

# ANNUAL REPORT 1975

VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION (INC.)

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL FOR MOTHERS AND BABIES



# 57th ANNUAL REPORT

*of the Committee of Management*

*with Statement of Accounts, List of Subscribers*

*and Donors and Statistical Returns*

*For Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1975*

OFFICE BEARERS AND COMMITTEE

For the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1975

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Mrs. M. Cameron - resigned April, 1975  
Mrs. G. Dahlenburg  
Dr. G. Dahlenburg, M.B., B.S., F.R.A.C.P.,  
- resigned April, 1975  
Mrs. G. Doolan  
Mrs. M. Fowler  
Mrs. A. Goodman  
Mrs. B. Harper  
Mrs. D. Jones  
Mrs. J. Jordan - resigned December, 1974  
Mrs. A. Lynch  
Mrs. J. Ogden  
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Dr. M. Wadds, M.B., B.S.

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Matron: Miss. L. Richardson, S.N.R.T.C., Dip.N.Admin  
A.C.N.A.

Honorary Solicitors: Messrs. Moule, Hamilton & Derham

Auditor: Mr. I.L. Murray, F.C.A., B.Com., A.C.I.S.

HONORARY MEDICAL COMMITTEE

President:

Dr. R. Walker, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.O.G., F.A.G.O.

Immediate Past President:

Dr. E. Turner, M.B., B.S.

Past President:

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Dr. G. Danielson, M.B., B.S.

Staff Representative on Committee of Management:

Dr. M. Wadds, M.B., B.S.

Committee Members:

Dr. J. Linnane, M.B., B.S., M.A.N.Z.C.P.

Dr. C. McKinnon, M.B., B.S., D.C.H., F.R.A.C.P.

HONORARY MEDICAL OFFICERS TO STAFF

Dr. P. Arndt, M.B., B.S., M.R.A.C.G.P.  
Dr. A. Sweet, M.B., B.S.

NURSE EDUCATOR

Sister J. McCarthy, S.R.N.T.C, Dip.N.Ed., F.C.N.A.

PAST PRESIDENTS

1917 - 1921	Dr. A. Jeffreys Wood
1921 - 1923	Dr. K. Hughes
1923 - 1932	Sir George Cusaden
1932 - 1933	Dr. Constance Ellis
1933 - 1944	Sir Walter Leitch, K.B., C.B.E.
1944 - 1952	Hon. Sir Herbert Olney
1952 - 1953	Sir Lesley McConnan
1953 - 1956	Hon. Sir Herbert Olney
1956 - 1965	Mr. M.V. Anderson
1965 -	Lady Curtis

## THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

This report of the Committee of Management for the twelve months ended 30th June 1975 is accompanied by the Financial Statement and Statistics, and a review of the work and services of the Hospital and reports of the various heads of Sections.

Over the year the Hospital cared for 353 individual babies, some staying only a week or two, but 4 or 5 staying up to several months. The Hospital accommodated 218 mothers during the year, with their babies, providing a very great service to the community in training mothers to care for their babies in the best possible way, and in some cases providing the mothers themselves with greatly needed rest and care.

As the Hospital in the past 12 months has been fully occupied, it has not been possible to accommodate all patients requiring admission, and on one occasion there were 15 requests for admission which could not be met.

There is also the need for the building of the proposed Day Care Centre. The Committee is anxious to proceed with the Day Care Centre as early as possible in order to provide this additional service to mothers and babies, but has been unable to do so because of insufficient funds. Donations towards the Centre have been received and are gratefully recorded, particularly to the William Buckland Foundation for contributing \$4,000.00, The Sidney Myer Charity Trust \$1,000.00, The Pied Pipers Committee \$9,500.00, The Birralee Committee \$3,000.00 and Mrs. I. Rice \$5,333.00. It is hoped that the Government will provide a grant towards the cost so that building can commence.

Among other improvements made during the year is the air conditioning of the Elvie Curtis Wing, completed in January. The additional comfort has been appreciated greatly by patients and staff. Donations of \$1,000.00 each were made by the William Buckland Foundation and Mr. R. Phillips, and appreciation of all the generous gifts towards this air conditioning is expressed.

