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**YERYÜZÜ  
DOKTORLARI**  
DOCTORS WORLDWIDE TÜRKİYE





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## INTRODUCTION

While the year 2023, which has become a difficult period in which crises and natural disasters occurred one after the other, brought with it great tests for everyone, the earthquakes that occurred in our country and the crisis that started in Gaza on 7th of October gave the whole world a deep shock.

The earthquake, occurred on 6th of February, centered in Kahramanmaraş, and was effective in 11 provinces, unfortunately caused serious loss of lives and property. We, as Yeryüzü Doktorları, were with our earthquake victims from the first day of the earthquake with the services we provided by organizing our volunteers all over Türkiye and forming medical teams.

While we were trying to heal the wounds of the Kahramanmaraş earthquake, we started to witness one of the biggest crises of recent years in Gaza. Tens of thousands of people lost their lives and thousands more were injured in the attacks that hit our agenda on 7th of October. Even though our head office in Gaza was destroyed and we suffered losses, we continued our activities under difficult conditions and were there for the local community.

For the last 23 years, we have been making efforts to relieve suffering in geographies where the crisis has not ended, both with our volunteer medical teams and the health centers we have established. We carry out examinations, treatments and surgeries for those who cannot find a cure due to impossibilities and continue our humanitarian aid activities in many areas such as qurbani operations, water wells, medication and medical equipment supports and psychosocial support. We witness that every story we touch leaves a mark on our own story and continue to grow goodness with all our heart.

We hope to touch many more stories around the world and bring goodness and health to the world.

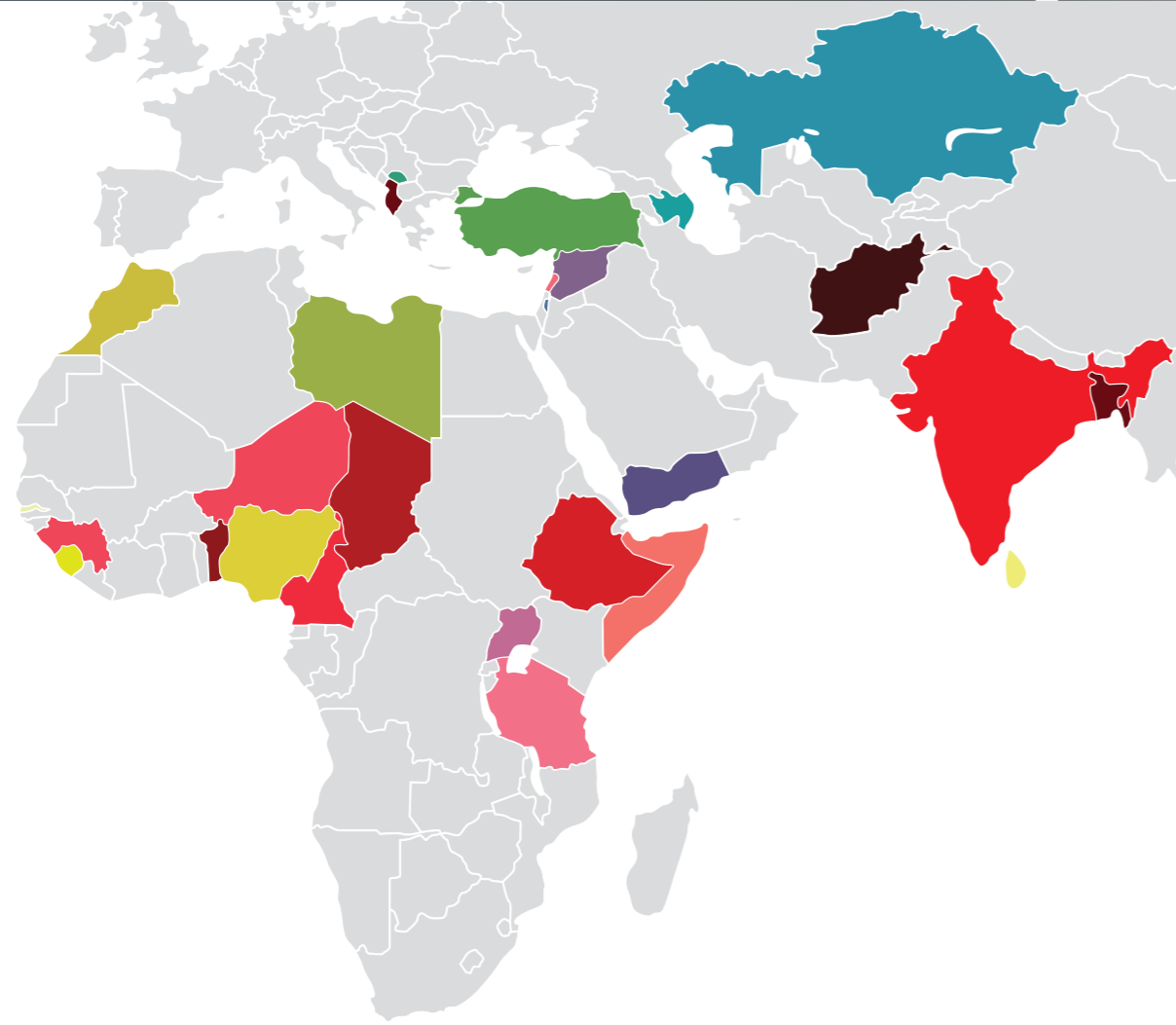
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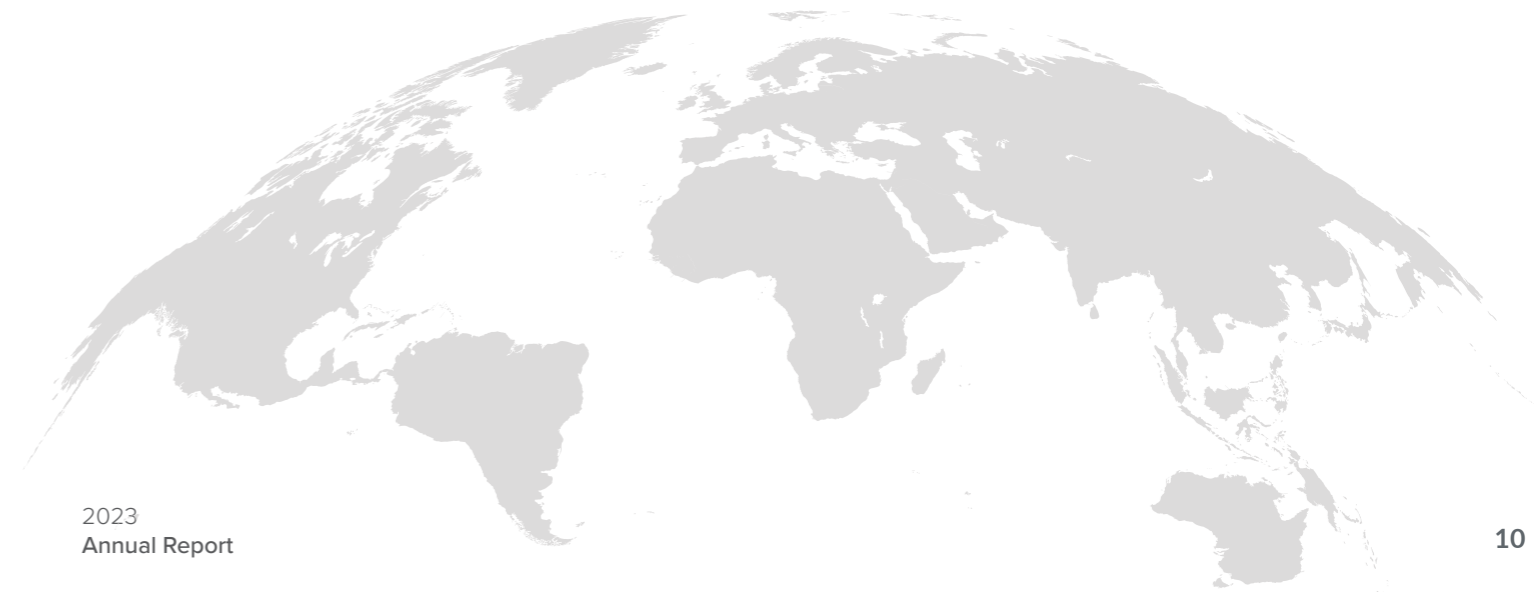
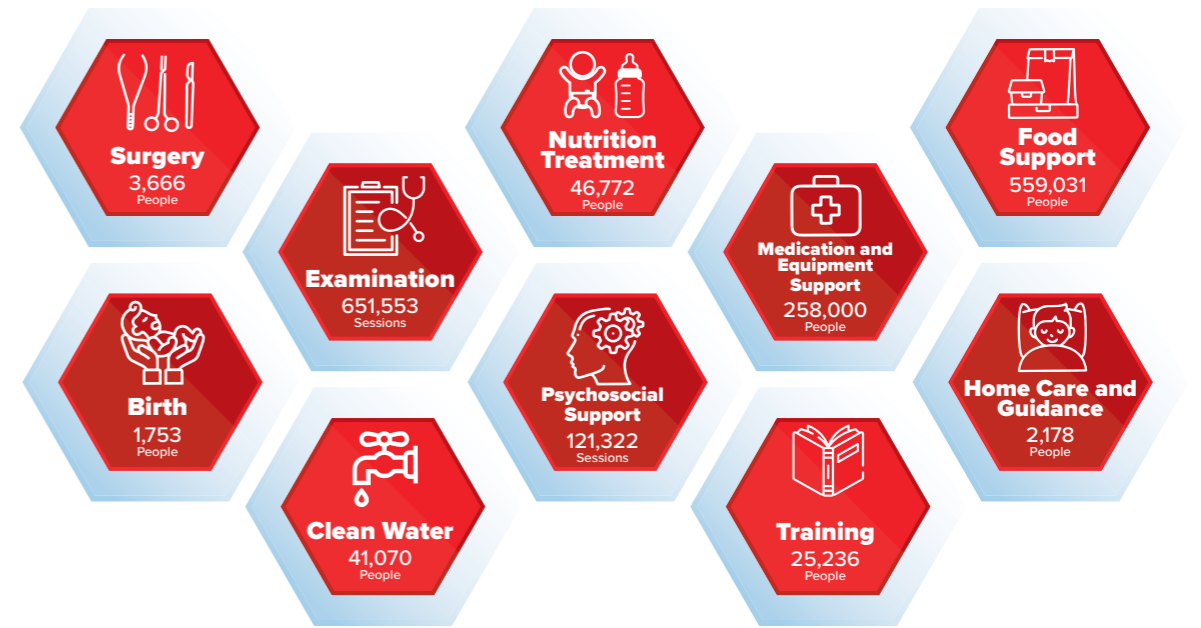
**SUMMARY** of 2023

