Financial Statements June 30, 2021 and 2020



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Independent Auditors' Report

Board of Directors
National Down Syndrome Society

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of National Down Syndrome Society, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2021, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of National Down Syndrome Society as of June 30, 2021 and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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Report on Summarized Comparative Information

We have previously audited National Down Syndrome Society's 2020 financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those audited financial statements in our report dated November 11, 2020. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

Masais USA LLP

November 18, 2021

Statements of Financial Position June 30, 2021 (With Summarized Comparative Information for 2020)

	2021	2020	
Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,331,021	\$ 1,109,813	
Contributions receivable	46,490	47,715	
Investments, at fair value	13,795,485	11,077,616	
Prepaid expenses and other assets	75,052	146,797	
Property and equipment, net	16,117	15,262	
Total assets	\$ 15,264,165	\$ 12,397,203	
Liabilities and Net Assets			
Liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 179,446	\$ 172,028	
Notes payable - SBA	212,805	219,087	
Deferred rent	86,264	94,245	
Deferred revenue	67,169	168,283	
Total liabilities	545,684	653,643	
Net Assets			
Without donor restrictions:			
Undesignated	3,726,276	2,960,664	
Designated by the Board for endowment	9,192,680_	7,359,839	
	12,918,956	10,320,503	
With donor restrictions:			
Time and purpose restrictions	726,084	349,616	
Endowment fund	1,073,441	1,073,441	
	1,799,525	1,423,057	
Total net assets	14,718,481	11,743,560	
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 15,264,165	\$ 12,397,203	

Statements of Activities Year Ended June 30, 2021 (With Summarized Comparative Information for 2020)

		With Donor Re	estrictions		
	Without Donor	Program and Time	Endowment	To	otal
	Restrictions	Restrictions	Funds	2021	2020
Developed Other Comment					
Revenue and Other Support Contributions	\$ 1,945,771	\$ 173,951	\$ -	\$ 2,119,722	\$ 1,923,558
National Buddy Walk	φ 1,945,771	15,267	Φ -	15,267	377,793
In-kind contributions	210,118	15,207	-	210,118	227,318
Special events \$ 556,876	210,110	-	-	210,110	221,310
Less: direct benefit costs (140,945)	415,931			415,931	370,432
Note payable forgiveness	219,087		_	219,087	570,432
Miscellaneous income	15,470		_	15,470	16,097
Net assets released from restrictions	154,901	(154,901)	_	10,470	10,037
Total revenue and other support	2,961,278	34,317		2,995,595	2,915,198
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Expenses					
Program services	000 440			000 440	744 700
Policy and advocacy	683,442	-	-	683,442	714,730
Resources and support	521,986	-	-	521,986	486,666
Community engagement	959,854			959,854	961,274
Total program services	2,165,282			2,165,282	2,162,670
Support services					
Management and general	285,622	-	-	285,622	332,920
Fundraising	309,460	_	-	309,460	352,034
Total supporting services	595,082			595,082	684,954
Total expenses	2,760,364			2,760,364	2,847,624
Change in net assets before investment income	200,914	34,317		235,231	67,574
Investment income, net	2,397,539	342,151	_	2,739,690	502,179
Change in net assets	2,598,453	376,468		2,974,921	569,753
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Net assets, beginning of year	10,320,503	349,616	1,073,441	11,743,560	11,173,807
Net assets, end of year	\$ 12,918,956	\$ 726,084	\$ 1,073,441	\$ 14,718,481	\$ 11,743,560
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Statements of Functional Expenses Year Ended June 30, 2021 (With Summarized Comparative Information for 2020)

