"A Medic in every house"

Targeting 500 Certified Medics

Imagine how many lives can be saved, and being part of it; is something great.



المركز الوطني للإسعاف الاولي و الحد من المخاطر The National Centre for First Aid and Risk Reduction



Rotary Club of Amman Citadel

In collaboration with Red Crescent and the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies in Jordan, Rotary Club of Amman Citadel plans to create 500 New Certified Medics a year.

Living in a war zone requires continuous First Aid awareness, responsibility in disasters and emergencies, injury prevention and treatment, and more important being extremely responsive when the situations calls for it. It is not just the medical help that Medics provide, but the confidence they exhibit is very helpful during casualties. Being trained to provide first aid is useful to oneself and society.

First Aid knowledge is invaluable for both you as the individual and for your community. It enables you to assist persons who become injured in the event of an accident or emergency situation until help arrives. First Aid skills can be applied in the home, the workplace or in public locations, therefore the more First Aid certified people there are in a community the safer that community becomes.

"A medic in every house" is an initiative for a safer and better prepared environment as it:

Increases safety Helps save lives Helps relieve pain Makes people more secure Prevents the situation from becoming worse

Knowledge of first aid promotes a healthy, secure and a safer environment, and instills confidence amongst people, their families, their colleagues and associates. Basic first aid knowledge is very helpful in dealing with trauma situations, which occurs frequently.

We want to create more community and medical leaders.

Project Goal and Sustainability:

As we live in a war zone, and conflicts are rising around us, threats are coming every day, we are subject to disasters in any moment, yet the Public are unaware when it comes to Emergency procedures awareness, First Aid and Disaster Risk Reduction. Rotary Club of Amman Citadel has approached the Head office of International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies and the Head of health programs at Red Crescent raising this topic and discussing the possibility of providing first aid awareness sessions, training and certification programs and giving away first aid kits to local societies. This project will cover many avenues of services, focusing on the vocational, yet covering more than one area of focus.

We believe this project will be ongoing for several years to come and shall create a very positive feedback in our communities, and as important, will create a great Rotary image. This campaign will target 6 Governorates to create Certified Public House Medics and Leaders, and not forgetting those who don't qualify to be certified, so will also have 6-12 awareness campaigns around the year in whole of Jordan as First Aid Public knowledge and awareness.

Project Budget:

This project is very flexible and expandable and can be done on a small scale of 25 participants, and can be expanded to 400 -500 Pax (what we hope). Average cost per participant will be 150-200 USD to have him/her certified, with an estimated budget of 75-90 K.

Draft of the Grant GG1863124 is under process, and for further information, please do not hesitate to contact <u>PP Farid Musharbash</u> at any time,

Yours in Rotary

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