# 1.1. COUNTRIES OF THE PROJECTS

# 1.2. HIGHLIGHTS OF 2023 ACTIVITES



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|-----------------|-------------------|
| 1 ● Afghanistan | 13 ● Yemen        |
| 2 ● Bangladesh  | 14 ● Palestine    |
| 3 ● Benin       | 15 ● Kazakhstan   |
| 4 ● Chad        | 16 ● Azerbaijan   |
| 5 ● Ethiopia    | 17 ● Kosovo       |
| 6 ● India       | 18 ● Türkiye      |
| 7 ● Cameroon    | 19 ● Libya        |
| 8 ● Niger       | 20 ● Morocco      |
| 9 ● Somalia     | 21 ● Nigeria      |
| 10 ● Tanzania   | 22 ● Sierra Leone |
| 11 ● Uganda     | 23 ● Sri Lanka    |
| 12 ● Syria      | 24 ● Gambia       |



## 1.3. RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

### 1.3.1. Where Did Our Resources Come From? Percentage %

		Percentage %
Individual Donations	₺ 200,601,318.90	<b>56.14</b>
Corporate Donations	₺ 41,490,533.82	<b>11.61</b>
Funds/Grants	₺ 38,534,412.48	<b>10.78</b>
Donations In-Kind	₺ 4,331,621.79	<b>1.21</b>
Other	₺ 72,348,056.05	<b>20.25</b>

### 1.3.2. Where Were Our Resources Used? Percentage %

		Percentage %
General Administrative Expenses	₺ 4,439,708.01	<b>1.59</b>
Projects and Programs		
Resource Development	₺ 12,545,521.17	<b>4.48</b>
Operation Management	₺ 171,189,092.41	<b>61.19</b>
Projected Operation Management	₺ 91,586,684.00	<b>32.74</b>





# GENERAL INFORMATION



### 2.1.1. Mission and Vision

Having started its activities as an international humanitarian aid organization focused on health, Yeryüzü Doktorları has carried out hundreds of projects so far in more than 54 countries with the support of more than 300 thousand donors and more than 45 thousand volunteers. Having set out initially by organizing short-term health care camps with volunteer medical teams, Yeryüzü Doktorları has started to accomplish longer-term projects in the course of time. As of 2020, it has volunteer medical team services, cataract camps, water well and food support activities, equipment - medication supports and medical training projects, as well as centers providing permanent services in 8 different countries including Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Chad, Palestine, Somalia, Syria, Yemen and Türkiye.

**Mission:** To reach the people in need who are unable to access health care services and help them hold on to life.

**Vision:** To be a leading and competent NGO in the field of medical aid.



### 2.1.2. Principles

**Focus on Needs:** Services to be provided to people in need are at the center of the decisions and practices of Yeryüzü Doktorları. Attention is paid to quality, quantity and sustainability of the services that are provided without any discrimination based on religion, language, race, gender and geography.

**Competence:** Yeryüzü Doktorları carries out its medical aid operations with effective and efficient processes and provides quality services. In this respect, it embodies and continuously develops the necessary corporate competencies. It does not take any initiative requiring special knowledge, skill and competence that it does not possess.

**Respect for Humanitarian Values:** Yeryüzü Doktorları acts based on humanitarian values that form the very essence of helping, such as compassion, sincerity, humility, and trust. It respects the beliefs, cultures and traditions of different geographies and nations.

**Independence:** Yeryüzü Doktorları acts in line with its mission, principles and plans that it has announced in order to spread the goodness. The collaborations that it makes to better serve the beneficiaries do not go beyond this framework.

**Transparency:** Yeryüzü Doktorları transparently discloses what is done with the resources entrusted to it. Services are always conducted in an accountable manner in administrative, financial and legal terms.

