



'2022: preparing for the future'

We speak with Dick Vis, chairman of the board of Astellas Pension Fund, about the year 2022. The year was marked by major events, for both the fund and the world more widely. These had an impact on the fund. We and Dick also take a look ahead at 2023. The pension fund is in the midst of big changes, preparations for which were in full swing in 2022.

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2022 in figures



-23.4%

The returns from our investments amount to -23,4% – € -123,719 million in monetary terms – which is slightly worse than the benchmark of -21,7%.



€ 386,2 million

The full amount that we as a pension fund invested in 2022. This amount is lower than last year.



€ 331,1 million

This is the amount of our pension obligations. These change each year.



€ 1.135

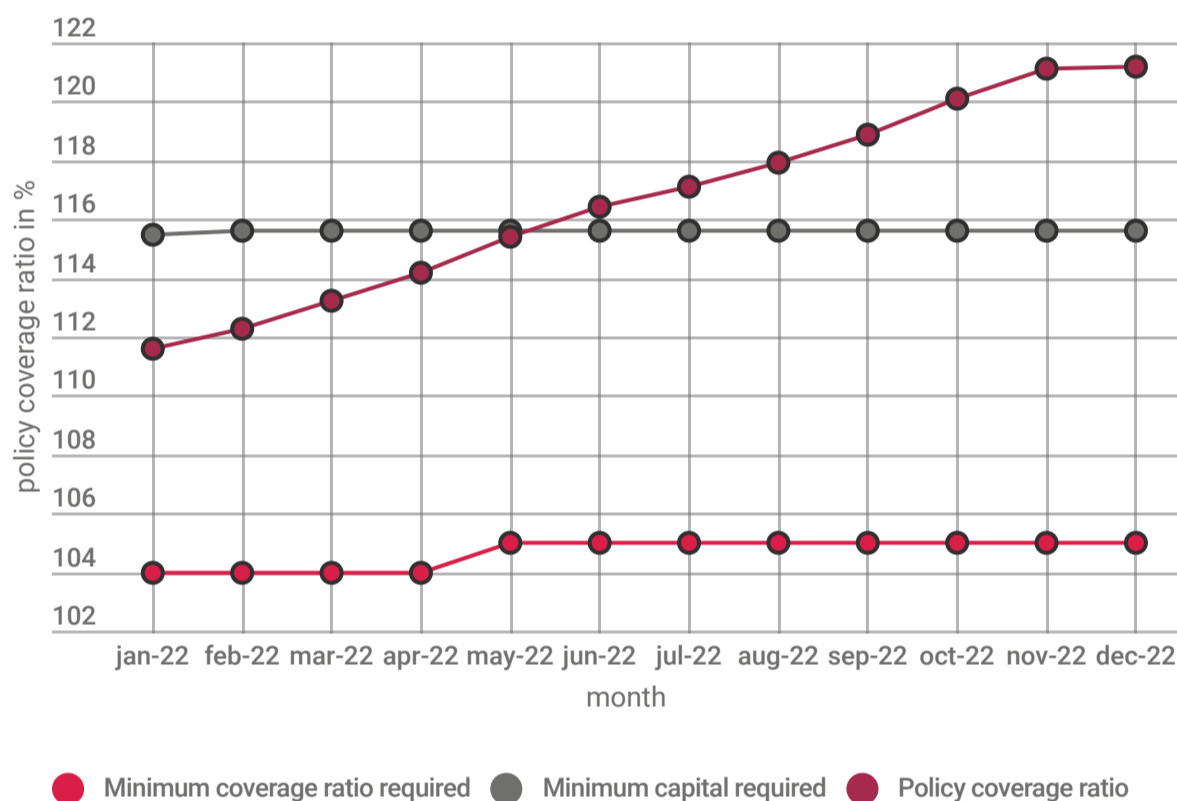
The costs of pension management per member. These costs increased compared with last year.



2.067

Our fund had 715 employees, 993 former employees, and 279 pension beneficiaries in 2022. Have a look at the trend.

Financial position



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3.28%

Your pension and your pension entitlements were increased this year.



€ 14.1 million

This is the total sum of contributions that we received in 2022 from both the employees and the employer.

Communication

In 2020, the fund conducted a members' satisfaction survey among its active members and pension beneficiaries. The survey showed that the communication by the fund is generally highly rated. This means that the communication policy can be continued in the same way.

The general purpose of the pension fund's communications is to make the topic of pensions clearer and to increase people's awareness of their pensions. For instance, in the event that something changes in their lives. Please see if you have everything in order in the event of a change to your work or personal life.

Our organisation



The Accountability Body considers that the Board has aimed to and acted in an expert manner during the 2020 reporting year. In doing so, the Board has pursued a balanced and consistent policy that sufficiently weighs up the interests of all stakeholders.

The Accountability Body is also of the opinion that the Board is compliant with the standards laid down in the Code of the Dutch Pension Funds, where applicable.

[Read more about the Accountability Body \(in Dutch\).](#)



The Visitation Committee is of the opinion that the Board's policy is sufficiently balanced and has been established and implemented with due care.

The Board is in control of the outsourced activities, documentation is in order, and all relevant topics are included in the Board's governance cycle.

[Read more about the Visitation Committee \(in Dutch\).](#)

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