		Program	Services		Supporting Services			Total		
	Policy	Resources			Management		Direct			
	and	and	Community		and		Expenses of			
	Advocacy	Support	Engagement	Total	General	Fundraising	Special Events	2021	2020	
Salaries	\$ 272,352	\$ 268,501	\$ 404,622	\$ 945,475	\$ 67,895	\$ 87,043	\$ -	\$ 1,100,413	\$ 943,552	
Payroll taxes and employee benefits	39,931	39,365	59,325	138,621	9,953	12,762	<u>-</u>	161,336	138,905	
Total personnel costs	312,283	307,866	463,947	1,084,096	77,848	99,805	-	1,261,749	1,082,457	
Printing publication and films	18,171	15,712	81,935	115,818	4,071	42,439	_	162,328	266,597	
Website	16,628	8,317	21,564	46,509	3,225	1,996	_	51,730	46,144	
Grants and awards	6,253	39,693	41,890	87,836	2,817	1,965	_	92,618	26,047	
Affiliate support	1,350	725	1,325	3,400	100	-	_	3,500	14,740	
Consultants	209,383	49,758	166,836	425,977	19,861	54,831	_	500,669	425,716	
Professional fees	35,091	29,507	30,733	95,331	135,742	33,422	-	264,495	225,371	
Travel and meetings	2,315	964	7,859	11,138	6,399	3,815	_	21,352	153,346	
Conferences	2,806	1,967	10,293	15,066	1,400	· -	_	16.466	122,337	
Team NDSS Race entrees and food	-	-	15,164	15,164	_	2,676	_	17,840	36,828	
Facilities and food costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	78,473	78,473	210,468	
Donated goods, supplies and services	_	_	_	_	_	_	62,472	62,472	132,623	
Equipment leasing	1,929	1,901	2,866	6,696	481	616	_	7,793	10,500	
Supplies	475	475	12,722	13,672	2,852	5,724	_	22,248	7,229	
Computer and technology	8,220	8,103	12,213	28,536	2,049	2,627	_	33,212	38,233	
Postage and delivery	675	5,402	5,402	11,479	1,464	675	_	13,618	17,267	
Telephone and internet	4,575	4,575	4,575	13,725	4,575	6,375	-	24,675	38,533	
Occupancy charges	30,474	30,043	45,273	105,790	7,597	9,739	_	123,126	171,854	
Repairs and service contracts	1,115	1,099	1,659	3,873	278	356	-	4,507	5,065	
Insurance	1,175	1,175	1,175	3,525	3,133	1,175	_	7,833	7,663	
Bank and credit card fees	3,452	3,452	6,904	13,808	1,860	20,713	_	36,381	41,673	
Dues and subscriptions	18,949	3,232	12,368	34,549	1,758	13,904	-	50,211	55,073	
Miscellaneous	5,962	5,889	9,940	21,791	7,573	5,916	_	35,280	30,174	
Depreciation and amortization	2,161	2,131	3,211	7,503	539	691		8,733	24,777	
Total	683,442	521,986	959,854	2,165,282	285,622	309,460	140,945	2,901,309	3,190,715	
Less: Special events							(140,945)	(140,945)	(343,091)	
Total expenses	\$ 683,442	\$ 521,986	\$ 959,854	\$ 2,165,282	\$ 285,622	\$ 309,460	\$ -	\$ 2,760,364	\$ 2,847,624	

Statements of Cash Flows Year Ended June 30, 2021 (With Summarized Comparative Information for 2020)

	2021			2020	
Cash flows from operating activities					
Change in net assets	\$	2,974,921	\$	569,753	
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net					
cash and cash equivalents provided by operating activities:					
Note payable - SBA forgiveness		(219,087)		-	
Depreciation and amortization		8,733		24,777	
Net realized and unrealized gain on investments		(2,490,631)		(244,045)	
Deferred rent		(7,981)		(9,840)	
Increase (decrease) in cash resulting from changes in operating assets and liabilities:					
Contributions receivable		1,225		49,526	
Prepaid expenses and other assets		71,745		14,229	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		7,418		3,324	
Deferred revenue		(101,114)		70,543	
Net cash provided by operating activities		245,229		478,267	
Cash flows from investing activities					
Purchases of investments		(299,564)		(258, 135)	
Proceeds from sales of investments		72,326		73,383	
Purchases of property and equipment		(9,588)		(3,655)	
Net cash used in investing activities		(236,826)		(188,407)	
Cash flows provided by financing activities					
Proceeds from notes payable - SBA		212,805		219,087	
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		221,208		508,947	
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Cash and cash equivalents					
Beginning		1,109,813		600,866	
Ending	\$	1,331,021	\$	1,109,813	

Notes to Financial Statements Years Ended June 30, 2021 and 2020

1. Nature of Organization

Business Description

The National Down Syndrome Society ("NDSS") was established as an incorporated Delaware-based nonprofit organization in June 1979. NDSS is the leading human rights organization for all individuals with Down syndrome. NDSS envisions a world in which all people with Down syndrome have the opportunity to enhance their quality of life, realize their life aspirations and become valued members of welcoming communities.