### 2.2.1. Members of the Board of Directors

Yahyahan Güney	Chairman
Hasan Oktay Özkan	Vice Chairman
Mehmet Metin	Treasurer Member
Ahmet Salduz	Member
Gülây Okay	Member
Muhammed Fatih Şimşekoğlu	Member
Ramazan Dilek	Member

### 2.2.2. Members of the Supervisory Board

Erhan Sarışın	Chairman of the Supervisory Board
Mehmet Akif Kaygusuz	Vice Chairman of the Supervisory Board
Osman Baturhan Dursun	Member

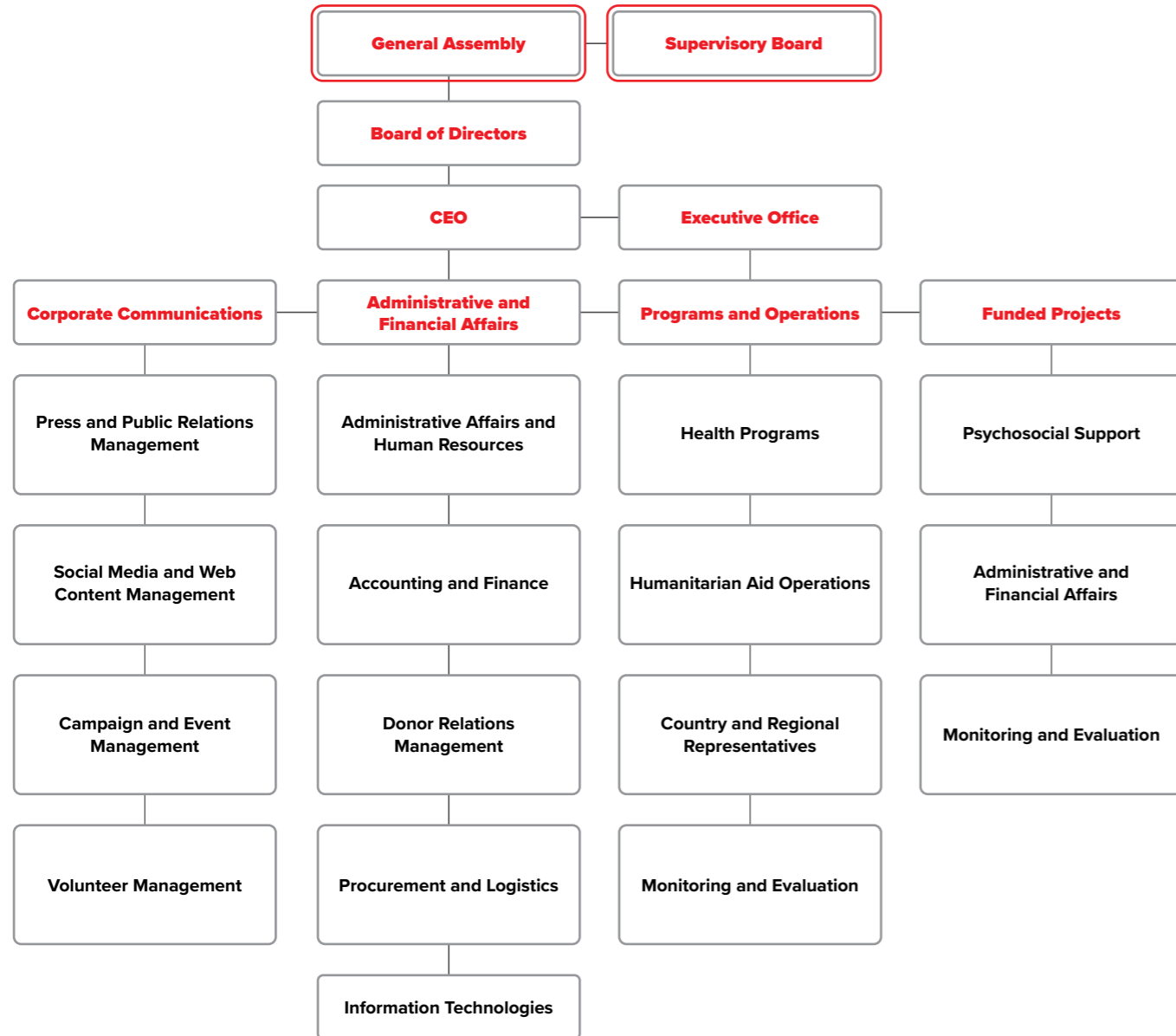
### 2.2.3. Associate Members of the Board of Directors

Yücel Aytaç	Member
Ali Adil Güneren	Member
Mustafa Çetin	Member
Abdulkadir Turgut	Member
Mehmet Akif Seylan	Member
Mustafa Bekerecioğlu	Member
Hacer Öztürk Aydın	Member

### 2.2.4. Associate Members of the Supervisory Board

Musab Baki	Member
Mustafa Nimetoğlu	Member

## 2.2.5. Organizational Chart



## 2.3. MAIN AREAS OF ACTIVITY

### 2.3.1. Emergency Projects

Yeryüzü Doktorları provides emergency treatment services by sending volunteer medical teams to the relevant region in the first place in the event of war and crisis situations as well as natural disasters such as earthquake, flood, fire, etc., and supplies medication and equipment. In line with the identified needs, it supports repair and operation of damaged hospitals or health centers, establishes field hospitals and health centers, and creates mobile health care teams. It develops and implements medium-long term projects so as to replenish the basic needs related to health care infrastructure affected by the crisis situation.



### 2.3.2. Maternal and Child Health Projects

Yeryüzü Doktorları establishes maternal and child health centers and/or improves the existing centers in those regions where mother and child death are observed frequently. These centers provide health care services such as routine checks of pregnant and nursing mothers, performance of healthy deliveries, vaccination of babies, and performance of pediatric examinations. In addition, pregnant or nursing mothers or mothers who have recently given birth are provided with trainings on baby care and reproductive health.



### 2.3.3. Nutrition Health Projects

Within the scope of the nutrition health projects, Yeryüzü Doktorları establishes nutrition health centers and/or supports the existing ones in the regions with frequent hunger problems resulting from drought, poverty, internal disturbances and similar causes. The malnutrition developing especially in children younger than 5 years of age and in pregnant/nursing mothers due to poor nutrition is treated at these centers. In circumstances where medical nutrition treatment cannot be provided, nutritional support is provided through food packages, qurbani meat offered during Eid al-Adha, etc.



### 2.3.5. Volunteer Medical Team Projects

Yeryüzü Doktorları provides health care services in those regions in need in the fields of both surgical and internal medicine. Accordingly, it organizes short-term camps in the cases where physical facilities are available but there is a lack of specialist physicians and costs of medications and consumables can generally not be covered. In these camps, people whose treatment needs advanced specialist knowledge are examined and operated on by the volunteer medical teams of Yeryüzü Doktorları. Trainings, on the other hand, that are aimed at exchange of information and experience with the local health care professionals during these practices constitute an indispensable part of this entire process.



### 2.3.4. Eye Health Projects

Yeryüzü Doktorları treats eye diseases, in particular the cataract, and distributes eyeglasses as part of its eye health activities. It also aims to reinforce the local capacity by supporting the health care institutions in the regions where eye health projects are carried out, through activities such as establishment of eye surgery units and training of local health care personnel.



### 2.3.6. Medical Training Projects

For the purpose of providing sustainable benefit, Yeryüzü Doktorları supports training, certification and specialization programs at associate, undergraduate and graduate levels, and contributes to scientific researches and events by organizing congresses so as to increase the capacity of health care professionals in the countries where the projects and programs are carried out.



## 2.3.7. Psychosocial Support Projects

Yeryüzü Doktorları carries out informative and supportive activities for the local community by conducting screening and examinations with the aim of psychosocial support for the people who have been affected by trauma, disaster and crisis situations. It determines the status of the local mental health system and develops psychosocial support projects in line with the social needs. It also provides psychosocial assistance activities for the NGO staff and volunteer medical teams serving in the field.



## 2.3.8. WASH Projects

Yeryüzü Doktorları drills water wells and restores the infrastructures for clean water access in the regions where there is drought and the infrastructure is insufficient, to prevent the diseases resulting from use of dirty water. It also intervenes in the situations where urgent solutions are needed, by distributing water purification tablets.



## 2.4. NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL COLLABORATIONS

Yeryüzü Doktorları conducts its projects in coordination and collaboration with international organizations such as the World Health Organization (WHO), United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF), World Food Program (WFP), United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (UN OCHA), European Civil Protection and Humanitarian Aid Operations (ECHO) and German Corporation for International Cooperation (GIZ), and national organizations such as Ministry of Health of the Republic of Türkiye, Ministry of Family, Labor and Social Services of the Republic of Türkiye, Turkish Cooperation and Coordination Agency (TİKA) of the Ministry of Culture and Tourism of the Republic of Türkiye, Disaster and Emergency Management Presidency (AFAD) of the Ministry of Interior of the Republic of Türkiye, Turkish Maarif Foundation (TMV), and Turkish Red Crescent. It also establishes partnerships with local health care authorities, national/international NGOs and universities on project basis in the countries where it carries out activities.