### NURSING

Approval was obtained during February 1975 to appoint a further two fully trained Sisters and four fully trained Mothercraft Nurses. This has assisted considerably in assuring fully trained staff coverage at all times.

The Department of Health has made scholarships available for Sisters undertaking an Infant Welfare Course to the value of \$115.70 per week to cover a living allowance.

The Hospital has been asked to co-operate with future students of the Prahran Technical College Child Care Course by allowing them to attend daily for one week, assess their suitability for the course then send a report to the College. It is happy to do so.

A 35 MM slide attachment to the projector has been purchased to enable the Doctors and Tutors to project both slides and transparencies. This will be of benefit for teaching purposes.

The Committee of Management regretfully accepted the resignations of Sister Davies and Sister Dudley during the year. Sister Davies was Sister in Charge of the Mothers' Wing for many years, and Sister Dudley Sister in Charge of the Queen Elizabeth Health Centre.

Sister Stott, who had been with the Hospital many years as Assistant Matron and later Matron and who had been acting as relieving Sister for a period of 12 months, retired in November 1974. The Committee expresses its appreciation of her many years of service.

### FINANCE - Maintenance

I am pleased to report a surplus of \$4,803.00 for the year. Expenditure totalled \$385,361.00 of which salaries and wages amounted to \$291,111.00 Government Grants amounted to \$199,204.00 and patients' fees \$176,740.00 Donations and other income \$14,220.00

### CAPITAL

Donations to Capital funds amounted to \$3,715.00 and a Capital Grant of \$3,440.00 from the Hospitals & Charities Commission is appreciated very much.

### BUILDING PROJECT

Donations towards the building of the proposed Day Nursery amounted to \$24,828.65 and \$3,000.00 towards equipment.

### COMMITTEE

#### NEW MEMBERS

The following Members were elected to the Committee during the year and a warm welcome is extended to them for their valued assistance.

Mrs. David Jones  
Mrs. James Shaw  
Mrs. John Ogden

#### RESIGNATIONS

The resignation of Mrs. M. Cameron due to very heavy commitments was received with regret. Resignations from Mrs. J. Jordan and Dr. G. Dahlenburg were also received with regret. The assistance of these members to the Committee was valued most highly.

#### OBITUARY

The Committee records with deep regret the death during the year of Mrs. J.M. Gardiner and Mr. W. Howard. Both were Life Members of the Association and served on the Committee of the Victorian Baby Health Centres Association for many years and gave dedicated and devoted service to the Association at all times.

#### INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S YEAR

During May 1975, an exhibition was arranged by the National Council of Women to project the role of women in Community development. One hundred and fifty women's groups combined to present this exhibition in the Melbourne Town Hall and the Victorian Baby Health Centres Association was invited to participate. Many photographs and information dating back to 1918 were displayed with recent information relating to the progress of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital.

#### FAMILY PLANNING ASSOCIATION

The Family Planning Clinic conducted on Tuesday mornings in the Queen Elizabeth Health Centre is now under the auspices of the Maternal, Infant and Pre-School Welfare Division of the State Department of Health. Gratitude for co-operation with the Association was received by the Committee.

#### THE ISABEL YOUNGER ROSS MEMORIAL HALL

This excellent Hall continues to serve for lectures, examinations, meetings, displays and conferences. The purchase of a Planet microphone to assist speakers has been arranged, and the painting of the facier around the external roof of the Hall has shown an added improvement.

#### AWARDS

The Dr. Doris Officer Scholarship valued at \$150.00 was awarded to Sister N. Gardiner, Sister M.A. McHugh and Sister V. Hancock.

This Scholarship is awarded to a Sister in the three training courses each year, the selection being made by a Committee appointed by the Australian Paper and Cardboard Appeal.

The Margaret White Prize given to the Infant Welfare Trainee considered the "Best in the Year" and valued at \$50.00 was awarded to Sister Janet Wickes.

