BADS Strategic Alliance Partner (SAP) Package

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About BADS
The British Association of Day Surgery (BADS) is a multidisciplinary organisation committed to promoting
excellence in day surgery. Its membership is broad, encompassing qualified and trainee surgeons,
anaesthetists, nurses, allied health professionals and managers. BADS achieves its charitable aims through
various educational activities

• Hosting the BADS Annual Conference, which attracts over 200 delegates who reflect its diverse
membership
• Publication of its quarterly, Journal of One Day Surgery (JODS)
• Working with national organisations to produce guidelines, e.g., the National Day Surgery Delivery
Pack (2020) in association with Getting it Right First Time (GIRFT) and the Centre for Perioperative
Care (led by the Royal College of Anaesthetists)
• Delivering an annual programme of themed ‘Day Conferences’ in collaboration with
Healthcare Conferences UK
• Production of benchmarking standards. The BADS Directory of Procedures and National Dataset
lists recommended day surgery rates for over 200 surgical procedures, which is used to inform
day surgery metrics for The Model Health System, a digital tool provided by NHS England to
support NHS productivity, quality and efficiency.
• Publication of generic and speciality-specific handbooks
• Review of Caspe Healthcare Knowledge Systems (CHKS) day surgery standards. CHKS is a UKAS licensed
accreditation body and leading provider of healthcare intelligence and quality improvement services
• BADS works closely with NHS England through the national Getting it Right First Time (GIRFT)
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SAP package agreements with BADS are for a duration of 3 years and may be renewed thereafter. The current
package includes both regular benefits and sponsorship at Bronze- level of the BADS Annual Conference as
follows:

Cost
• £7,500 per year plus VAT
Regular benefits
• Regular advert in the open-access Journal of One-Day Surgery (quarterly online publication)
• Logo on the BADS website homepage
• Access to BADS for discussion of bespoke activities to promote products
BADS Annual Conference Exhibition – Bronze
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