**SERVICES**

## 3.1. EMERGENCY PROJECTS

### 3.1.1. Afrin Jindires Refugee Health Center

Yeryüzü Doktorları established Jindires Refugee Health Center in October 2018 for the purpose of providing primary health care services to those refugees living in Muhammediye and Deyr Ballut camps located in Afrin/Jindires region of Syria. The center, which provides health care services in the branches of internal medicine, gynecology, pediatrics, dental health and emergency observation, also provides free medication support. Psychosocial support services also started to be provided in December 2023.

Afrin Jindires Refugee Health Center Team	2023 Outputs of Afrin Jindires Refugee Health Center	
4 Doctors	<b>Services</b>	<b>Beneficiaries</b>
1 Psychologist	Examination	40,582
2 Nurses	Treatment	22,259
1 Pharmacist	Medication and Medical Equipment Support	34,286
1 Midwife	Psychosocial Support	636
2 Administrative Personnel	<b>Total</b>	<b>97,763</b>
2 Security Staff		



### 3.1.2. Suluk Health Center

Yeryüzü Doktorları has been providing primary health care services in the Tel Abyad/Suluk region of Syria since December 2020. The center provides services in the branches of internal medicine, pediatrics, gynecology, dental health, dermatology, emergency observation and ear, nose and throat. In addition to these services, patients are also provided with free medication support.

Suluk Health Center Team	2023 Outputs of Suluk Health Center	
7 Doctors	<b>Services</b>	<b>Beneficiaries</b>
4 Nurses	Examination	32,895
1 Pharmacist	Treatment	6,355
10 Administrative Personnel	Medication and Medical Equipment Support	39,021
	<b>Total</b>	<b>78,271</b>



### 3.1.3. Refugee Health Training Centers Project

Aiming to provide Syrian refugees with primary health care services by integrating them into the Refugee Health Care system of the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Türkiye, the project was commenced in January 2017. Within the scope of the project, carried out with the participation of the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Türkiye and the World Health Organization (WHO), as stakeholders, logistics and human resources support as well as home care and psychosocial support services were provided at the Refugee Health Training Centers located in Gaziantep, Şanlıurfa and İstanbul. The activities, which have been continuing in İstanbul, Gaziantep and Şanlıurfa since 2017, were also started in Mersin in February 2022, and the project was terminated on April 30, 2023.

#### Refugee Health Training Centers Team

1 Psychologist
1 Nurse
11 Home Care Technicians
185 Home Care Staff
4 Translators
5 Administrative Personnel
25 Logistics Personnel
4 Field Coordinator
1 Social Worker
2 Physiotherapists
1 Dietitian

#### 2023 Outputs of Refugee Health Training Centers

Services	Beneficiaries	Sessions
Examination	*	6,370
Treatment	451	*
Psychosocial Support	837	115
Home Care and Guidance Services	2,124	12,240
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,412</b>	<b>18,725</b>



### 3.1.4. İstanbul Altınşehir Community Center Project

Within the scope of the project carried out together with İstanbul Development Agency (ISTKA), psychosocial support activities were organized for disadvantaged individuals at the ages of 4 to 29 living in İstanbul, and activities were organized to improve their life skills and to support their integration with the city and society they live in. Activities were carried out in child-friendly areas and competency development workshops to support the creativity skills of participants and to increase their access to culture, arts, sports, training and social services. The project ended on February 14, 2023.

#### İstanbul Altınşehir Community Center Team

2 Psychologists
2 Social Workers
3 Administrative Personnel

#### 2023 Outputs of İstanbul Altınşehir Community Center

Services	Beneficiaries	Sessions
Mental Health and Psychosocial Support	339	684
<b>Total</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>684</b>



### 3.1.5. Palestine Program

Following the 2014 Gaza crisis, first, equipment and operation support were provided to two physical therapy and rehabilitation centers serving with limited facilities. In 2015, an office was established in the city center, and a new physical therapy and rehabilitation center was established in Khan Yunis region at the south of Gaza. Later, mobile teams were established, and home care service started to be provided to those in need. The number of home care teams has varied over the years depending on the need in the region. In 2022, activities continued with 4 mobile medical teams and Khan Yunis Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation center. In addition to these services, Middle Area Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Center also provided healthcare in 2022.

Until October 7, 2023, service was provided with 3 mobile medical teams and Khan Yunis Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Center, and physical therapy and rehabilitation, medical care and psychological support services were also provided in the region.

Palestine Program Team	2023 Outputs of Palestine Program		
	Services	Beneficiaries	Sessions
1 Doctor			
3 Nurses			
1 Pharmacist			
5 Physiotherapists			
1 Psychosocial Support Personnel			
5 Administrative Personnel			
3 Logistics Personnel			
	Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation	975	4,543
	Medical Care	1,221	13,224
	Psychosocial Support	115	224
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2,311</b>	<b>17,991</b>

On October 7, 2023, one of the biggest crises in its history started in Gaza. During this crisis, which has caused the greatest destruction in recent years and is still ongoing, Yeryüzü Doktorları has continued its services uninterrupted, regardless of the circumstances. In order to meet the most urgent needs in the region, where the severity of attacks increases day by day and even access to basic needs becomes difficult, 1,700 emergency aid packages, hot meal support for 4,800 people, 6,025 food parcel support, qurbani support for 7,800 people, 200 doctor uniforms to support the healthcare system, 176 hospital kits support, 34,988 medication, medical equipment and consumables aids, and cash support to 135 healthcare professionals working at Kuwait Hospital, were provided in Gaza until 2024. Additionally, aid trucks were prepared in Egypt and delivered aids to Yeryüzü Doktorları team through Rafah Border Gate in Gaza, and aid supplies were also delivered to the charity ship arrived in Gaza from Mersin.

Service Provided	Number of Beneficiaries
Examination	10,968
Emergency Aid Package	10,150
Medication, Medical Equipment and Consumables	29,903
Hot Meal	4,800
Food Parcel	51,990
Qurbani Food Distribution	7,800
PSS (Children's Activities)	250
<b>Total</b>	<b>115,861</b>



### 3.1.6. Chad Sido Refugee Health Center

100 thousand refugees, who migrated to Chad due to the Central Africa crisis started in the late 2013, have begun to take shelter in the camps established in the southeast of the country. Having first supported a health care center in Bangui, the capital of Central African Republic, during the crisis, Yeryüzü Doktorları started to provide health care services in Chad Doyaba Refugee Camp in July 2014.

In 2016, a new health care center was established in Sido Refugee Camp located in Maro region of Chad, providing shelter for 50 thousand refugees. Within the center, which completed its seventh year at the end of 2023, services such as primary health care, medication support and basic laboratory tests are provided free of charge and on a regular basis. In addition, those in need who have difficulty reaching the center are provided health care services with mobile teams.

Chad Sido Refugee Health Center Team	2023 Outputs of Chad Sido Refugee Health Center	
	Services	Beneficiaries
1 Doctor		
1 Pharmacist		
1 Nurse		
1 Administrative Personnel		
1 Laboratory Technician		
3 Community Health Professionals		
	Examination	10,932
	Laboratory Support	3,926
	Medication and Medical Equipment Support	12,560
	<b>Total</b>	<b>27,418</b>





### 3.1.7. Somalia Mogadishu Family Health Center

Mogadishu Health Center, located on the Afgoye road in Mogadishu, the capital of Somalia, where internally displaced people live, started to provide services in February 2019. Services such as primary health care services, medication support and basic laboratory tests are provided within the center free of charge and on a regular basis.