Sir Herbert and Lady Olney Prize given to the Infant Welfare Trainee considered "Most suitable for Baby Health Centre Work" in each term was awarded to Sister B. Hess, Sister Patricia Grantham and Sister Janet Wickes who tied for the first term.

In the second term the award went to Sister Pritchard.

The third term was won by Sister Grinter.

The Committee congratulates the winners on their success.

#### THE HONORARY MEDICAL STAFF

The Committee records their sincere appreciation of the very valued assistance given to the Hospital by the President Dr. Ruth Walker and Members of the Honorary Medical Staff. Their dedication and service is of great benefit to all.

#### AUXILIARIES

Gratitude is extended to The Pied Pipers Committee, The Birralee Committee and Mrs. I. Rice and her Committee for their magnificent achievements during the year and their contributions towards the building of the proposed Day Care Centre and the equipping of it. Two separate cheques were presented to the Hospital by the Pied Pipers for two functions held. One for \$5,000.00 and another for \$4,500.00. The Birralee Committee raised \$3,000.00 and Mrs. I. Rice and her Committee, \$5,333.00.

Congratulations and appreciation are extended to these volunteer groups for their continued support and valuable contributions.

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The Committee thanks the Hospitals and Charities Commission for their financial assistance during the year. We also thank the Government of Victoria, The Commonwealth Government, The Melbourne City Council, Municipal and Shire Councils, The Wastepaper and Cardboard Committee, the many Trusts for their donations and the many donors who have assisted so generously. Our thanks are extended to the Quota Club and the Caulfield Ladies Health Centre Committee for their valued contributions. The assistance given by Messrs. Moule, Hamilton and Derham is also appreciated very much.

We look forward to the continued support of all those who have assisted in the past and in preparing the way for the new and exciting prospect of the building of the Day Care Centre, thereby extending further assistance to the Mothers and Babies of Victoria.



PRESIDENT

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE HONORARY MEDICAL STAFF OF

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL

The year 1974/75 has seen several changes. In December 1974 we farewelled Sister Gladys Stott, who had been on the staff of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital for 23 years. As a practical nurse and tutor she gave outstanding service to the Hospital, and was held in the highest regard by all who came within her sphere. The Medical Staff feel a great sense of loss at her departure. We wish her well for the future.

There has been a change in the training of Infant Welfare Sisters. Instead of being part of the Hospital work-force, as before, they now have student status. This means that they are endeavouring to learn their practical skills by observation and discussion, instead of participating in the management of the mothers and babies. It is evident to the Medical Staff that the standard of the Infant Welfare trainees has suffered since the inception of this scheme. The Staff is endeavouring to obtain some modifications in the training programme, in order to raise the trainees' standard of basic practical knowledge.

The Medical Staff welcomed a letter from the Children's Welfare Department of Victoria stating that the State Government had appointed a Committee of Inquiry to investigate Child Welfare Services in Victoria. The inquiry is directed to ridding such services of poor standards, inadequate staffing and the crippling anomalies in the present financial arrangements. A submission from the Medical Staff has been sent to the Executive Director of the Committee of Inquiry, setting out comments and suggestions for improvements. This inquiry is proceeding.

With the inception of Medibank and the imminent participation of hospitals in the scheme, it seems inevitable that changes will take place in the medical staffing of Queen Elizabeth Hospital. The staff members have enjoyed a spirit of co-operation, respect and friendship with each other, the nursing staff and the Committee of Management. This has made for a very happy and fruitful association with the Hospital which will long be remembered.

RUTH WALKER,  
President

MATRON'S REPORT

During the year the hospital has kept busy giving encouragement, assistance and Mothercraft teaching to Mothers with children combined with the teaching of Infant Welfare and Mothercraft students.

At times we have been unable to accept all the patients who request our care, especially in the Mothers Wing due to the limited number of beds, and this is unfortunate.

The Installation of the Air Conditioning Unit to Mothers Wing has been greatly appreciated in summer and winter and adds to the comfort of patients and staff.

Equipment toys and books have been added to the Nursery this year where the children are enjoying them. For these we thank our many friends.

