



Knowledge Foundation

# ANNUAL REPORT 2009-2010

**QUALITY MEDICAL KNOWLEDGE FOUNDATION**

*Empowering the Medical Information User*

## **Dear Friends of QMed**

I am happy to share with all of you that in the second year of our establishment and work, we have scaled up our lectures and workshops to a good number, reaching out to nearly 1000 students & professionals with these. Nothing of course is “enough” for us, but we can move step by step, since our work depends on funding as well as the cooperation and participation from institutions. Two very important achievements this year are that I received a partial fellowship to attend the International Congress of Medical Librarianship in Brisbane Australia, an event where I get to learn lots more to come and share out here; and I was selected as an “investee” by UnLtd India – an organization that coaches Non-Profit Organizations to reach their full potential. Both these achievements this year, I am sure will do a lot to help us at QMed change things for you!

Vasumathi Sriganesh, CEO

## **Vision**

Health care services to society will be based on the effective utilization of the best available current evidence from systematic research.

## **Mission**

To enable health professionals, patients, health consumers and institutions working in the health care sector, to obtain the best evidence from systematic research, in order to ensure delivery and availability of optimal health care services.

## **Objectives**

- To create a change in the way medical information is utilized in academics, research and patient care
- To develop students to become health professionals who will access reliable, up-to-date and high quality medical information to facilitate research and better patient care
- To conduct training programs/teaching activities to equip students, faculty and researchers with skills needed for Evidence Based Practice
- To create high quality teaching aids to supplement training programs
- To enable health science librarians to improve information services by enhancing resource-sharing activities
- To assist healthcare institutions and professionals to create and host websites that present their expertise and services, and to actively promote this activity so that Indian health information is available globally
- To collaborate with individuals and organizations with similar goals

## Training Programs & Lectures Conducted in 2009-2010

### **Training Programs in Medical Colleges and Institutions**

This year we have trained around 1000 medical students and doctors across India. We have conducted around 35 training programs & lectures (26 training programs for nearly 600 participants and seven lectures for about 350 participants) on Literature Searching across the country. The training programs were held in Medical colleges and Institutes some of which are IKD Civil Hospital - Ahmedabad, Kempegowda Institute of Medical Sciences- Bengaluru, Columbia Asia Hospital - Bengaluru, Gandhi Medical College - Bhopal, AIIMS (Oncology Department – Delhi, Cancer Institute- Chennai, Chittaranjan National Cancer Institute-Kolkata K.J. Somaiya Medical College - Mumbai, Foundation for Medical Research- Mumbai and Regional Cancer Centre-Thiruvananthapuram.



**Vasumathi Sriganesh receiving the memento at Medicon 2009**

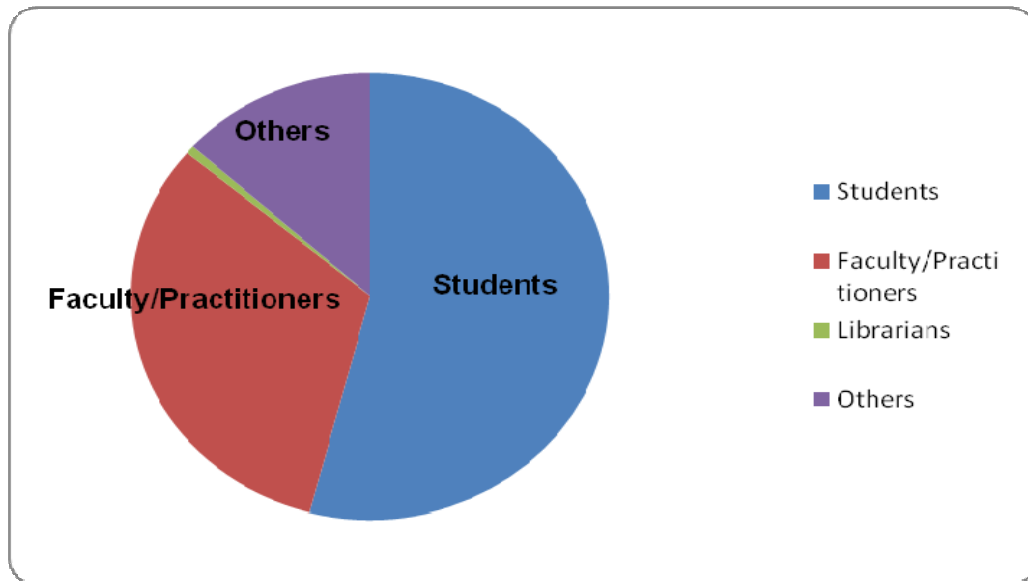
**Delivering the presentation at the The International Congress on Medical Librarianship at Brisbane**