#### Somalia Mogadishu Health Center Team

1 Doctor
1 Pharmacist
1 Laboratory Technician
2 Nurses
6 Administrative Personnel

#### 2023 Outputs of Somalia Mogadishu Health Center

Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	8,726
Laboratory Support	4,795
Medication and Medical Equipment Support	8,187
<b>Total</b>	<b>21,708</b>



### 3.1.8. Bangladesh Thaingkhali Refugee Health Center

Yeryüzü Doktorları has been operating uninterruptedly in Bangladesh since 2017 and provides services in the region such as primary health care service, hygiene kit distribution, qurbani operations, food parcel distribution, iftar organizations and cataract camps.

Thaingkhali Refugee Health Center carries out its operations in the refugee camp no. 19 in Cox's Bazar region of Bangladesh since June 2020. Within the center, primary health care services, laboratory tests and free medication support are provided for refugees.

#### Bangladesh Thaingkhali Refugee Health Center Team

2 Doctors
1 Nurse
1 Pharmacist
1 Midwife
5 Administrative Personnel

#### 2023 Outputs of Bangladesh Thaingkhali Refugee Health Center

Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	32,953
Laboratory Support	568
<b>Total</b>	<b>33,521</b>



### 3.1.9. Türkiye-Syria Earthquake (6th of February)

During the earthquakes that occurred on February 6, 2023, centered in Kahramanmaraş and caused great destruction in Syria as well, 50 thousand 783 people in Türkiye and minimum 8 thousand 476 people in Syria lost their lives, and more than 122 thousand people were injured, according to official figures.

The earthquake described as the “Disaster of the Century” affected 11 provinces of Türkiye, including Kahramanmaraş, Hatay, Adıyaman and Malatya.

Having arrived in the region within the first 24 hours of the earthquake with volunteer medical teams from all over Türkiye, Yeryüzü Doktorları delivered humanitarian aid supplies to those in need and started the first interventions. During this period, surgeries were performed for earthquake victims in the fields of orthopedics and gynecology, and earthquake victims who gave birth suddenly or were about to lose their limbs held on to life by means of these interventions. Earthquake victims were provided with examination, treatment and medication support services within the scope of primary health care service provided in tent hospitals set up in the earthquake region. At the same time, to reduce the psychological effects of the earthquake on disaster victims, psychosocial support tents were set and both group and individual interview sessions were held along with activities for children and adults, accompanied by expert psychologists.

In addition to the health care services provided in the earthquake region during Ramadan, food parcels were distributed in tents and container cities to meet the food needs in the region and to support nutrition health. Again, within the scope of qurbani operations carried out in the earthquake region during Eid al-Adha, 527 animals were sacrificed on share basis and delivered to 8 thousand 75 people in the earthquake area.

Having continued its services since the first day of the earthquake, Yeryüzü Doktorları provided primary health care support and psychosocial support services and distributed hygiene kits and food parcels, especially in Kahramanmaraş, Adıyaman, Hatay and Malatya. It also played an active role in the Jindires region of Syria, where the effects of the earthquake were felt, and supported the earthquake victims with its health care services.

Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	79,673
Medication Support	76,314
Hygiene Kit	1,941
Emergency Aid Package	3,961
Psychosocial Support	119,982
Medical Training	7,698
<b>Total</b>	<b>289,569</b>

### Kahramanmaraş

Having arrived in the region on the first day of the earthquake, Yeryüzü Doktorları set up a tent hospital in Oniki Şubat Stadium during the acute period, and provided the earthquake victims with examination, treatment and medication support services, with volunteer medical teams.

Having continued its activities in Sakarya Container City following start of construction of container cities, Yeryüzü Doktorları provided earthquake victims with health care support through primary health care services. In addition, it aimed to reduce the psychological effects of the earthquake on disaster victims by conducting individual and group interviews within the scope of the psychosocial support activities it provided. Yeryüzü Doktorları carried out instructive and developing activities by organizing child-friendly area activities for children. In addition, it formed mobile medical teams for those in need in the earthquake region, who did not have access to a health support station, and provided earthquake victims in rural areas with services, with these mobile teams. Food parcels and hygiene kits were distributed to those in need at certain periods.

Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	27,669
Medication Support	26,985
Hygiene Kit	2,190
Emergency Aid Package	50
Psychosocial Support	16,129
Medical Training	1,394
<b>Total</b>	<b>74,417</b>



In Hatay, which suffered serious destruction during the earthquake, a tent hospital was first set up during the acute period, and mobile medical teams were sent to rural areas where health care service was needed. At the same time, emergency surgeries were performed in the first weeks by volunteer physicians in hospitals that remained intact.

Having continued their activities in Qatar Container City following the establishment of container cities, Yeryüzü Doktorları teams continued their activities by establishing health support stations and psychosocial support centers, and distributed food parcels and hygiene kits to those in need at regular intervals.

Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	22,714
Medication Support	22,947
Emergency Aid Package	1,476
Psychosocial Support	15,112
Surgery	33
<b>Total</b>	<b>62,282</b>



At the health station, which was established in Adiyaman at the first stage with 2 containers, earthquake victims were provided with primary health care service and medication support. In addition to health care services, emergency aid packages were delivered to earthquake victims.

In Vartana Container City, psychosocial support activities and individual and group interviews were carried out, child-friendly area activities were organized, and activities were continued to reduce the effects of the earthquake on children. In this context, movie screening and playing activities were organized to reach children affected by earthquake, and primary health care services were continued at the health support station which was established.

Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	23,997
Medication Support	23,011
Hygiene Kit	774
Emergency Aid Package	2,060
Psychosocial Support	22,305
Medical Training	1,710
<b>Total</b>	<b>73,857</b>



Having carried out its activities in Malatya Sugar Factory during the acute period, Yeryüzü Doktorları provided psychosocial support services for children from the very first moment and held individual and group interviews for earthquake victims suffering from post-traumatic stress disorder.

Later, the psychosocial support station was moved to the Central Malet Container City and served earthquake victims with group interviews, individual interviews, psychoeducation and child-friendly area activities.

Also volunteer medical students provided 120 earthquake victims with health care service in an activity as they named "Health Street".

The psychosocial support area in Malatya was named after Elifnur Şeyma Dalhançer, a Young Doctors Worldwide volunteer who died in the earthquake, and healing of the wounds of earthquake victims in the region continued, by honoring her memory.

In addition, Yeryüzü Doktorları formed mobile medical teams for those in need in the earthquake region, and provided earthquake victims in rural areas with services, with these mobile teams.

Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	4,774
Medication Support	3,371
Hygiene Kit	806
Psychosocial Support	66,436
Medical Training	4,594
<b>Total</b>	<b>79,981</b>



Yeryüzü Doktorları provides emergency treatment services and medication and equipment support, primarily by sending volunteer medical teams in case of war and crisis situations as well as natural disasters such as earthquake, flood, fire, etc., occurred in different geographies in the world. In line with the identified needs, it supports repair and operation of damaged hospitals or health centers, establishes field hospitals and clinics, and forms mobile medical teams. It develops and implements medium-long term projects to replenish the basic needs related to health care infrastructure affected by the crisis. In addition, it works to heal the wounds with services related to meeting the basic needs such as food support, hygiene kits and access to clean water.