Sister Dudley resigned from the Health Centre where she has been appreciated and Sister Buckle is now in charge there. Much of the Sisters' home visiting is to assist people with social problems.

Infant Welfare students have full student status which they appreciate, yet find it limits them in gaining practical experience.

Four of these students during the year have gained distinctions.

One student gained first place, and one other shared equal first place in State Examinations.

The Mothercraft students were also successful in gaining two distinctions and one student gained equal second in State Examinations.

The Hospital has become more involved with outside students. We have welcomed Nursing students from Preston and Northcote Community Hospital, Nursing students from the College of Nursing, Australia, overseas students under observation prior to registration in Victoria, Refresher Students and one for assessment prior to commencing a Child Care Course at Prahran Technical School.

The Honorary Medical Staff have been greatly appreciated for both their practical help and advice and the lectures they gave to our students.

L.M. RICHARDSON  
Matron



VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION

INCORPORATING

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL FOR MOTHERS AND BABIES

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE 1975

<u>1974</u> \$	<u>EXPENDITURE</u>	<u>1974</u> \$	<u>INCOME</u>	
199,234	Salaries and Wages	291,111	Child Endowment	572
14,545	Administrative	11,528	Donations	6,085
36,226	Dietary and Housekeeping	45,440	Department of Health -	
12,617	Linen, Laundry and Sewing	17,585	Maintenance Subsidy for Training	
6,350	Maintenance	6,362	Schools	21,700
1,605	Medical Expenses	1,635	Other Government Grants	177,504
8,063	Power, Lighting and Heating	10,054	Hospital Sunday and Lord	
	Isabel Younger Ross Memorial Hall -		Mayor's Appeal	3,826
1,256	net expense	1,646	Municipal Grants	3,000
	Surplus for the year - transferred to		Patients' Fees	176,740
	Maintenance Fund	4,803	Trainees' Fees	672
			Sundry Income	65
			Deficit for the year -	
			transferred to Maintenance	
			Fund	-
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279,896		390,164		390,164
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		<u>CAPITAL FUND</u>		
561,433	Balance Carried Forward	574,081	Balance Brought Forward	561,433
	30th June, 1975		1st July, 1974	
			Government Grants - New	
			Hospital Building	3,260
			Duplicator	180
			Donations	3,440
			Interest Received - net	5,493
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561,433		\$574,081		\$574,081
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AUDITOR'S REPORT

I report that I have examined the accounts of The Queen Elizabeth Hospital for Mothers and Babies for the year ended 30th June, 1975.

In accordance with usual hospital accounting practice, provisions have not been made for depreciation of Buildings, Plant and Equipment.

Subject to the foregoing, in my opinion the Balance Sheet and Income and Expenditure Account are properly drawn up so as to give a true and fair view of the state of the Institution's financial affairs at the 30th June, 1975, and of the financial results of its services for the period ended on that date.

The accounting and other records examined by me have been properly maintained.

31st July, 1975.

I.L.MURRAY  
Chartered Accountant.



INFANT WELFARE CENTRE

Attendances have fallen again from last year; however the mothers and babies who attend, do so very regularly and our number of immunized children is really quite good.

Attendances at the Family Planning Clinic have been consistent and from April of this year the Clinic was taken over by the Health Department.

The Monash Paediatric Professorial Unit Lectures and Doctor Wadds have continued their lectures and clinic series. These are always most interesting and of benefit to the Infant Welfare Students and myself.

Once again I am very grateful for the assistance of Sister Brain, Social Welfare Officer for the Melbourne City Council. She is most helpful and informative in my work with families who have emotional or financial problems.