### **Lectures at Workshops, Seminars, Courses & Conferences**

We also had lecture presentations in Medicon 2009-organized by INFORMER (an association for and by undergraduate medical students) at Mangalore, Journal of Postgraduate Medicine (JPGM) Workshop on Medical Writing, Workshop for FAIMER Fellows, Clinical Research Workshop and the CMC-SACN Evidence Informed Healthcare Winter Symposium. Our CEO also presented a paper in The International Congress on Medical Librarianship at Brisbane.

*One of the interesting lectures we delivered was on "Library Science as a Career Option" at a Career Guidance Workshop in Wilson College, Mumbai.*

## Who attended our Programs



## What people said about our training program

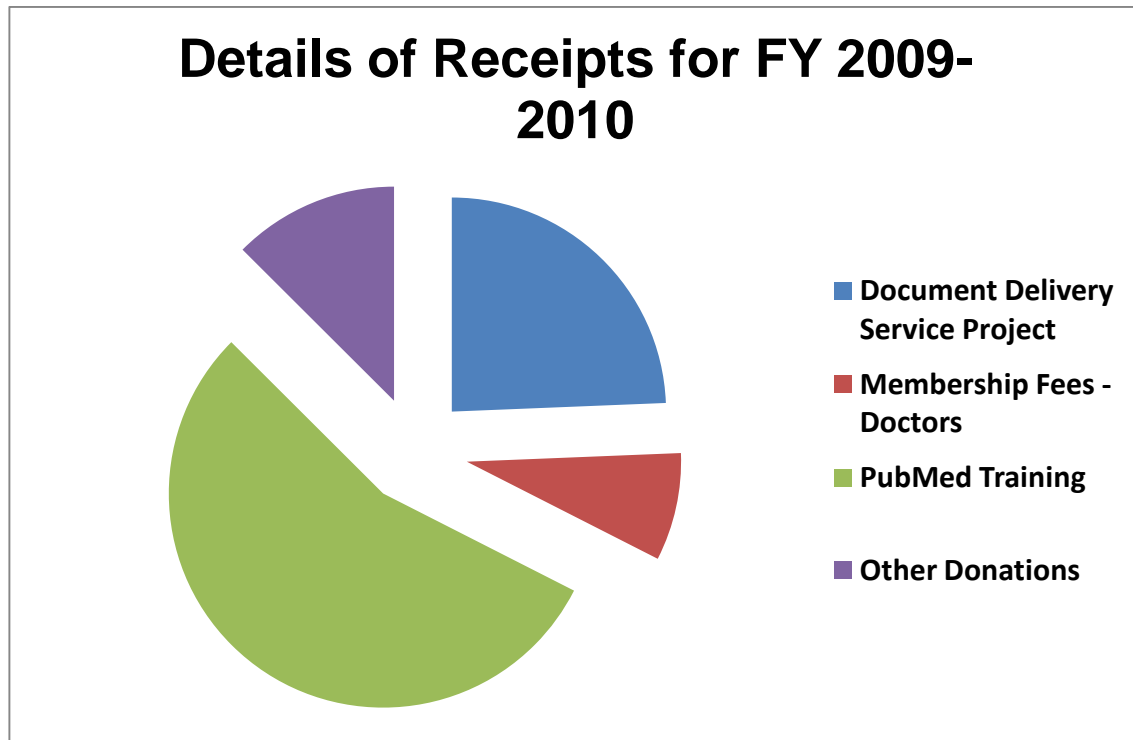
### Training Programs

- *Like the human mind, we have been using hardly 2% of PubMed functions. I wish I knew it earlier. This should be - must be - part of the PG syllabus and hopefully it will be by the same presenter.*  
