



Dementia Alliance
International

Annual Report 2024

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CHAIR'S REPORT



Alister Robertson
Chair of the Board

Overview

2024 was a year of both reflection and action for DAI, marked by strategic evaluation, leadership transitions, and financial sustainability challenges. The organization maintained its commitment to being led of, by and for people with dementia, while navigating the evolving funding landscape.

Strategic Initiatives

DAI continued to prioritize peer-to-peer support groups as the core

of its activities. It was determined that longer term funding was needed before embarking on a strategic plan for the next 3-5 years.

Leadership and Governance

The Board approved a structural change to introduce a Co-Chair role. The board was pleased to appoint Janine Whited as Co-Chair, with plans for a leadership transition at the next AGM.

The 2024 Board consisted of myself, Janine Whited, John Sandblom (until June 2024), Hom Shrestha, and Joanne Knapp-Philo, along with non-DAI members Patricia Bowen (Treasurer), Gary Johnson, and John Grosvenor.

Board membership fluctuated, with some resignations and new appointments, including Cheryl Williams and Dave Carpenter. The need for stronger engagement and clearer roles across committees remains an ongoing consideration.

CHAIR'S REPORT

Partnerships and Advocacy

DAI maintained dialogue with key partners:

- ADI: While our advisory role with ADI is diminishing, we continue to explore collaboration pathways.
- Dementia Australia: Productive conversations led to potential referral pathways for waitlisted individuals.

Janine Whited joined ADI's new lived experience advisory panel, signalling ongoing international engagement.

Funding and Financial Sustainability

With the end of ADI's annual grants and dwindling unrestricted income, DAI faces a critical need to diversify revenue. Key steps include:

- Launching Search Engine Optimisation -driven donation campaigns.
- To Promote legacy giving.
- Exploring partnerships with Alzheimer's Association chapters in the US.
- Initiating small-scale fundraisers through board and member networks.

We also had important discussions about a long-term sustainability plan, including potential merger scenarios or an exit strategy if funding challenges persist.

Operations and Activities

- **Café le Brain** continued monthly with improved attendance after an email issue was fixed whereby new members weren't being added to the mailing list.
- Support groups remained the heart of member engagement.

CHAIR'S REPORT

Looking Ahead

As my term as Chair and Co-Chair concludes, I remain hopeful for DAI's future. The organization's strength lies in its authenticity, its members, and its commitment to lived experience. The coming year will demand bold decisions, clear messaging, and strong partnerships to ensure sustainability and continued impact.

I thank the board, and especially Annika—for their dedication throughout 2024. I look forward to supporting the transition of a new board and ensuring the continued success of DAI.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'ARL' followed by a horizontal flourish.

Alister Robertson

Chair, DAI Board of Directors

DEMENTIA ALLIANCE INTERNATIONAL
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND ACCOUNTANT'S COMPILATION REPORT
YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND 2023

Durio & Korpai, P.C.
Certified Public Accountants

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ACCOUNTANT'S COMPILATION REPORT

Board of Directors
Dementia Alliance International

Management is responsible for the accompanying financial statements of Dementia Alliance International (a non-profit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of activities and functional expenses for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have performed a compilation engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. We did not audit or review the financial statements nor were we required to perform any procedures to verify the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by management. We do not express an opinion, a conclusion, nor provide any assurance on these financial statements.

Management has elected to omit the statements of cash flows for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023, and substantially all the disclosures required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. If the omitted statements and disclosures were included in the financial statements, they might influence the user's conclusions about the organization's financial position, results of operations, and cash flows. Accordingly, the financial statements are not designed for those who are not informed about such matters.

We are not independent in regards to Dementia Alliance International.

Durio & Korpai, P.C.

May 12, 2025

DEMENTIA ALLIANCE INTERNATIONAL
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
December 31, 2024 and 2023

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
<u>ASSETS</u>		
ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 132,831	\$ 174,983
Accounts receivable	<u>50,000</u>	<u>50,000</u>
Total Assets	<u><u>\$ 182,831</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 224,983</u></u>
<u>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</u>		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$ 500	\$ 500
Total Liabilities	<u>500</u>	<u>500</u>
NET ASSETS		
Without donor restrictions	<u>182,331</u>	<u>224,483</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>182,331</u>	<u>224,483</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u><u>\$ 182,831</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 224,983</u></u>

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DEMENTIA ALLIANCE INTERNATIONAL**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**

Years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023

	2024	2023
	Without	Without
	Donor	Donor
	<u>Restrictions</u>	<u>Restrictions</u>
REVENUES AND OTHER SUPPORT		
Contributions and grants	\$ 15,663	\$ 88,460
Total Revenues & Support	<u>15,663</u>	<u>88,460</u>
EXPENSES		
Program Services:		
Peer-to-Peer Support Groups	<u>48,923</u>	<u>47,166</u>
Supporting Services:		
Management and general	8,892	9,455
Fund raising	-	-
	<u>8,892</u>	<u>9,455</u>
Total Expenses	<u>57,815</u>	<u>56,621</u>
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(42,152)	31,839
NET ASSETS - BEGINING OF YEAR	<u>224,483</u>	<u>192,644</u>
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 182,331</u>	<u>\$ 224,483</u>

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Statement of Functional Expenses

Years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023

	<u>Program Services</u>	<u>Supporting Services</u>		<u>Total</u>
		<u>Management & General</u>	<u>Fund- Raising</u>	
<u>2024</u>				
Communications	\$ 3,657	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,657
Information technology	1,741			1,741
Conferences	1,000			1,000
Membership Support Consultant	42,525			42,525
Credit card processing and bank fees		988		988
Accounting		7,100		7,100
Office expenses	-	804	-	804
	<u>\$ 48,923</u>	<u>\$ 8,892</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 57,815</u>
<u>2023</u>				
Communications	\$ 3,247	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,247
Information technology	4,353			4,353
Membership Support Consultant	38,609			38,609
Credit card processing and bank fees	957			957
Accounting		8,600		8,600
Office expenses	-	855	-	855
	<u>\$ 47,166</u>	<u>\$ 9,455</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 56,621</u>

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