Months	Country	Territory	Emergency	Type of Service	Pcs.	Beneficiaries
February - December	Türkiye	Kahramanmaraş, Hatay, Malatya, Adıyaman, Gaziantep	6th of February, Kahramanmaraş Earthquake	Examination	*	79,673
				Medication Support	*	76,314
				Hygiene Kit	452	1,941
				Emergency Aid Package	3,961	3,961
				Psychosocial Support	*	119,982
				Medical Training	*	7,698
September	Libya	Darnah	Natural Disaster - Floods	Food Parcel	30	720
				Hygiene Kit	184	920
September	Morocco	Al Maghzane, Taroudant, Souss Massa.	Morocco Earthquake	Emergency Aid Package	200	1078
October	Afghanistan	Herat	Afghanistan Earthquake	Hot Meal	1000	1000
				Food Parcel	350	2,450
				Other Equipment	10	10
October - December	Palestine	Gaza	Gaza Crisis	Emergency Aid Package	1,700	10,150
				Medication, Medical Equipment and Consumables	37,965	29,903
				Hot Meal	1,000	4,800
				Food Parcel	6,025	51,990
				Qurbani Food Distribution	10 (Cow)	7,800
				Examination	*	10,968
Children's Activities	*	250				
<b>Total</b>					<b>52,887</b>	<b>411,608</b>



## 3.2. MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH PROJECTS

### 3.2.1. Soran Maternal and Child Health Center

Soran Maternal and Child Health Center started its operations in June 2018 to provide birth and primary health care services in Soran town of Azaz, in which the population approached 300 thousand with the internal migration waves. Free examination, laboratory service and medication support as well as pregnancy follow-up service are provided in gynecology, pediatrics and internal medicine branches within the scope of the project.

Soran Maternal and Child Health Center Team	2023 Outputs of Soran Maternal and Child Health Center		
4 Doctors	<b>Services</b>	<b>Beneficiaries</b>	<b>Sessions</b>
12 Nurses	Examination	25,655	*
4 Midwife	Treatment	5,905	*
1 Laboratory Assistant	Birth	5	*
1 Pharmacist	Medication and Medical Equipment Support	34,287	*
4 Administrative Personnel	Laboratory Support	4,368	*
9 Logistics Personnel	Psychosocial Support	*	162
	<b>Total</b>	<b>70,220</b>	<b>162</b>



### 3.2.2. Yemen Taiz Maternal and Child Health Centers

Yeryüzü Doktorları started providing maternal and child health care services in 3 different health centers in Taiz province of Yemen in February 2021. However, since August 2022, the service has been continuing only at Al-Wafa Health Center located in Taiz province. Within the scope of the project, examination and treatment services in the fields of pediatrics and gynecology are provided at the center, and pregnant mothers are provided with pregnancy follow-up and birth services.

Yemen Taiz Maternal and Child Health Centers Team	2023 Outputs of Yemen Taiz Maternal and Child Health Centers		
2 Doctors	<b>Services</b>	<b>Beneficiaries</b>	<b>Sessions</b>
1 Nurse	Examination	18,235	
1 Midwife	Birth	208	*
1 Laboratory Technician	Laboratory	12,218	*
4 Administrative Personnel	Medication and Medical Equipment Support	2,273	*
2 Service Personnel	Psychosocial Support	*	1,494
	<b>Total</b>	<b>32,934</b>	<b>1,494</b>



### 3.2.3. Chad Sido Maternal and Child Health Center

Due to the frequent occurrence of maternal and newborn deaths in the region, birth services were also added, as of May 2021, to Sido, Chad Refugee Health Center, which has been providing uninterrupted service since 2016. Within the scope of the relevant service, pregnancy follow-up and birth services, vaccination services for mothers and newborns, and ultrasound testing services are provided. All services provided by the center continue to be provided by mobile teams to those in need who do not have the opportunity to reach the health center and live in refugee camps.

Chad Sido Maternal and Child Health Center Team	
1 Midwife	
1 Nurse	
1 Administrative Personnel	

2023 Outputs of Chad Sido Maternal and Child Health Center	
Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	3,719
Birth	885
Laboratory Support	544
Medication and Medical Equipment Support	6,471
<b>Total</b>	<b>11,619</b>



### 3.2.4. Chad Bahr El Gazal Moussoro Maternal and Child Health Center

Yeryüzü Doktorları started to provide maternal and child health care services within Moussoro Hospital, which started operating in the Bahr El Gazal region of Chad in 2022. Within the scope of the project, gynecological examination, pregnancy follow-up for pregnant mothers and ultrasound and birth services are provided at the center.

Chad Bahr El Gazal Moussoro Maternal and Child Health Center Team	
3 Administrative Personnel	
5 Midwife	
2 Nurses	

2023 Outputs of Chad Bahr El Gazal Moussoro Maternal and Child Health Center	
Services	Beneficiaries
Examination	2,268
Birth	655
Laboratory Support	2,321
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,244</b>



### 3.3. NUTRITION HEALTH PROJECTS

#### 3.3.1. Yemen Taiz Nutrition Health Centers

Yeryüzü Doktorları has added 3 new centers in 2021 to the existing 4 centers, in line with the needs analysis it conducted in Yemen. In this context, nutrition health care services have started to be provided in 3 different health centers in Al-Qahirah and Al-Muzaffer regions of Taiz province of Yemen. However, having re-evaluated the needs in August 2022, it was decided to continue to provide services only at the Al-Wafa health center in Al-Muzaffar region.

Yemen Taiz Nutrition Health Centers Team
1 Nurse
1 Pharmacist

2023 Outputs of Yemen Taiz Nutrition Health Centers Project		
Services	Beneficiaries	Sessions
Examination	*	12,079
Nutrition Treatment	1,337	*
Training	17,138	*
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,475</b>	<b>12,079</b>



#### 3.3.2. Chad Sido Nutrition Health Center

At Sido, Chad Nutrition Health Center, which started to provide services in January 2019, children with moderate and severe malnutrition problems are provided with therapeutic treatment and ready-made food support. In addition, awareness-raising activities are also carried out for refugees living in the region to ensure the adoption of preventive health practices, and mobile health care services are also provided to provide those in need who have difficulty reaching the center better service.

Chad Sido Nutrition Health Center Team
1 Nutritionist
1 Nutrition Trainer
2 Nurses
1 Administrative Personnel

2023 Outputs of Chad Sido Nutrition Health Center		
Services	Beneficiaries	Sessions
Examination	*	21,907
Nutrition Treatment	1,407	*
Medication and Medical Equipment Support	2,504	*
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,911</b>	<b>21,907</b>



### 3.3.3. Afghanistan Nutrition Health Centers

Yeryüzü Doktorları has been providing services in 15 provinces of Afghanistan since January 2020 with 18 nutrition health centers and 11 mobile medical teams. In these centers, examination and nutritional treatment services are provided for those in need, particularly for pregnant/breastfeeding mothers and children.

#### Afghanistan Nutrition Health Centers Team

- 29 Nutrition Nurses
- 5 Administrative Personnel
- 2 Logistics Personnel

#### 2023 Outputs of Afghanistan Nutrition Health Centers

Services	Beneficiaries	Sessions
Examination	*	294,536
Nutrition Treatment	43,461	*
<b>Total</b>	<b>43,461</b>	<b>294,536</b>



### 3.3.4. Somalia Mogadishu Nutrition Health Center

In addition to the existing services at the health center, which was opened in Mogadishu in 2019, treatment services for severe malnutrition started to be provided in October of the same year. In these centers, therapeutic food services are provided, and a nutritional treatment of 4 to 8 weeks is administered for children under the age of five.

#### Somalia Mogadishu Nutrition Health Center Team

- 1 Nutritionist
- 1 Nutrition Nurse
- 1 Medical Training Professional
- 1 Administrative Personnel

#### 2023 Outputs of Somalia Mogadishu Refugee Health Center

Services	Beneficiaries	Sessions
Examination	*	6,014
Nutrition Treatment	567	*
<b>Total</b>	<b>567</b>	<b>6,014</b>





### 3.3.5. Food Aids

During the Ramadan period of 2023, 2 thousand 920 food parcels were distributed in a total of 6 countries, including Afghanistan, Benin, Chad, Palestine, Syria and Türkiye (earthquake region), and iftar meals were offered to 8 thousand people in Syria. In addition, 9 thousand 915 packages were distributed for urgent needs in addition to the Ramadan period. A total of 90 thousand 800 people were reached within the scope of the food aids.