**Sonal R. Bakshi, Gujarat Cancer Research Institute, Ahmedabad**
- *Very informative; will definitely help me to use PubMed more effectively & save time.* **Dr. Deepak Dabkara, PG Student, AIIMS, Delhi**
- *If I had learnt about this earlier I would have done a better justice to my thesis topic.*  
**Dr. S Saravanan, Faculty/Practitioner, Columbia Asia Hospital, Bangalore**
- *This program should become a compulsory part of undergraduate curriculum.*  
**Nitin Kekre, Faculty/Practitioner, CMC, Chennai**
- *This program was a great help to find my thesis topic & for further medical literature search. I wish this session find place in every PG student's life. THANKS.* **Kirti Rachwani, PG Student, Gandhi Medical College, Bhopal.**

## Other Outcomes Based on Training Programs & Lectures

**Document Delivery:** This year we delivered about 70 articles to our individual members and libraries, and 1260 articles to our corporate clients.

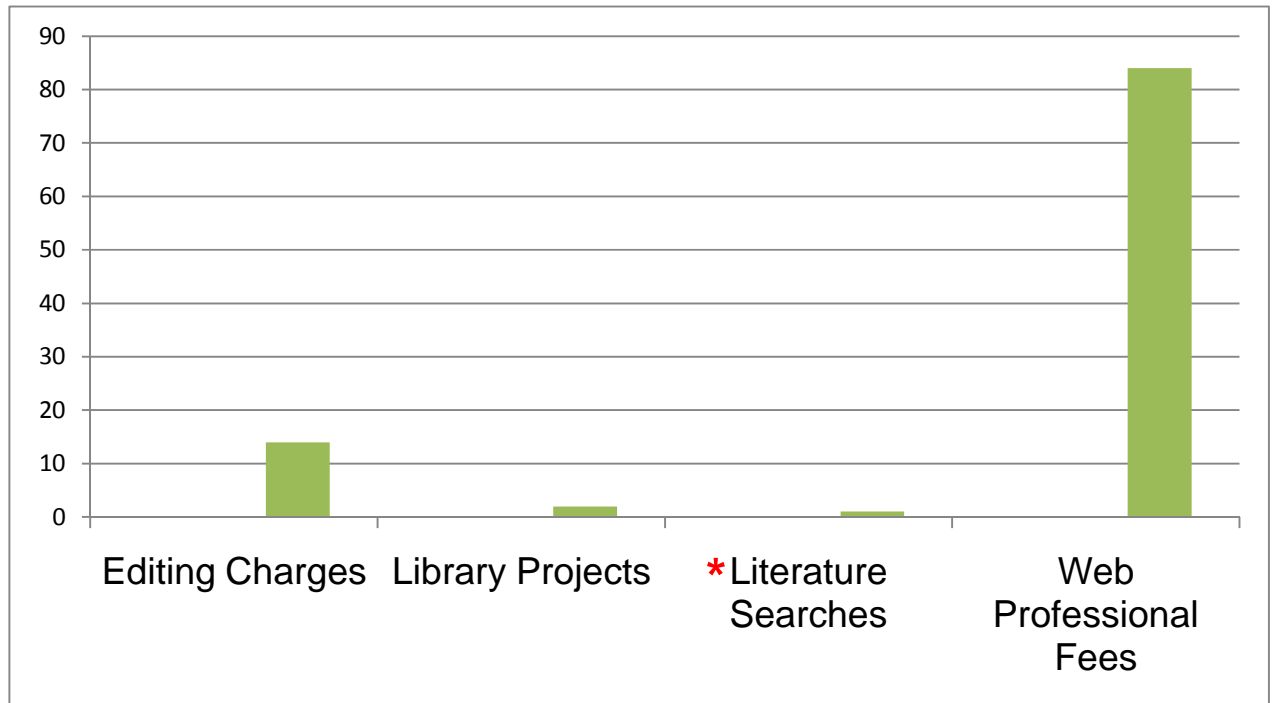
## Income



<i>Document Delivery Service Project</i>	Rs 1,23,514
<i>Membership Fees -Doctors</i>	Rs 41,279
<i>PubMed Training</i>	Rs 2,78,750
<i>Other Donations</i>	Rs 63,500