NDSS supports and advocates for the Down syndrome community by focusing on three key areas of programming: Resources & Support, Policy & Advocacy, and Community Engagement. Within these focus areas NDSS engages in various activities, events and programs to fulfill the mission and vision of the organization.

RESOURCES & SUPPORT

NDSS is committed to providing individuals with Down syndrome, their families, caregivers and the public with comprehensive information across the lifespan, from birth to end of life. Through events, webinars, videos, publications and NDSS's website, NDSS provides free resources on a variety of topics including information for new and expectant parents, health and wellness, education and employment. Through NDSS's helpline and info email, NDSS answers thousands of requests for support each year. NDSS's staff responds to questions and connects parents, professionals, self-advocates and others with referrals, including to NDSS's network of more than 300 local Down syndrome organizations.

ADVOCACY & POLICY

The NDSS Advocacy & Public Policy Program champions federal, state and local policies that positively impact all people with Down syndrome across the country. Through NDSS's grassroots advocacy programs, NDSS works with Congress and federal agencies, as well as state and local officials, to develop and improve laws, regulations and policies for the benefit of the Down syndrome community. NDSS also empowers self-advocates, parents and others to influence policy themselves. The NDSS legislative agenda spans the life experience of individuals with Down syndrome from birth to adulthood, centered on five important areas: healthcare and research, education, economic self-sufficiency, community integration and employment.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The Down syndrome community is the heart of NDSS. NDSS's community engagement events and activities celebrate NDSS's loved ones with Down syndrome, raise awareness and acceptance among the general public and connect individuals and families within the community. Through NDSS's scholarships, grants and awards program, NDSS supports individuals with Down syndrome in pursuing their dreams. Started in 1995, the National Buddy Walk® Program promotes acceptance and inclusion of people with Down syndrome and raises funds for local and national organizations that support the community. Additionally, NDSS hosts awareness and engagement events throughout the country including NDSS's Times Square Video presentation and New York City Buddy Walk®, Racing for 3.21 on World Down Syndrome Day, Run for 3.21, DC Golf Outing, annual NDSS Gala & Auction and more.

The organization is funded primarily by contributions and special events.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Basis of Presentation

The financial statements have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Net Assets

The net assets of NDSS and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions – Net assets without donor restrictions are available for use at the discretion of the Board of Directors (the "Board") and/or management for general operating purposes. The Board may designate a portion of these net assets for a specific purpose which makes them unavailable for use at management's discretion.

See Note 6 for more information on the composition of board-designated net assets.

Net Assets With Donor Restrictions – Net assets with donor restrictions consist of assets whose use is limited by donor-imposed, time and/or purpose restrictions.

NDSS reports gifts of cash and other assets as with donor restrictions if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or a purpose restriction is accomplished, the net assets are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

Some net assets with donor restrictions include a stipulation that assets provided be maintained in perpetuity while permitting NDSS to expend the income generated by the assets in accordance with the provisions of additional donor-imposed stipulations of a Board approved spending policy.

See Note 7 for more information on the composition of net assets with donor restrictions and the release of restrictions.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

NDSS considers all highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

NDSS maintains cash in several bank accounts which, at times, may exceed federally-insured limits. NDSS has not experienced any losses in such accounts.

Investments

Investments are valued at fair value, which is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Realized and unrealized gains and losses are included with investment income in the statements of activities.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciation and amortization of property and equipment is being provided for by the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the related assets. NDSS's policy is to capitalize individual property and equipment expenditures in excess of \$500 and a useful life of two or more years.

NDSS capitalizes all costs related to the development of internal use software other than those incurred during the application development stage which are expensed as incurred. Costs incurred during the application development stage which are required to be capitalized are amortized over the estimated useful life of the software.

Deferred Rent

The operating lease for New York office space includes scheduled rent increases during the term. Rental expenses on this lease is recognized on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease. The difference between the straight-line rent expense and rent paid out according to the terms of the lease is recorded as deferred rent in the accompanying statements of financial position.

