

IMET2000-Pal Newsletter

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IMET2000 Donates Oxygen Generators to Areas Badly Hit with COVID-19 in Palestine

This month we have started distributing more than 50 oxygen generators to many villages and refugee camps across the West Bank. This was done to help the health sector in Palestine cope with the pandemic. As the number of cases rises, we hope to relieve hospitals by providing home-oxygen therapy for those who otherwise would have to be treated as in-patients. This primarily includes patients with mild to moderate COVID symptoms who do not necessarily require positive pressure oxygen therapy (CPAP) or ventilation in intensive care. This project also aims to discharge patients from hospitals as soon as it is safe to do so, in order to open up more spaces for people with serious symptoms.



Kufrdan Municipality & Al Yamun Town

**Sila Al Hartha Town
Rummanah Village**

Barqin Village



The Eastern region of Nablus

Tulkarem refugee camp

Sayda council



Qalqilya Governorate



Al Kafreyat Municipality & Al Azb Al Gharby village



Deir Sharaf Village



Qalandiya refugee camp



Balata refugee camp



Municipality of Qatanna



Am'ari refugee camp



Al Fara'a refugee camp

IMET2000 Supports The Palestinian Medical Students' Association

As part of our strategy to uplift medical education in Palestine and as part of an internal agreement, we have financially covered the membership fees of the Palestinian Medical Students' Association (PMSA) in the International Federation of Medical Students Associations (IFMSA) for 2020. This step is seen by both sides as an enabling step to enhance medical students activities and aspirations.

This very initial step will be followed by a series of collaborative activities that the two parties are hoping to deliver over the next few months. Those activities range from those for empowering healthcare professional and medical students research skills to community based campaigns to increase the Palestinians awareness of public health issues of interest.



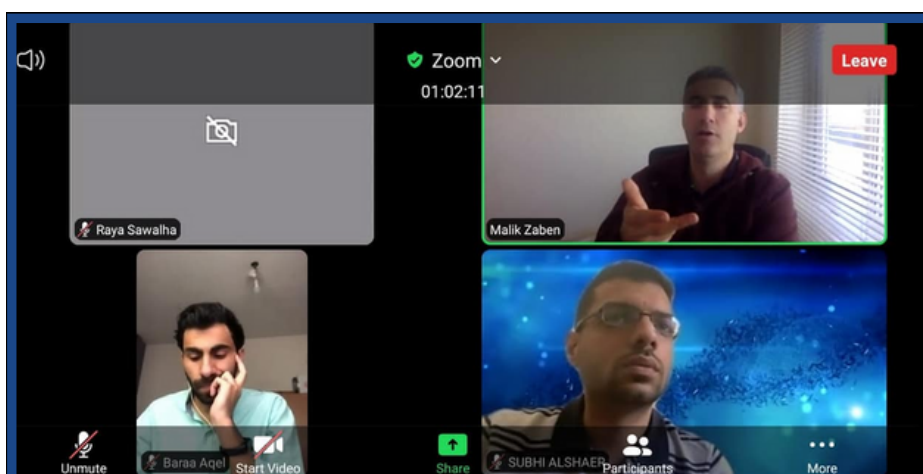
IMET2000 Continues its Support for Children with Learning and Mental Disabilities

Further to our commitment to supporting children with mental health problems and learning disabilities, we have continued our financial support for the “Early Intervention Society” in Ramallah. Our programme of support extends to cover the treatment expenses of more than 20 children for the year 2021. These children have been identified to come from disadvantaged families in the rural areas. Our team in Ramallah has organised a visit to the charity, and were happy to see the kids receiving their treatments actively as planned.



Our Research Club Continues its Activities in Promoting Clinical Research in Palestine

Following our recent successful didactic workshop on how to conduct a systematic review, we have organised a practical session for those who have come forward with a research idea. This workshop led by our CEO Dr Malik Zaben allowed the participants to present their ideas and get effective feedback. The feedback we have had on the workshop is excellent and we are hoping to organise a follow on the workshop in a few weeks to get a few projects underway. We are hoping to start seeing some publications and serious club outputs in the near future.



IMET2000 Organised Basic Life Support Training Workshop this Month

IMET2000-PAL in cooperation with American Arab University-Jenin organised the Critical Core Training:

Critical Core Training: Basic Life Support (BLS) Training with COVID_19 Patients for physicians and Nurses 2021 IV

The workshop is a result of a collaboration between IMET2000-Pal and MoH to increase the efficiency of the healthcare system at West Bank especially during this hard time.

This workshop was attended by 7 Doctors and Nurses from the Palestinian Medical Complex (PMC) at American Arab University in Al-Riyhan

All Covid_19 precautions have been taken for this workshop and it led by Mr Fayez Ghannam (American Heart Association “AHA”) Instructor.



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