A dose of information

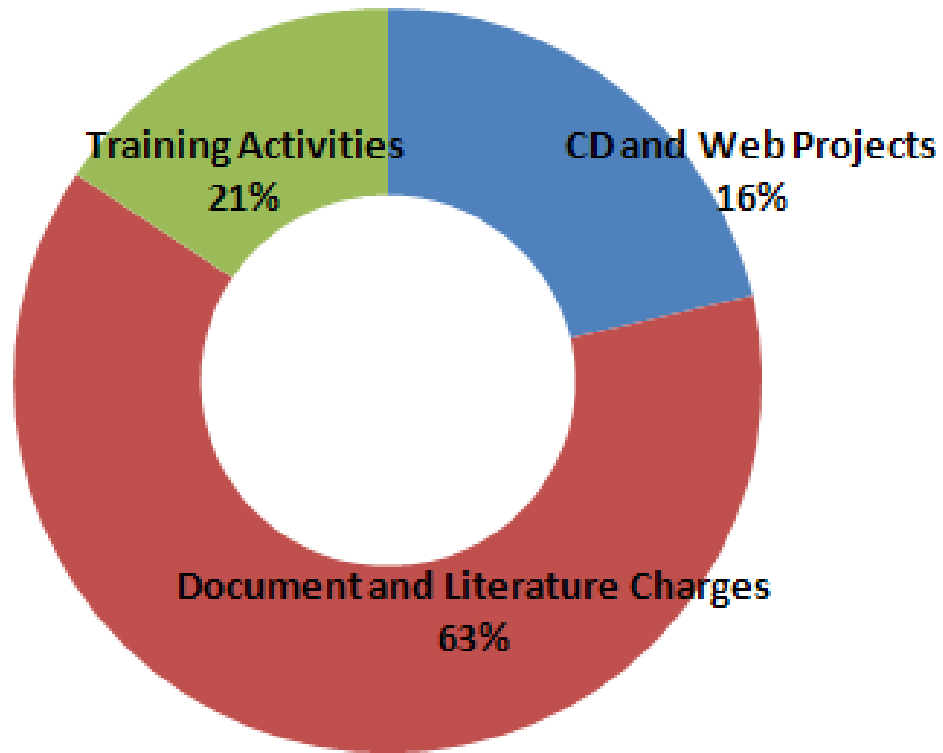
## Other Income Relating to Trust Objectives %



\* The searches lead to Document delivery projects

Expenses

**Distribution of Expenses relating to Medical Education**



## Financial Statements

### Balance Sheet as at 31<sup>st</sup> March 2011

The Bombay Public Trust Act, 1950

#### SCHEDULE - VIII

[Vide Rule 17(1)]

