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**Return of Private Foundation
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust
Treated as a Private Foundation**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Note. The foundation may be able to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

For calendar year **2012** or tax year beginning , **2012**, and ending , **20**

Name of foundation: **JOHN FRANCIS FOUNDATION**

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address): **11205 OLD CLUB RD**

Room/suite: _____

City or town, state, and ZIP code: **ROCKVILLE, MD 20852**

A Employer identification number: **52-2036463**

B Telephone number (see instructions): **301-881-1045**

C If exemption application is pending, check here

D 1. Foreign organizations, check here
2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here

F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here

G Check all that apply: Initial return Initial return of a former public charity
 Final return Amended return
 Address change Name change

H Check type of organization: Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) **\$1,172,376**

J Accounting method: Cash Accrual
 Other (specify) _____
(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions).)		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	0			
	2 Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	11,254			
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	0			
	5a Gross rents	0			
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	0			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)				
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less: Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)	0				
11 Other income (attach schedule)	0				
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	12,254	745.-			
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.	0			
	14 Other employee salaries and wages	0			
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits	0			
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)	200			
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	0			
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)	0			
	17 Interest	0			
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	0			
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion	0			
	20 Occupancy	0			
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings	0			
	22 Printing and publications	0			
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	0			
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	11,450			
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	45,036			45,036
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	(33,575)				
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	(33,575)				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		0			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0		

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only. (See instructions)		Beginning of year	End of year	
		(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value		
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing	0	0	0	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	0	0	0	
	3	Accounts receivable ▶				
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	0	0	0	
	4	Pledges receivable ▶				
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	0	0	0	
	5	Grants receivable	0	0	0	
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)	0	0	0	
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶				
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	0			
	8	Inventories for sale or use	0			
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	0			
	10a	Investments—U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)	0			
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	0			
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	0			
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶				
	Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶	1,172,376	191,449	191,449		
12	Investments—mortgage loans	0	0	0		
13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	0	0	0		
14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶					
	Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶	0				
15	Other assets (describe ▶)	0				
16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	1,172,376	191,449	191,449		
Liabilities	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses	0	0		
	18	Grants payable	0	0		
	19	Deferred revenue	0	0		
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons	45,000	45,000		
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)	0	0		
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶)	0	0		
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	45,000	45,000		
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.					
	24	Unrestricted	N/A	N/A		
	25	Temporarily restricted	N/A	N/A		
	26	Permanently restricted	N/A	N/A		
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.					
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	N/A	N/A		
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	N/A	N/A		
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	N/A	N/A		
	30	Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	N/A	N/A		
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions)	N/A	N/A		

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1	Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	1,172,376
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	2,335,575
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,138,801
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	5	2,947,352
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30	6	191,449

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co)	(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a GENTIVA HEALTH SERVICES	P	10/31/11	2/15/12
b		↓	↓
c		11/2/12	2/16/12
d			
e OFFSET by CARRIED FORWARD - LONG TERM LOSS			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a 289,779		166,877	122,902
b			(122,902) CARRIED FORWARD
c			L.T. LOSS
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0- or Losses (from col (h)))
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss) { If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	2	0
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	3	0

Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank.

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period? Yes No
If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see the instructions before making any entries.

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2011			
2010			
2009			
2008			
2007			

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2012 from Part X, line 5	4	
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate See the Part VI instructions.	8	

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see instructions)

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)			
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b	1	N/A	
c	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).			
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	2	N/A	
3	Add lines 1 and 2	3	N/A	
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4	N/A	
5	Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	5	N/A	
6	Credits/Payments:			
a	2012 estimated tax payments and 2011 overpayment credited to 2012	6a		
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	N/A	
8	Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	N/A	
9	Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9	N/A	
10	Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10	N/A	
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2013 estimated tax <input type="checkbox"/> Refunded <input type="checkbox"/>	11	N/A	

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
1a		X
b		X
c		X
d		
e		
2		X
3		X
4a		X
4b		X
5		X
6		X
7	X	
8a		
8b	X	
9		X
10		X

Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))? Yes No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive? Yes No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes? Yes No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions) Yes No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals? Yes No

b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)? Yes No
 Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? Yes No
 If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? Yes No

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? Yes No
 If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? Yes No

b If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? Yes No

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see instructions).

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
ANDREW SANGIMINO 7539 SPRING LAKE DRIVE ROCKVILLE, MD 20852	4	0	0	0
JOSEPH SANGIMINO 11205 OLD CLUB RD, ROCKVILLE	4	0	0	0
DONNA SANGIMINO ROCKVILLE, MD	3	0	0	0

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
		0		
		0		
		0		
		0		
		0		

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000

Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)

3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see instructions). If none, enter "NONE."

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
ALL EFFORTS OF DOCTORS & OTHER VOLUNTEERS ARE	SPECIAL	0
DONE WITH NO COMPENSATION	PROGRAMS	0
OF ANY SORT		0
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services		▶

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 GRANT OF \$45,000 WAS MADE TO ALLEGHENY HOSPITAL RESEARCH UNIT	45,000 GRANT
2	
3	
4	

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2	Amount	
1 NO PROGRAM RELATED INVESTMENTS	0	
2	0	
All other program-related investments See instructions		
3	6	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3		▶ 6

Part X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	340,692
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c	340,692
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	340,692
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	340,692
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2 % of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	5110.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	335,582
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	16,779

Part XI Distributable Amount (see instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	16,779
2a	Tax on investment income for 2012 from Part VI, line 5	2a	0
b	Income tax for 2012. (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b	0
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	16,779
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	16,779
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	16,779
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	16,779

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	45,035
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B	1b	0
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	0
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	0
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	0
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	45,035
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see instructions)	5	0
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	45,035

