made to the buyer. Revenue is recognised net of VAT, duties and sales discounts and is measured at fair value of the consideration fixed.

Other operating income

Other operating income comprises income of a secondary nature as viewed in relation to the Entity's primary activities.

Cost of sales

Cost of sales comprises goods consumed in the financial year measured at cost, adjusted for ordinary inventory writedowns.

Other external expenses

Other external expenses include expenses relating to the Entity's ordinary activities, including expenses for premises, stationery and office supplies, marketing costs, etc. This item also includes writedowns of receivables recognised in current assets.

Staff costs

Staff costs comprise salaries and wages, and social security contributions, pension contributions, etc for entity staff.

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses

Depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses relating to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets comprise depreciation, amortisation and impairment losses for the financial year, and gains and losses from the sale of intangible assets and property, plant and equipment.

Other operating expenses

Other operating expenses comprise expenses of a secondary nature as viewed in relation to the Entity's primary activities.

Income from investments in group enterprises

Income from investments in group enterprises comprises the pro rata share of the individual enterprises' profit/loss after full elimination of intra-group profits or losses.

Income from investments in associates

Income from investments in associates comprises the pro rata share of the individual associates' profit/loss after pro rata elimination of intra-group profits or losses.

Other financial income

Other financial income comprises dividends etc received on other investments, interest income, including interest income on receivables from group enterprises, net capital or exchange gains on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial assets, and tax relief under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

Other financial expenses

Other financial expenses comprise interest expenses, including interest expenses on payables to group

enterprises, net capital or exchange losses on securities, payables and transactions in foreign currencies, amortisation of financial liabilities, and tax surcharge under the Danish Tax Prepayment Scheme etc.

Tax on profit/loss for the year

Tax for the year, which consists of current tax for the year and changes in deferred tax, is recognised in the income statement by the portion attributable to the profit for the year and recognised directly in equity by the portion attributable to entries directly in equity.

The Entity is jointly taxed with all Danish group enterprises. The current Danish income tax is allocated among the jointly taxed entities proportionally to their taxable income (full allocation with a refund concerning tax losses).

Balance sheet

Property, plant and equipment

Land and buildings, plant and machinery, and other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Land is not depreciated.

Cost comprises the acquisition price, costs directly attributable to the acquisition and preparation costs of the asset until the time when it is ready to be put into operation. For self-constructed assets, cost comprises direct and indirect costs of materials, components, sub-suppliers and labour costs.

Indirect production costs in the form of indirectly attributable staff costs and amortisation of intangible assets and depreciation of property, plant and equipment used in the development process are recognised in cost based on time spent on each asset.

The basis of depreciation is cost less estimated residual value after the end of useful life. Straight-line depreciation is made on the basis of the following estimated useful lives of the assets:

Buildings	50 years
Other fixtures and fittings, tools and equipment	3-10 years
Leasehold improvements	10 years

For leasehold improvements and assets subject to finance leases, the depreciation period cannot exceed the contract period.

Estimated useful lives and residual values are reassessed annually.

Items of property, plant and equipment are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Investments in group enterprises

Investments in group enterprises are recognised and measured according to the equity method. This means that investments are measured at the pro rata share of the enterprises' equity value plus unamortised goodwill and plus or minus unrealised intra-group profits or losses. Refer to the above section on business combinations for more details about the accounting policies used on acquisitions of investments in group enterprises.

Upon distribution of profit or loss, net revaluation of investments in group enterprises is transferred to the reserve for net revaluation according to the equity method in equity.

Goodwill is the positive difference between cost of investments and fair value of assets and liabilities arising from acquisitions. Goodwill is amortised straight-line over its estimated useful life, which is fixed based on the experience gained by Management for each business area. For one amount of goodwill, it has not been possible to estimate useful life reliably, for which reason such useful life has been set at 10 years.

Investments in group enterprises are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Investments in associates

Investments in associates are measured at cost. Investments are written down to the lower of recoverable amount and carrying amount.

Investments in associates fall within the definitions of both participating interests and associates, yet in the financial statements they have been presented as investments in associates because this designation reflects more accurately the Company's involvement in the relevant entities.

Receivables

Receivables are measured at amortised cost, usually equalling nominal value, less writedowns for bad and doubtful debts.

Inventories

Inventories are measured at the lower of cost using the FIFO method and net realisable value.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is recognised on all temporary differences between the carrying amount and the tax-based value of assets and liabilities, for which the tax-based value is calculated based on the planned use of each asset.

However, no deferred tax is recognised for amortisation of goodwill disallowed for tax purposes and temporary differences arising at the date of acquisition that do not result from a business combination and that do not have any effect on profit or loss or on taxable income.

Deferred tax assets, including the tax base of tax loss carryforwards, are recognised in the balance sheet at their estimated realisable value, either as a set-off against deferred tax liabilities or as net tax assets.

Tax payable or receivable

Current tax payable or receivable is recognised in the balance sheet, stated as tax computed on this year's taxable income, adjusted for prepaid tax.

Cash

Cash comprises cash in hand and bank deposits.

Other provisions

Provisions are recognized when the company has a legal or constructive obligation as a result of an event that occurred no later than the balance sheet date, and it is probable that financial benefits will have to be provided to settle the obligation.

Mortgage debt

At the time of borrowing, mortgage debt to mortgage credit institutions is measured at cost which corresponds to the proceeds received less transaction costs incurred. Mortgage debt is subsequently measured at amortised cost. This means that the difference between the proceeds at the time of borrowing and the nominal repayable amount of the loan is recognised in the income statement as a financial expense over the term of the loan applying the effective interest method.

Operating leases

Lease payments on operating leases are recognised on a straight-line basis in the income statement over the term of the lease.

Other financial liabilities

Other financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost, which usually corresponds to nominal value.