



Treasurer's Report 2025

Tēnā koutou e ngā mema o Te Ohu Pūniho Ora o Aotearoa.
Greetings to all members of the New Zealand Oral Health Association,

It's incredible how quickly the year has flown by, and I'm excited to share the progress we've made over the past financial year. While we've faced some challenges, particularly in the current financial climate, we've also had some exciting developments. One of the highlights has been receiving a generous grant from the Clare Foundation, which has allowed the Executive to develop a strategic plan for the next five years. A heartfelt thank you to the Clare Foundation for their ongoing support — this partnership will undoubtedly help us move forward with even greater purpose.

Current membership numbers:

- Full Paid Members: 659
- New Graduate Members: 45
- Student Members: 163
- Associate Members: 3

Though we've seen a slight decline in membership this year, we view this as an opportunity to refine our strategies and engage more meaningfully with our members. We are fully committed to enhancing our member experience and exploring fresh, innovative ways to attract and retain new members.

Our recent conference had a modest financial impact, primarily due to lower attendance. However, we're feeling optimistic about the upcoming joint conference with NZDA and NZIDT. We believe this collaboration will inspire stronger participation, foster new connections, and create lasting value for all involved.

Thank you so much for your continued support. Together, we will tackle the challenges ahead, grow stronger as an association, and keep advancing our profession to better serve our members.

› Nga mihi nui

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lizelle Koen'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name 'Lizelle' written in a more compact, stylized manner and the last name 'Koen' written more fully.

Lizelle Koen
Treasurer NZOHA