Name of Public Trust: **QUALITY MEDICAL KNOWLEDGE FOUNDATION**

Balance Sheet as at : **31st March 2010**

Registration No.: **E-24663 (MUM)**

FUNDS & LIABILITIES	Rs.	Rs.	PROPERTY AND ASSET	Rs.	Rs.
<b>Trusts Funds or Corpus :-</b>			<b>Immovable Properties :- ( At Cost )</b>		
Balance as per last Balance Sheet	57500		Balance as per last Balance Sheet		
Adjustment during the year (give details)	0		Additional during the year		
Corpus Donation Rcd	0	57500	Less: Sales during the year		
<b>Other Earmarked Funds</b>			Depreciation up to date		
( Created under the provisions of the trust deed of			<b>Investment :-</b>		
scheme or out of the Income )			<b>Note :</b> The Market value of the above investments		
Depreciation Fund			is Rs. ....		
Sinking Fund			<b>Furniture &amp; Fixtures :-</b>		
Reserve Fund Ashram Construction Fund			Balance as per last Balance Sheet		
Any other Fund			Additional during the year		
<b>Loans ( Secured or Unsecured ) :-</b>			Less: Sales during the year		
<b>From Trustees</b>		1080512	Depreciation up to date		
<b>From Others</b>			<b>Loans (Secured or Unsecured ) : Good/ doubtful</b>		
<b>Liabilities</b>			Loan Scholarships		
For Expenses		103682	Other Loans		
For Advances		141062	<b>Advance :-</b>		
For Rent and Other Deposits			To Trustees		
For Sundry Credit Balances		268965	To Employees		
<b>Income and Expenditure Account :-</b>			To Contractors		
Balance as per last Balance Sheet			To Lawyers		
<b>Less :</b> Appropriation, if any			To Others	452035	452035
<b>Less :</b> Deficit as per Income & Exp. A/C			<b>Income Outstanding</b>		
<b>Add :</b> Surplus as per Income & Exp. A/C			Rent		
			Interest	344736	344736
			Other Income		
			<b>Cash and Bank Balance :-</b>		
			(a) In Current Account with ..	56817	
			In Fixed Deposit Account with		
			(b) With the Trustee Cash on Hand		
			(c) With the manager Cash on Hand	10667	67484
			<b>Income and Expenditure Account :-</b>		
			Balance as per last Balance Sheet ..	826561	
			<b>Less :</b> Appropriation, if any ..		
			<b>Add :</b> Deficit as per Income & Expenditure Account		
			<b>Less :</b> surplus as per Income & Expenditure	39095	787466
			Account		
Total Rs.....		1651721	Total Rs.....		1651721



**SCHEDULE - IX**  
[Vide Rule 17(1)]

Name of Public Trust: **QUALITY MEDICAL KNOWLEDGE FOUNDATION**  
Income & Expenditure for the period ending : **31st March 2010**

Registration No. : **E-24663 (MUM)**

Expenditure	Rs.	Rs.	Income	Rs.	Rs.
			(accrued)		
<b>To Expenditure in Respect of properties</b>			<b>By Rent</b> -----		
Rates, Taxes, Cesses			(realised)		
Repairs & Maintenance					
Salaries			(accrued)		
Insurance			<b>By Interest (net)</b> -----		
Depreciation (by way of provision of adjustments)			(realised)		
Other Expenses			On Securities		
			On Loan		
<b>To Establishment Expenses (As per Sch 4)</b>		374541	On Bank Account & Bank FD		4239
<b>To Remuneration to Trustees</b>					
<b>To Remuneration</b> (in the case of a math) to the head of the math including his household expenditure, if any					
<b>To Legal Expenses</b>					
<b>To Audit Fees</b>		10000			
<b>To Contribution and Fees</b>			<b>By Dividend</b>		
<b>To Amount written off :</b>			<b>By Donations in Cash or kind (As per Sch 1)</b>		507043
(a) Bad Debts			<b>By Grants</b>		
(b) Loan Scholarship			<b>By Income From other sources (as per schedule 2)</b>		331030
(c) Irrecoverable Rents					
(d) Other Items					
<b>To Miscellaneous Expenses</b>			<b>By Transfer From Reserve</b>		0
<b>To Depreciation</b>			<b>By Deficit carried over to Balance Sheet</b>		
<b>To Amount Transferred to Reserve or Specific Funds</b>					
<b>To Expenditure on Objects of the Trust</b>					
(a) Religious					
(b) Educational <b>(As per Sch 3)</b>	418676				
(c) Medical Relief					
(d) Relief of Poverty					
(e) Other Charitable Objects					
	418676	418676			
<b>To Surplus carried over to Balance Sheet</b>		39095			
<b>Total Rs.....</b>		842312	<b>Total Rs.....</b>		842312

## Governance

<b>Trustees</b>	
Dr. Anand Shandilya, MD DCH	
Dr. Bhavin Jankharia, MD, DMRD	
P. Sriganesh, BSc, FCA, FCS	
<b>CEO</b>	
Mrs. Vasumathi Sriganesh	
<b>Trust Registration No.</b>	E-24663
<b>PAN No.</b>	AAATQ0120B
<b>Income Tax Approval Number for 80G</b>	TR/41728 dated 03.06.2008
<b>Service Tax Registration No.</b>	AAATQ0120BST001

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