Attendances

Under 12 months	=	1496
1 to 2 years	=	143
2 to 3 years	=	59
3 to 4 years	=	71
4 to 5 years	=	35
5 to 6 years	=	19

Total 1823

Callers	59
Birth Notifications	106
New Enrolments	144
Home Visits	693
Telephone Consultations	354

Sister Buckle

Sister-In-Charge

## Contributors

MUNICIPALITIES

City of Corio (V.B.H.C.A.)	8.00
City of Malvern (Q.E.H.)	25.00
City of Moorabbin (V.B.H.C.A.)	20.00
City of Northcote (Q.E.H.)	30.00
City of South Melbourne (V.B.H.C.A.)	10.00
	<u>\$93.00</u>

City of Melbourne	
Infant Welfare Centre Subsidy	\$3000.00

COMMITTEE DUES \$42.00

SPECIFIC PURPOSES

Caulfield Baby Health Centres Ladies Committee	235.00
Sister D'Arcy	33.00
Immigration Typing Pool	47.00
Sister McCarthy	18.00
Quota Club of Melbourne	370.00
Mr. L. Stratford	15.00
Mrs. I.D. Wharrie	2.00
	<u>\$720.00</u>

NET PROCEEDS

FROM AUXILIARY EFFORTS

\$17833.65

VICTORIAN BABY HEALTH CENTRES ASSOCIATION

Arnott-Brockhoff	25.00
Australian Paper Manufacturers	3500.00
Thomas Baker (Kodak) Alice Baker and E. Shaw (Benefactors)	200.00
Estate of E.G. Batchelor	306.61
Percy Baxter Charitable Fund	300.00
Fred J. Cato	20.00
Estate of the Late Alfred Edments	200.00
Estate of the Late Alfred Felton	1400.00
G. Kennon & Co. Pty.Ltd.	10.00
Kraft Foods Ltd.	30.00
Estate of Sir Walter Leitch	242.39
Mrs. W. Stephens	15.00
Estate of T.J. Sumner	150.00
Sun News Pictorial "Sunball"	20.00
The David Syme Charitable Trust	50.00
Walter & Eliza Hall Trust	250.00
Joe White Bequest	200.00
Estate of the Late Edward Wilson	200.00
Lord Mayor's Fund	225.00
	<u>\$7344.00</u>

THE QUEEN ELIZABETH HOSPITAL

Estate of the Late George Adams	300.00
Susan Bade	2.00
Mrs. B. Caldwell	4.00
Mrs. K. Cameron	3.00
Mrs. L. Clarke	500.00
Colgate Palmolive	100.00
Country Women's Association	5.00
The Guardians	222.49
Louisa Henty's Estate	200.00
Hospitals and Charities Race Meeting	25.00
Hospitals and Charities Sunday Committee	384.75
Misses M. Hurley, D. Hurley and E. Metzner	22.45
Misses A. Ley and E. Metzner	6.00
Mrs. L. Mason	30.00
Misses E. Metzner and S. Hetrel	20.22
Pethard Tarax Charitable Trust	250.00
The Ian Potter Foundation	500.00
Mr. & Mrs. R. Rapke	10.00
Mrs. W. Stephens	45.46
Sun "Sunball"	150.00
George Turner (Customs) Pty.Ltd.	100.00
J.B. Were & Son	50.00
	<u>\$2930.37</u>
Lord Mayor's Fund	2215.75
Lord Mayor's Fund	
The William Angliss (Victoria) Charitable Fund	1000.00
	<u>\$6146.12</u>

DONATIONS TO BUILDING FUND

A.C.I. Ltd.	100.00
Estate of the Late George Adams	250.00
Mrs. N.P. Andrews	30.00
Percy Baxter Charitable Fund	500.00
The Broken Hill Proprietary Company Ltd.	500.00
William Buckland Foundation	4000.00
Fred J. Cato Charitable Fund	20.00
Coles & Garrard (Aust.) Pty.Ltd.	100.00
G.J. Coles & Coy.Ltd.	100.00
Sidney Cooke	25.00
Cyclone Company of Australia Ltd.	120.00
The Danks Trust	500.00
Estate of the Late Alfred Edments	250.00
Electrolytic Zinc Company	100.00
Felton Bequest	700.00
The Sidney Myer Charity Trust	1000.00
The Nestle Company of Australia Ltd.	200.00
Estate of the Late Dr. R.A. Parker	500.00
Ian Potter Foundation	500.00
The Shell Company of Australia Ltd.	200.00
R.H. Tolley & Gardner Pty.Ltd.	50.00
Estate of the Late Henry Giles Turner	150.00
Truby & Florence Williams Charitable Trust	100.00
	<u>\$9995.00</u>