Contributions Receivable

Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at net realizable value. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected in future years are recorded at the present value of their estimated future cash flows discounted to fair value using an appropriate interest rate applicable to the years in which the promises are received. Conditional promises to give are not included as support until the conditions are substantially met and are reflected as deferred revenue in the accompanying statements of financial position.

At June 30, 2021, all contributions receivable are expected to be collected within one year, therefore, an allowance for doubtful contributions has not been provided.

Contributed Goods and Services

Contributed services or the use of equipment, materials or facilities at less than fair value are recorded at their fair value in accordance with professional standards, if the services (a) create or enhance non-financial assets or (b) require specialized skills, are performed by people with those skills, and would otherwise be purchased by NDSS. Contributed goods and materials are recorded at their fair value when they are promised.

The amount applicable to in-kind contributions is reflected in the financial statements as both support and expenses as follows for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020:

	2021		2020	
Consultation and personnel fees	\$	128,038	\$	94,695
Golf outing		-		9,195
NYC Times Square video		17,600		38,258
Annual benefit auction items		44,972		77,820
Run for 3.21 gear and supplies		16,678		-
Other		2,830		7,350
Total in-kind contributions	\$	210,118	\$	227,318

Functional Allocation of Expenses

The statements of functional expenses present expenses by function and natural classification. Expenses directly attributable to a specific functional area of NDSS are reported as expenses of those functional areas. A portion of management and general costs that benefit multiple functional areas (indirect costs) have been allocated across programs and other supporting services based on the proportion of full-time employee equivalents of a program or other supporting service versus the total organizational full-time employee equivalents.

Reclassifications

Certain prior year amounts have been reclassified, where appropriate, to conform to the current year presentation.

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

NDSS follows the accounting standards for fair value measurement and disclosures for financial assets and liabilities which clarify the definition of fair value, prescribe methods for measuring fair value, establish a fair value hierarchy based on the inputs used to measure fair value and expand disclosure about the use of fair value measurements. The following table presents financial assets that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis and are categorized using the fair value hierarchy. The fair value hierarchy has three levels based on the reliability of the inputs used to determine fair value.

		Fair Value Measurements at June 30, 2021					
		Quoted Prices in Active Markets for		0		Signif	icant
						Unobse	ervable
		Identical Assets		ts Inputs		Inputs	
	Total		(Level 1)	(Lev	el 2)	(Lev	el 3)
Assets:							
Mutual Funds - Fixed Income	\$ 4,434,513	\$	4,434,513	\$	-	\$	-
Mutual Funds - Equities (a)	9,360,972		9,360,972				_
	\$ 13,795,485	\$	13,795,485	\$	-	\$	_

(a) Mutual Funds - Equities are primarily comprised of U.S. Large Cap, Mid Cap and International Developed Funds

		Fair Value Measurements at June 30, 2020					
		Qua	Quoted Prices in Significant Other		Signifi	cant	
		Activ	ve Markets for	Obser	vable	Unobse	rvable
		Ide	dentical Assets Inputs		Inputs		
	Total		(Level 1) (Level 2)		el 2)	(Level 3)	
Assets:							
Mutual Funds - Fixed Income	\$ 4,101,059	\$	4,101,059	\$	-	\$	-
Mutual Funds - Equities (a)	6,976,557		6,976,557				-
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	\$ 11,077,616	\$	11,077,616	\$		\$	

⁽a) Mutual Funds - Equities are primarily comprised of U.S. Large Cap, Mid Cap and International Developed Funds

3. Investments

Investments consist of the following at June 30,:

		2021	2020			
	Cost	Fair Value	Cost	Fair Value		
Mutual funds - equities Mutual funds - fixed income	\$ 6,223,58 4,369,78 \$ 10,593,36	4,434,513	\$ 6,124,292 3,928,730 \$ 10,053,022	\$ 6,976,557 4,101,059 \$ 11,077,616		

As of June 30, 2021, the following NDSS's investments were in excess of 10% of the fair value of its portfolio:

Vanguard Total Stock Market Index Fund Admiral Shares	41%
Vanguard Total International Stock Index Fund Admiral Shares	27%
Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund Admiral Shares	11%

Investment income includes the following for the years ended June 30,:

