

Worldwide Healthcare Trust PLC





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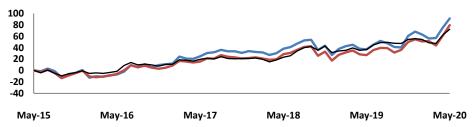
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Investment Objective

To invest in the global healthcare sector with the objective of achieving a high level of capital growth. In order to achieve its investment objective, the Company invests worldwide in a diversified portfolio of shares in pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies and related securities in the healthcare sector. It uses gearing, and derivative transactions to enhance returns and mitigate risk. Performance is measured against the MSCI World Health Care Index (net total return, sterling adjusted).

Five Year Performance (%)

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Net Asset Value per share (total return) +79.4%

Share Price (total return) +91.2%

Benchmark: MSCI World Health Care Index (net total return; sterling adjusted) +72.2%

Source: Morningstar, Benchmark - Bloomberg

Commentary

In May, the NAV per share was up 11.4%, the share price was up 9.2% and the MSCI World Health Care Index was up 6.3%.

The dramatic recovery in equity markets continued in May and the Company has now reported two consecutive months of double-digit returns. Healthcare remains in the headlines during the COVID-19 pandemic and the Benchmark has almost completely recovered to the 2020 highs. Our strategy of refocusing on industry fundamentals whilst continuing to monitor the virus globally has generated significant excess returns so far in the Company's financial year. All sub-sectors contributed positive absolute returns in May. Excess return was primarily from biotechnology, specialty pharmaceuticals, and emerging markets. The Company had 15 investments that returned at least 30 basis points in the month compared to only one investment that detracted more than 10 basis points. The top contributor in May was Horizon Therapeutics. The specialty pharmaceuticals company reported very strong first quarter results and company management raised 2020 sales guidance for their novel thyroid eye disease therapy, Tepezza (teprotumumab), to >\$200M from \$30-40M previously. The stock was higher and finished the month up 40%. Another top contributor was Shanghai Kindly Medical Instruments, an emerging leader in Chinese interventional cardiovascular devices. The company recently received multiple approvals of major devices used for the Percutaneous Coronary Intervention procedures. Also of note was the contribution from Neurocrine Biosciences. The company reported better than expected first quarter revenues for Ingrezza (valbenazine), the company's treatment for tardive dyskinesia. The stock also moved higher in anticipation of upcoming pipeline data disclosures. There were no detractors of note in May.

Looking ahead, we acknowledge the incredible rebound in the NAV per share and share price that the Company has enjoyed in a short period of time since the historic March drawdown. As a result, we have tactically reduced gearing to the low end of our historical range. The combination of investor sentiment on COVID-19, the possibility of a second wave of infections, and the vast increase in retail investor involvement in the market has created some very frothy market conditions. Our outlook remains mostly long-term focused and is based on our bullish outlook across healthcare, but we are wary of some near-term volatility.

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Risk Warnings

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Any return you receive depends on future market performance and is uncertain. The Company does not seek any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment. For information on the principal risks the Company is exposed to please refer to the Company's Annual Report or Investor Disclosure Document available at www.worldwidewh.com.

Shares in the Company are bought and sold on the London Stock Exchange. The price you pay or receive, like other listed shares, is determined by supply and demand and may be at a discount or premium to the underlying net asset value of the Company. Usually, at any given time, the price you pay for a share will be higher than the price you could sell it.

The Company has increased its exposure to investments via the use of an overdraft facility and derivatives, and this could potentially magnify any losses or gains made by the Company. The Annual Report and Investor Disclosure Document, available on the Company's website, include further details on the use of, and exposure to, derivatives.

Biographies

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Sven H. Borho, CFA, is a founder and Managing Partner of OrbiMed. Sven heads the public equity team and is the portfolio manager for OrbiMed's public equity and hedge funds. He has been a portfolio manager since 1993 and has played an integral role in the growth of OrbiMed's asset management activities. Sven started his career in 1991 when he joined OrbiMed's predecessor firm as a Senior Analyst covering European pharmaceutical firms and biotechnology companies worldwide. He studied business administration at Bayreuth University in Germany and received a M.Sc. (Econs.), Accounting and Finance, from The London School of Economics; he is a citizen of both Germany and Sweden.

Trevor M. Polischuk, Ph.D., is a Partner at OrbiMed focused on the global pharmaceutical industry. Trevor joined OrbiMed in 2003 and became a Partner in 2011. Previously, he worked at Lehman Brothers as a Senior Research Analyst covering the U.S. pharmaceutical industry. Trevor began his career at Warner Lambert as a member of the Global Marketing Planning team within Parke-Davis. Trevor holds a Doctorate in Neuropharmacology & Gross Human Anatomy and an M.B.A. from Queen's University, Canada.

Portfolio Manager Profile

OrbiMed Capital LLC (OrbiMed) is owned by six principals, including Sven Borho who have between them many years' experience of investing in the pharmaceutical, biotechnology and healthcare sectors. The U.S. based company has over 80 investment professionals who carry out extensive research, involving company visits and evaluating the commercial and scientific prospects for individual drugs. OrbiMed is registered as an investment adviser under the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). SEC registration does not imply a certain level of skill or training.