### 3.3.6. Qurbani Activities

Within the scope of 2023 qurbani activities, 24 thousand 339 animals were sacrificed on a share basis and their meats were distributed to 468 thousand 231 people, in 17 countries.

Country	Share
Afghanistan	1,491
Benin	1,540
Chad	1,400
Ethiopia	1,050
Palestine	7
Cameroon	7,119
India	7,000
Niger	1,050
Somalia	1,953
Tanzania	945
Uganda	105
Syria	54
Yemen	14
Kazakhstan	35
Azerbaijan	35
Kosovo	14
Türkiye (Earthquake Region)	527
<b>Total</b>	<b>24,339</b>



## 3.4. EYE HEALTH PROJECTS

Yeryüzü Doktorları has carried out eye health projects since 2006 in 20 different countries in total, including Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Chechnya (RF), Ethiopia, Gambia, Cameroon, Kenya, Democratic Republic of Congo, Lebanon, Mali, Mauritania, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Somalia, Sudan, Tanzania, Uganda and Yemen.

In addition to the treatment services provided within the scope of the projects, efforts were also made to enhance the local health care services capacity with the activities such as establishment of surgical eye units and training of local healthcare personnel.

In 2023, 25 thousand 420 eye examinations were performed, 3 thousand 591 eye surgeries were performed and a total of 4 thousand 662 eyeglasses were distributed during the activities carried out in 10 different countries, including Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Ethiopia, Gambia, Cameroon, Nigeria, Sri Lanka, Sierra Leone, Somalia and Yemen.

### 2023 Outputs of Eye Health Projects

Country	Eye Examination	Cataract Surgery	Distribution of Eyeglasses
Afghanistan	9,241	750	824
Bangladesh	6,554	1,310	1,814
Nigeria	4,500	800	800
Cameroon	450	100	120
Somalia	3,477	411	877
Ethiopia	300	50	47
Yemen	219	50	50
Gambia	120	20	30
Sri Lanka	266	50	50
Sierra Leone	293	50	50
<b>Total</b>	<b>25,420</b>	<b>3,591</b>	<b>4,662</b>



## 3.5. VOLUNTEER MEDICAL TEAM PROJECTS

Yeryüzü Doktorları sent more than 250 volunteer medical teams to more than 54 countries in internal medicine and surgical branches since its establishment in response to demands from all around the world. The institution organized surgical and internal health camps with 3 volunteer medical teams in 2023, and volunteer physicians shared their experience with local healthcare professionals throughout the operations, in addition to performing examinations and surgeries.

### 2023 Outputs of the Volunteer Medical Team Project

Country	Branch	Date	Examination	Surgery	Medical Support
Chad	Pediatrics, Eye, Family Practice	20 - 28 January	1,332	*	*
Chad	Family Practice, Pediatrics	23 June - 5 July	652	*	767
Somalia	Orthopedics, Ear, Nose, Throat (ENT)	23 - 30 September	429	426	*
Bangladesh	Eye	12 - 22 October	429	42	*
<b>Total</b>			<b>2,352</b>	<b>742</b>	<b>767</b>



## 3.6. HEALTH TRAINING PROJECTS

For the purpose of increasing the health care service capacity in the countries where it carries out its projects and programs, Yeryüzü Doktorları supports training, certification and specialization programs at associate, undergraduate and graduate levels, and contributes to scientific research and events by organizing congresses.

In 2023, Emergency First Aid Training was provided for adults at Suluk Health Center.

2023 Outputs of Medical Training Projects		
Country	Territory	Number of Beneficiaries
Syria	Jindires	22
	Soran	280
	Suluk	120
<b>Total</b>		<b>422</b>



## 3.7. WASH PROJECTS

Yeryüzü Doktorları carries out water well drilling activities in the regions with drought to prevent spread of contagious diseases resulting from insufficient access to clean water. Through the year of 2023, 89 wells were drilled, and a total of 41 thousand 70 people were reached.

2023 Outputs of WASH Projects		
Country	Wells Drilled	Beneficiaries
Afghanistan	31	10,011
Cameroon	56	31,050
India	2	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>41,070</b>





# COMMUNICATION ACTIVITIES

## 4.1. CAMPAIGNS AND DONATIONS

Campaign	Total Donation (TRY)*
Eye Health Campaign	₺ 7,498,822.73
Zakât Campaign	₺ 19,624,623.71
Food Box Campaign	₺ 510,157.93
Qurbani Campaign	₺ 64,684,366.04
Crisis Emergency - Gaza Campaign	₺ 87,472,409.65
Crisis Emergency - Türkiye-Syria Earthquakes	₺ 22,818,620.10
<b>Total</b>	<b>₺ 202,609,000.16</b>

\*Donations cover the entire 2023

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## 4.2. PRESS AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

### 4.2.1. News from Yeryüzü Doktorları

#### **20 – 28 January 2023 | Chad Volunteer Medical Team**

Yeryüzü Doktorları went to N'Djamena, the capital of Chad, with its team of volunteer healthcare professionals, from 20th to 21st of January. It provided examination services in schools and orphanages in the region with 1 pediatrician, 1 ophthalmologist and 1 family physician assigned in the team. Having performed 1,332 examinations within the scope of the activities it carried out for 9 days, the association also supported the patients examined in respect of their referral process and medications.

#### **31 January 2023 | Open Your Eyes with Yeryüzü Doktorları**

According to data of the World Health Organization, 2 billion 200 million people in the world are living with eye diseases. Cataract disease, which is also seen in our country and can only be treated with surgery, consists of 94 million of this figure. This year, Yeryüzü Doktorları launched a campaign named 'Open Your Eyes' to draw attention to cataract disease and vision losses in countries where healthcare facilities are insufficient. Having made a statement on the campaign, Yahyahan Güney (MD), Chairman of the Board of Directors of Yeryüzü Doktorları, stated, "Eye diseases continue to make lives difficult as an important health problem in those geographies in need. This year, we launched a campaign named 'Open Your Eyes' for those in need, who are waiting for us and hoping for their eyes to be opened. "You can support our campaign so that more people can access eye health care services and see their beloved ones again."

#### **11 February 2023 | Yeryüzü Doktorları is Providing Health Care Services in the Earthquake Region**

Having gone into action immediately after the earthquakes that occurred in Kahramanmaraş and affected 11 provinces, Yeryüzü Doktorları provided health care services in the earthquake region with its employees and volunteer medical teams for emergency aid, and distributed medications and supplies. Having made a statement on the earthquake aids in Kahramanmaraş, Ozan Mutlu, CEO of Yeryüzü Doktorları, stated, "Activities of our state and non-governmental organizations are continuing intensively. We, as Yeryüzü Doktorları,

are endeavoring to deliver basic supplies to our citizens in the region affected by the disaster. Our activities in the earthquake region are continuing with a total of 9 teams. At the same time, we are making our plans to meet the medium-long term health care needs in the earthquake region. We can overcome this by fighting with it all together in cooperation. We are waiting for the support and help of all of you."

#### **17 February 2023 | Yeryüzü Doktorları is Continuing to Heal the Wounds of Earthquake Victims**

Having gone into action immediately after the earthquakes that occurred in our country, which were described as the "Disaster of the Century", Yeryüzü Doktorları provided primary health care in Kahramanmaraş, Adıyaman and Hatay with volunteer medical teams. At the same time, the association provided the earthquake victims with emergency interventions and performed surgeries of 29 people in the first three days and continued its activities with its psychosocial support. Having made a statement on the earthquake activities, Ozan Mutlu, CEO of Yeryüzü Doktorları, stated, "We, as Yeryüzü Doktorları, have been in the region since the first day of the earthquake. Within the scope of this earthquake that deeply affected all of us, we are working feverishly with our teams to meet the priority needs and to heal the wounds of the community. In this context, we are in our tent hospitals to meet the health care needs of earthquake victims. "We also carry out psychosocial support activities in order to reduce the negative effects caused by the earthquake and to be there for the earthquake victims in this period."