	 2021	2020
Interest and dividends	\$ 272,256	\$ 273,714
Unrealized gains	2,177,525	207,631
Realized gain	313,106	36,413
Investment fees	 (23, 197)	(15,579)
	\$ 2,739,690	\$ 502,179

4. Property and Equipment, Net

Property and equipment, at cost, consists of the following at June 30,:

	2021			2020	Depreciation/ Amortization Period
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	\$	9,820	\$	9.820	3 5 years
	φ	,	φ	-,	3-5 years
Computer software/website		72,917		89,636	3-5 years
		82,737		99,456	
Less: accumulated depreciation and					
amortization		(66,620)		(84, 194)	
	\$	16,117	\$	15,262	

Depreciation and amortization amounted to approximately \$9,000 and \$25,000 for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

5. Liquidity and Availability of Resources

NDSS's financial assets available within one year of the statements of financial position date for general expenditures is as follows:

June 30,	2021	2020
Cash and cash equivalents Contributions receivable Investments	\$ 1,331,021 46,490 13,795,485	\$ 1,109,813 47,715 11,077,616
Total Financial assets available within one year	15,172,996	12,235,144
Less:		12,200,111
Amounts unavailable for general expenditures within one year, due to:		
Donor-imposed restrictions:		
Endowment funds	(1,073,441)	(1,073,441)
Restricted by donors with purpose restrictions Total amounts unavailable for general	(726,084)	(349,616)
expenditures within one year Amounts unavailable to management without	(1,799,525)	(1,423,057)
Boards approval: Board designated for capital reserves	(9,192,680)	(7,359,839)
Total financial assets available to management		
general expenditures within one year	\$ 4,180,791	\$ 3,452,248

Liquidity Management

Endowment funds consist of donor-restricted endowments and board-designated endowments. Income from donor-restricted endowments that is restricted for specific purposes is not available for general expenditure. As described in Note 6, NDSS's board-designated endowment can be made available, if needed, an annual appropriation of 4%. Although NDSS does not intend to spend from this board-designated endowment (other than the amounts appropriated per the board's annual appropriation), these amounts could be made available if necessary.

As part of NDSS's liquidity management, it maintains a policy of structuring its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations become due.

6. Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions- Board Designated

Board designated endowment – NDSS Board of Directors and Leadership designated funds with the goal of investing significant resources into NDSS's mission and programs and allowing local Down syndrome affiliates and Buddy Walks to maintain additional local resources and expand their programs in advocacy and employment for all people with Down syndrome. Net Assets without donor restrictions designated by the Board for endowment amounted to \$9,192,680 and \$7,359,839 as of as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

7. Net Assets With Donor Restrictions – Time and Purpose

Net assets with donor restrictions at June 30, 2021 and 2020 are available for the following purposes or periods:

	2021		 2020	
Endowment Funds:				
Hamilton Testamentary Trust	\$	541,053	\$ 270,111	
Weaver Fund		20,935	12,642	
Total Endowment Funds		561,988	282,753	
O'Neill - Tabani Scholarship Program		107,291	66,185	
Entrepreneurship Fund		30,000	-	
Vaccine Access Fund		23,888	-	
DS Works Program		2,239	-	
Ethan Saylor Memorial Fund		678	 678	
	\$	726,084	\$ 349,616	

Net assets with donor restrictions were released from donor restrictions by incurring expenses satisfying the following restricted purposes specified by the donor during the years ended June 30,:

	2021		2020	
National Buddy Walks	\$	15.267	\$	377,793
O'Neill - Tabani Scholarship Program	Ψ	21,500	Ψ	25,000
Research Innovation and Discovery Fund		50,000		50,000
Hamilton Testamentary Trust		50,817		48,384
DS Works Program		1,205		3,000
Brandon Gruber Scholarship Fund		-		3,000
Inclusive Education		-		3,606
Entrepreneurship Fund		5,000		-
Vaccine Access Fund		11,112		-
Time restrictions				185,000
	\$	154,901	\$	695,783

8. Endowment Funds

Donor restricted endowment net assets are restricted to investments in perpetuity, the income from which is available for the following purposes at June 30,:

	2021		2020	
Hamilton Testamentary Trust (1) William B. Weaver Conference	\$	1,052,625	\$	1,052,625
Scholarship Fund		20,816		20,816
	\$	1,073,441	\$	1,073,441

(1) Restricted bequest, from the estate of Jane Hamilton Warriner, whose income is to be used exclusively to support research into the behavior, cognitive development and related treatment for children and adults with Down syndrome.