Investment Policy

The Company offers a superior UK-listed opportunity for capital appreciation through a diversified portfolio of worldwide pharmaceutical, biotechnology, healthcare equipment, healthcare services companies. The Portfolio Manager seeks to reduce risk through extensive fundamental research, worldwide exposure, position limits, and balanced market capitalisations. The Company's investment policy allows gearing, through borrowing, of up to 20% of net assets and a net exposure to derivative investments (excluding swaps) of up to 5% of the portfolio. Equity swaps may also be used, counterparty exposure here is limited to 12% of the portfolio at the time of acquisition. Unquoted securities will not exceed 10% of the portfolio at the time of acquisition.

Discount / Premium Control Mechanism

The Directors have adopted an active discount management policy to establish and support an improved rating in the Company's shares through the use of share buybacks, with a view to limiting the discount to the ex income NAV per share at which the shares trade to no more than 6%. Shares bought back may be held in treasury for reissue at later dates at not more than the discount at which they were purchased, and in any event at a discount no greater than 5% to the prevailing cum income net asset value per share. Any shares left in treasury are cancelled around the time of the AGM. In order to stop the share price trading at a significant premium to the NAV per share, the Company has the ability to issue new shares at a 0.7% premium to the cum income NAV per share.

10 Largest Holdings as at 31 May 2020*

Name	Region	Total
Alexion Pharmaceuticals	North America	5.0
Merck & Co	North America	4.8
Takeda Pharmaceutical	Japan	4.5
Boston Scientific	North America	4.0
Novartis	Europe	3.7
Biogen	North America	3.6
Pfizer	North America	3.5
Vertex Pharmaceuticals	North America	3.4
Bristol-Myers Squibb	North America	3.3
Neurocrine Biosciences	North America	2.7
Total	·	38.5

Sector, Geographical** & Asset Class*** Breakdown at 31 May 2020*

Biotechnology	37.2	North America	67.3	Equities	94.9
Pharmaceutical	31.4	Emerging Markets	14.7	Equity Swaps	3.9
Healthcare Providers/Services	13.9	Europe	12.1	Unquoteds	0.8
Healthcare Equipment/Supplies	12.6	Asia	5.9	Variable Interest	0.4
Life Sciences/Tools & Services	4.5	Total	100.0	Total	100.0
Variable Interest	0.4				
Total	100.0				

^{*}Calculation based on economic exposure and expressed as a % of the total economic exposure. This includes all derivatives as an economically equivalent position in the underlying holding.

Source: All portfolio information sourced from Frostrow Capital LLP

Discrete Performance - Calendar Years (%)

Percentage Growth	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	YTD
NAV	19.1	5.2	16.5	-3.8	31.9	16.1
Share Price	13.9	10.1	20.7	-5.0	32.3	13.7
Benchmark	12.7	11.2	9.4	8.8	18.4	10.7

Standardised Discrete Performance (%)

Percentage Growth 12 Month Return	May15- May 16	May 16- May 17	May 17- May 18	May 18- May 19	May 19- May 20
NAV	-6.2	23.2	11.1	-1.2	41.3
Share Price	-7.3	34.7	10.6	-0.9	39.6
Benchmark	-1.6	21.4	3.1	10.8	26.3

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Source: NAV (total return; fully diluted) & share price (total return) - Morningstar. Benchmark - Bloomberg.

Important Information

Worldwide Healthcare Trust PLC (the Company) is a public limited company whose shares are premium listed on the London Stock Exchange (LSE) and is registered with HMRC as an investment trust.

The Company has an indeterminate life, although shareholders consider and vote on the continuation of the Company every five years (the next such vote will be held in 2024).

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Fast Facts as at 31 May 2020

Biotechnology & Healthcare

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Launch Date & appointment of Portfolio Manager	April 1995
Annual Management Fee (pa Company): 0.65% of net assets	plus 0.30% of
market cap. up to £150m; in the ra	

in the range £1bn to £1.5bn 0.125%; over £1.5bn 0.075% plus £57,500 See Annual Report for Performance Fee

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Ongoing charges*	0.9%
Continuation Vote	2024 AGM and every 5th
	AGM thereafter
Year / Half Year	31 March /
	30 September
Capital Structure	56,611,278 shares

*Calculated at the financial year end, includes management fees and all other operating expenses, and excludes performance

Trust Characteristics

AIC Sector

Number of Holdings	73
Net Assets (£m)	2,028.5
Market Capitalisation (£m)	2,015.4
Dividends	Provisional payment
Dividends	dates: January & July
Indicative Yield	0.7%
Gearing	0.0%
Leverage**	Gross 102.5%
Leverage	Commitment 101.4%
Share Price (p)	3560.00
NAV(p) (cum income)	3583.18
(Discount) / Premium	(0.6%)
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The Board has set the maximum leverage limit for both the Gross and the Commitment basis at 140% of the Company's Net Asset Value.

Codes

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^{**}Geographical analysis based on country of primary listing.

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