

GROUP FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- 11% increase in basic earnings per share
- 11% increase in profit before taxation
- 8% increase in interim reduction of capital per share to 14 cents per share
- 16% increase in group revenue, 12% organic growth
- 15% increase in United Kingdom core operating profit

GROUP BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS

- Strong organic and acquisitive growth in SA hospitals
- Strong growth of managed care products
- Awarded Africa's largest healthcare PPP in Lesotho
- New managing directors appointed for SA Hospital, Netcare 911 and Primary Care divisions
- UK hospitals now profitable after debt servicing
- Strong growth in NHS patient admissions
- Acquisition of seven Nuffield hospitals in the UK