AUXILIARY EFFORTS

Birralee Committee	3000.00
Mrs. I. Rice and Committee	5333.65
The Pied Pipers Committee	9500.00
	<u>\$27828.65</u>

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

The following Table shows the Income and Expenditure in connection with the maintenance for each of the past five years, together with statistics relating to patients:

	<u>1971</u>	<u>1972</u>	<u>1973</u>	<u>1974</u>	<u>1975</u>
<u>INCOME</u>					
Government Grants	58,079	56,480	96,415	126,684	177,504
Department of Health	13,300	13,300	13,300	17,500	21,700
Dept. of Health - Lecturing Sister	1,200	1,200	1,200	-	-
Infant Welfare Health Centre					
Municipal Grants	2,481	1,988	1,928	2,800	3,000
Hospital Sunday & Lord Mayor's Fund	2,135	2,475	3,750	4,980	3,826
Donations	6,031	4,730	6,626	7,885	6,085
Patients Fees	42,679	77,858	87,678	116,913	176,740
Trainees Fees	789	630	651	672	672
Child Endowment	721	1,126	700	835	572
Miscellaneous	65	-	-	6	65
Isabel Younger Ross Memorial Hall	-	(417)	338	(1,256)	(1,646)
	<u>127,480</u>	<u>159,370</u>	<u>212,586</u>	<u>277,019</u>	<u>388,518</u>
<u>EXPENDITURE</u>					
Salaries & Wages	83,366	99,885	149,716	199,234	291,111
Administrative	6,091	8,254	9,268	14,545	11,528
Dietary & Housekeeping	26,875	29,038	29,191	36,226	45,440
Linen, Laundry & Sewing	7,409	7,450	9,602	12,617	17,585
Power, Lighting & Heating	6,423	6,128	7,599	8,063	10,054
Maintenance	3,461	3,521	3,278	6,350	6,362
Medical & Surgical	1,538	857	1,730	1,605	1,635
	<u>135,163</u>	<u>155,133</u>	<u>210,384</u>	<u>278,640</u>	<u>383,715</u>
<u>STATISTICAL</u>					
Total Bed Capacity for Nursing Mothers			8		
Total Cot Capacity - Toddlers 1-2 years			26		
Pre-School -over 3 years			2		
<u>DAILY AVERAGE of occupied beds and cots during the year:</u>					
Nursing Mothers	2.4				
Other Mothers	1.7				
State Wards - Boys	2.9				
State Wards - Girls	2.6				
Other - Boys	5.4				
Other - Girls	6.4				
<u>Admission to Hospital</u>					
Mothers	218				
Babies	353				
Total Patients	<u>571</u>				

Number of Lectures given in each course of Infant Welfare training:

Ante-natal	10
Post natal	25
Posture Work	2
Public Speaking	3
Demonstrations	12

Infant Mortality Rate 14.94 per 1,000 live births

Neo-natal Mortality Rate 10.88 per 1,000 live births

AIMS AND OBJECTS OF THE

ASSOCIATION

1. To safeguard the health of mothers and babies.
2. To encourage the breast feeding of infants.
3. To equip and maintain a Hospital for Mothers and Babies, and Infant Welfare and Mothercraft Training School, with Model Baby Health Centre for:
  - (a) The special training of Infant Welfare Sisters and Mothercraft Nurses.
  - (b) The provision of education for mothers with a view to enabling them to bring up their children in accordance with modern health principles.
  - (c) The provision of accommodation for the education and care of mothers and babies, especially nursing mothers, and for difficult, delicate or premature babies who may require special investigation and expert care in regard to their rearing and to provide temporary emergency care for mothers and babies or temporary care for children in time of family crisis.
4. To establish and operate a Day Care Centre for the care and education of children.
5. To arrange for organised teaching to women on the care of the -
  - (a) expectant mother,
  - (b) the mother, and
  - (c) the childrenand to disseminate such knowledge by every available means.
6. To co-operate with all present or future organisations working for the same object.