NDSS's endowment consists of two donor-restricted endowment funds. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, net assets associated with endowment funds, including funds designated by the Board of Directors to function as endowments, are classified and reported on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

The Board of Directors of NDSS has interpreted the New York Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act ("NYPMIFA") as requiring the preservation of the fair value of the original gift as of the gift date of donor-restricted endowment funds absent explicit donor stipulations to the contrary. As a result of this interpretation, NDSS classifies endowment funds as (a) the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the permanent endowment, and (c) accumulations to the permanent endowment made in accordance with the direction of the applicable donor gift instrument at the time the accumulation is added to the fund. The remaining portion of the donor-restricted endowment fund that is not classified in permanently restricted net assets is classified as temporarily restricted net assets until those amounts are appropriated for expenditure by NDSS in a manner consistent with the standard of prudence prescribed by NYPMIFA.

In accordance with NYPMIFA, NDSS considers the following factors in making a determination to appropriate or accumulate donor-restricted endowment funds:

- (1) The duration and preservation of the fund
- (2) The purpose of NDSS and the donor-restricted endowment fund
- (3) General economic conditions
- (4) The possible effect of inflation or deflation
- (5) The expected total return from income and the appreciation of investments
- (6) Other resources of NDSS
- (7) Where appropriate and circumstances would otherwise warrant, alternative to expenditure of the endowment fund, giving due consideration to the effect that such alternatives may have had on NDSS
- (8) The investment policy of NDSS

Endowment Net Assets by Type of Fund as of June 30, 2021:

		With Donor		
	Without Donor			
	Restrictions	Purpose	Endowment	Total
Donor-restricted endowment funds	\$ 9,192,680	\$ 561,988	\$ 1,073,441	\$ 10,828,109

8. Endowment Funds – (Continued)

Endowment Net Assets by Type of Fund as of June 30, 2020:

		With Donor		
	Without Donor			
	Restrictions	Purpose	Endowment	Total
Donor-restricted endowment funds	\$ 7,359,839	\$ 282,753	\$ 1,073,441	\$ 8,716,033

Changes in Endowment Net Assets for the Year Ended June 30, 2021:

		With Donor	Restrictions	
	Without Donor Restrictions			
Endowment net assets, beginning of year	\$ 7,359,839	\$ 282,753	\$ 1,073,441	
Investment return: Interest and dividends Net appreciation (realized and unrealized) Investment fees Total investments return	181,490 1,666,849 (15,498) 1,832,841	33,132 299,681 (2,762) 330,051	- - - -	
Appropriation of endowment expenditure Net appropriations	<u>-</u>	(50,816) (50,816)		
Endowment net assets, end of year	\$ 9,192,680	\$ 561,988	\$ 1,073,441	

Changes in Endowment Net Assets for the Year Ended June 30, 2020:

		With Donor Restrictions		
	Without Donor Restrictions	Purpose	Endowment	
Endowment net assets, beginning of year	\$ 7,031,145	\$ 261,334	\$ 1,073,441	
Investment return:				
Interest and dividends	182,618	33,175	-	
Net appreciation (realized and unrealized)	156,431	38,529	-	
Investment fees	(10,355)	(1,901)	-	
Total investments return	328,694	69,803		
Appropriation of endowment expenditure	-	(48,384)	-	
Net appropriations		(48,384)		
Endowment net assets, end of year	\$ 7,359,839	\$ 282,753	\$ 1,073,441	

8. Endowment Funds – (Continued)

NDSS has adopted investment and spending policies for endowment assets that attempt to provide a predictable stream of funding to programs supported by its endowment while seeking to maintain the purchasing power of the endowment assets. Endowment assets include assets of donor-restricted funds that NDSS must hold in perpetuity. NDSS expects its endowment funds, over time, to provide an average rate of return of approximately 7.5% annually. Actual returns in a given year may vary from this amount.