Note. The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2011	(c) 2011	(d) 2012
1 Distributable amount for 2012 from Part XI, line 7				16,179
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2012:				
a Enter amount for 2011 only			0	
b Total for prior years: 20__ ,20__ ,20__		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2012:				
a From 2007	57,631			
b From 2008	13,269			
c From 2009	4,000			
d From 2010	14,087			
e From 2011	51,889			
f Total of lines 3a through e	142,870			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2012 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$				
a Applied to 2011, but not more than line 2a			0	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions)		0		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions)	0			
d Applied to 2012 distributable amount				0
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	142,870			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2012 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)	28,256			28,256
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5	171,126			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed		0		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount—see instructions		0		
e Undistributed income for 2011. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2012. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2013				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see instructions)	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2007 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions)	0			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2013. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	171,126			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2008	15,263			
b Excess from 2009	4,000			
c Excess from 2010	14,000			
d Excess from 2011	51,889			
e Excess from 2012	28,256			

Part XIV Private Operating Foundations (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

- 1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2012, enter the date of the ruling ▶
- b Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2012	(b) 2011	(c) 2010	(d) 2009	
2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed					
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:			N/A		
a "Assets" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test—enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed					
c "Support" alternative test—enter:					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

Part XV Supplementary information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see instructions.)

- 1 **Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**
 - a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000). (See section 507(d)(2).)
0
 - b List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.
0

- 2 **Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**
Check here if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

a The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail of the person to whom applications should be addressed:
JOSEPH SANGIMINO; 11205 OLD CLUB RD, ROCKVILLE, MD, 301-881-104

b The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:
N/A

c Any submission deadlines:
N/A

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors:
—

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
<p>a Paid during the year</p> <p># 45,000 GRANT To ALLEGHENY SINGER RESEARCH INSTITUTE PITTSBURG</p>			<p>TO MEET MISSION PURPOSE of FOUNDATION</p>	<p>\$45,000</p>
Total				3a
<p>b Approved for future payment</p> <p>ALLEGHENY SINGER RESEARCH INSTITUTE</p> <p>ST VINCENT'S COLLEGE PITTSBURG</p>				<p>N/A</p> <p>N/A</p>
Total				3b

Schedule A

ATTACHMENT TO FORM 990PF
YEAR 2012

John Francis Foundation Inc.
EIN 52-2036463
D4692604 State Reg #

Part 1, Line 16B

Accounting Fee

<u>Name of Company</u>	<u>Amount Charge</u>	<u>Reason</u>
J P Morgan	\$ 200	Service Charges

Schedule B

ATTACHMENT TO FORM 990-PF
YEAR 2012

John Francis Foundation Inc.
EIN 52-2036463
D4692604 State Reg #

**TOTAL NET ASSETS or FUND BALANCES
at END of YEAR**

Part III
Line 6

	VALUE	ADJUSTMENTS
Value of Stock Start 1-1-2003	1,172,376	
Decrease due to Grant + Expenses (Part 1 Line 26)		<33,575>
Decrease, due to decrease in Price of portfolio		<947,352>
NET ASSETS OF FUND AT END OF YEAR	191,449	

Schedule C

Attachment To FORM 990-PF
YEAR 2012

JOHN FRANCIS FOUNDATION Inc.
EIN 52-2036463
D4692604

MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission statement remains the same: to improve the research on children illnesses in a medical environment that concentrates on lowering cost even though such reductions diminish medical research.

Reduced Medicare funding by Congress has translated to reduced HMO funding at all levels. The state of Medical care, hospitals, teaching of new doctors in America is getting worse. Existing medical payments has changed the way medicine is delivered, administered and practiced. To complicate the situation, the extent of the acute nature of the problem is recognized by few outside the medical community. In addition, the far reaching implications of the issues are not clearly recognized or understood by the general public.

One implication, the patient doctor contact in the office visit is limited to 7 minutes; further, by nature of patient payments the management of the patients illness has been shifted from the doctor to the patient and his family.

The limit of doctor and patient contact is grossly inadequate for patient welfare, especially when chronic pathologies require constant monitoring, constant education and constant review. Our present system discourages, in fact, prohibits that which is required for minimal good medicine.

Another implication is the effect congressional budget cuts have had on the curtailing of medical research and the diminution in the quality of Resident training.

These and other factors create an egregious diminution in the quality of the American medical system, with no end in sight.

The John Francis Foundation intends to devote much of its funds to address these issues, understand there implications and experiment with creative methods to address the problems created.

In the year **2012**:

A grant of \$45,000 was made to Allegheny General Hospital
Exempt # 251-322-626

"To provide for research & development of new surgical techniques that can be applied more noninvasively using cutting edge special imaging technology".

Through a grant from our foundation we continue support the "Children Musculoskeletal Motion Program". This is the first program of its kind to address the prevention of sequela hip joint disease in children, using a multi disciplinary approach.

In the year 2012, we continue to focus on our program with Legg-Calve-Perthes Disease affecting the hip in children. Perthes Disease affects otherwise normal children and its etiology is unknown. Children who have Perthes Disease of the hip are 10 times more likely to develop more severe forms of this disease when they become adults. Forty per cent of all children with Perthes Disease will require hip joint replacements as adults (Mcandrews and Weinstein)

We continue to offer as free services:

- > An expanded in- office learning center for patient and family education.
- > A focused weekend retreat format emphasizing the importance of required habits of daily living for optimum musculoskeletal health in the context of hip joint disability.
- > An on-line web site to monitor and document hip joint function and to provide feedback for patients, pediatricians and orthopaedic surgeons.