To satisfy its long-term rate-of-return objectives, NDSS relies on a total return strategy in which investment returns are achieved through both capital appreciation (realized and unrealized) and current yield (interest and dividends). NDSS targets a diversified asset allocation that places a greater emphasis on equity-based investments to achieve its long-term return objectives within prudent risk constraints.

NDSS has a policy of appropriating for distribution each year 4% of its permanently restricted assets' average fair value based on a rolling 20 quarter average, plus investment custodial fees, through the calendar year end preceding the year in which the distribution is planned. In establishing this policy, NDSS considered the long-term expected return on its endowment. Accordingly, over the long-term, NDSS expects the current spending policy to allow its endowment to grow at an average of 3% annually. This is consistent with the NDSS's objective to maintain the purchasing power of the endowment assets held in perpetuity as well as to provide additional real growth through new gifts and investment return.

9. Pension

NDSS established a non-contributory defined contribution profit sharing plan covering all eligible employees. There was no contributions to the pension plan for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020.

10. Deferred Revenue

Deferred revenue represents conditional contributions and sponsorships for future events that will occur after June 30, 2021. These conditional contributions and sponsorships will have to be refunded if the events do not occur. Deferred revenue as of June 30, 2021 and 2020 was \$67,169 and \$168,283, respectively.

11. Notes Payable - SBA

On April 19, 2020, NDSS secured a loan from TD Bank, N.A. for \$219,087 through the U.S. Small Business Administration's Paycheck Protection Program (or "The First PPP Loan"). The First PPP Loan had an interest rate of 1% and was set to mature on April 19, 2022. On June 3, 2021, NDSS received a Notice of Paycheck Protection Program Forgiveness Payment from the Small Business Administration. The notice confirmed forgiveness of The First PPP Loan in the amount of \$219,087, which is recognized as revenue in the statement of activities for the year ended June 30, 2021.

On April 19, 2021, NDSS secured another loan from TD Bank, N.A. for \$212,805 through the U.S. Small Business Administration's Paycheck Protection Program (or "The Second PPP Loan"). The Second PPP Loan has an interest rate of 1% and matures on April 19, 2026. NDSS expects the full amount of The Second PPP Loan to be forgiven in accordance with the provision of the paycheck protection program.

NDSS is following the provisions of ASC 405-20-1 which states a debtor shall derecognize a liability if and only if it has been extinguished. A liability has been extinguished if either of the following conditions is met:

- > The debtor pays the creditor and is relieved of its obligation for the liability.
- > The debtor is legally released from being the primary obligor under the liability, either judicially or by the creditor.

Accordingly, NDSS will record forgiveness of debt for amounts forgiven under the Paycheck Protection Program when such amounts are formally forgiven.

12. Operating Leases

NDSS is under non-cancellable operating leases for office spaces in New York and Washington D.C. The office space lease for Washington D.C. expired on June 30, 2020. On April 1, 2021 NDSS entered into a new lease for office space in Washington D.C. for a term of 12-months. The New York office space lease expires on April 15, 2026. Rent expenses under the New York lease is subject to escalation for increases in electricity and real estate taxes. The New York lease contains rent abatements for twelve months of the first year. Future minimum rental payments under these leases, exclusive of the required payments for increases in electricity and real estate taxes for the next five years are as follows:

Years Ending June 30,

2022 2023 2024 2025 2026	-	\$ 115,983 112,973 116,362 119,853 107,613
		\$ 572,784

Rent expense is incurred on a straight-line basis over the terms of the lease, including the free rent period. Rent expense for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020 was approximately \$110,000 and \$164,000, respectively.

13. Contingencies

NDSS may be involved from time to time in litigation arising in the normal course of business, none of which is expected to have a material adverse effect on NDSS's financial position or results of their operations.

14. COVID-19

In early 2020, the emergence of the COVID-19 Coronavirus pandemic has led to significant disruption in the not-for-profit industry. For the year ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, NDSS has had to change in-person events to virtual events. NDSS is monitoring this evolving situation closely and evaluating its potential implications. As of the date of this report, it is uncertain what impact, if any, the disruption may have on the future operations of NDSS.

15. Subsequent Events

NDSS has evaluated subsequent events through November 18, 2021, the date the financial statements were available to be issued. All subsequent events requiring recognition or disclosure have been included in these financial statements.