#### **13 March 2023 | Yeryüzü Doktorları is Continuing its Activities in the Earthquake Region**

Having moved to the region immediately after the earthquake, Yeryüzü Doktorları provided health care services in the region for a month with its employees and volunteer medical teams from all over Türkiye. Having reached 43 thousand 589 earthquake victims so far, the association continued its activities without interruption. At the same time, with the Friendship tent it erected in Kahramanmaraş when it reached 21 thousand 380 earthquake victims in a month

with examination, treatment, psychosocial and medication support services, it was there for all disaster victims, particularly for children. Likewise, having which erected two health tents in Hatay, Yeryüzü Doktorları provided health care services to 11 thousand 380 earthquake victims, with its volunteer teams, within the scope of examination, surgery and medication support. Within the scope of its services in Adıyaman province, it served 5 thousand 838 people. Having distributed humanitarian aid supplies in the earthquake region simultaneously with health care activities, the association supported 4 thousand 991 earthquake victims by delivering to the region urgent needs such as hygiene kits, food, clothes and blankets.

#### **23 March 2023 | Let Your Zakat Be Remedy**

This year during Ramadan, Yeryüzü Doktorları reached those in need worldwide, particularly the earthquake victims, with its campaign named "Let Your Zakat Be Remedy". The association continued its primary health care and psychosocial support activities in the tents it erected in Kahramanmaraş, Hatay, Adıyaman and Malatya, which were most affected by the earthquake. In addition to the health care services it provided in the earthquake region during Ramadan, it distributed food parcels in order to meet food needs and to support nutrition health, through zakat donations. Having made a statement on the campaign, Consultant Yahyahan Güney (MD), Chairman of the Board of Directors of Yeryüzü Doktorları, stated, "Although this Ramadan will be a bit bittersweet in the earthquake region, we will continue to be there for the earthquake victims with our health care services and food parcels in order to maintain solidarity and cooperation. At the same time, we will also reach those in need waiting for us in distant geographies, with our services. You may also donate to our campaign on our website or give a support of TL 70 by typing "FİTRE" and sending it to 7712 from all operators. As every year, let your zakat increase as you share it, and let it be remedy as it increases, this year as well."

#### **10 April 2023 | Yeryüzü Doktorları Provided More Than 75 thousand People in the Earthquake Region with Services**

Yeryüzü Doktorları reached those in need in the earthquake region within the scope of the campaign named "Let Your Zakat Be Remedy", which it launched this year. It was there for more than 75 thousand earthquake victims in the region, within the scope of the services it has provided since the first day with its employees and volunteer medical teams from all over Türkiye. Having made a statement on the campaign of "Let Your Zakat Be Remedy", Yahyahan Güney (MD), Chairman of the Board of Directors of Yeryüzü Doktorları, stated, "As every year, we are continuing to provide our

aids to those in need during Ramadan, this year as well. We are working with an effort to meet the needs that arose following the earthquakes that occurred in our country and caused tens of thousands of people to lose their lives. "We are continuing to share the blessing of Ramadan in the earthquake region with our Zakat campaign and working to give hope to those in need."

#### **24 May 2023 | Yeryüzü Doktorları: Let the World Heal with Qurbani Donations**

Yeryüzü Doktorları, which held qurbani activities this year both in the country and in distant geographies, particularly in the earthquake region, with the slogan "Let the World Heal With Qurbani Donations", has determined the domestic sacrificial animal share price as TL 6000 and the international sacrificial animal share price as TL 2600. The association held its 2023 overseas qurbani activities in a total of 16 countries, including Afghanistan, Benin, Chad, Ethiopia, India, Cameroon, Niger, Somalia, Uganda, Tanzania, Palestine, Yemen, Syria, Kazakhstan, Azerbaijan and Kosovo. Having made a statement on the qurbani campaign, Consultant Yahyahan Güney (MD), Chairman of the Board of Directors of Yeryüzü Doktorları, stated, "Within the scope of the operations we carry out in accordance with Islamic procedures and rules, we deliver the valuable sacrificial meat which is entrusted to us, immediately after the sacrificing procedures, to those in need who look forward to accepting these blessings. This year, we are calling out to our donors with our campaign named 'Let the World Heal With Qurbani Donations'. You, too, can make your sacrifice donations to our association which will use the same on your behalf to support those in need".

#### **23 June – 4 July 2023 | Eid al-Adha Passed Full of Health in Chad**

Yeryüzü Doktorları went to Chad from 23rd of June to 4th of July to carry out qurbani activities and to provide health care services with a volunteer medical team. It performed a total of 652 examinations in the branches of pediatrics and family practice during the Eid al-Adha at its center in Sido, Chad. It conducted the referral process of patients who were examined and provided a total of 767 patients with medication support. While the association delivered sacrificial meat aids to the local community on the one hand, it also provided health care services on the other hand.

## 17 August 2023 | They Have Been Working in the Disaster Areas Since 17th of August

Yeryüzü Doktorları, the foundations of which were laid with the activities of a group of volunteer healthcare professionals during the 17th of August earthquake, is continuing to use the experience it has gained from past to present, in order to remove the traces of the Kahramanmaraş earthquake. Having made a statement on the anniversary of the Marmara Earthquake, Consultant Yahyahan Güney (MD), Chairman of the Board of Directors of Yeryüzü Doktorları, stated, "The destructive effect of the Marmara Earthquake, which occurred 24 years ago, showed us that humanitarian aid and first aid are of vital importance in the acute period. The experience we gained with our volunteers during the Marmara Earthquake, has today become an inducement for us, as Yeryüzü Doktorları, to be there for tens of thousands of people during the Kahramanmaraş Earthquake. "We are continuing our services in the region with our volunteer doctors, nurses, pharmacists and psychologists in order to heal the wounds of the Kahramanmaraş earthquake."

## 5 September 2023 | Türkiye's Volunteer Doctors Mobilized for Health

Since the day when it was established, Yeryüzü Doktorları has been providing health care services in both internal and surgical branches in many regions domestically and abroad. Coordinating with its volunteer network from the first seconds of a disaster, the association meets people's health care needs with its Turkish doctors. Yeryüzü Doktorları is sending the volunteer medical teams it draws attention to in its campaign named "Goodness. Health. From Heart To Heart.", both to the earthquake region and to geographies with disadvantages in health. The association, which has been operating for more than 20 years, has provided health care services up until today in 54 countries with its 40 thousand volunteers and more than 250 volunteer medical teams. Having touched 18 million lives by performing more than 2 million examinations and more than 44 thousand surgeries, Yeryüzü Doktorları aims to continue its activities by expanding them with the campaigns it organizes and the donations it receives.

## 15 September 2023 | Emergency Aid to Libya from Yeryüzü Doktorları

More than 10 thousand people lost their lives up until today during the flood disaster which occurred following the Daniel storm, which occurred in Libya on 10th of September and caused a great destruction, and the number of missing people approached 20 thousand. Yeryüzü Doktorları

supported the international aid call made by Libya, which experienced the worst flood disaster in its history, with hygiene kits and basic supplies. The association sent support packages containing basic needs such as shampoo, personal hygiene products, diapers and baby food, to the region where the flood disaster affected approximately 2 million people. Having prepared the support packages at the association's head office in Istanbul, the team reached Izmir within hours to go to Libya and departed on board the aid ship under coordination of AFAD.

## 23-30 September 2023 | Somalia Volunteer Medical Team

Having organized volunteer medical teams in both surgical and internal branches in those regions in need, Yeryüzü Doktorları went to Mogadishu, the capital of Somalia, with a medical team of 7 persons, including 1 ear, nose and throat surgeon, 1 orthopedics surgeon, 1 anesthesiologist, 2 surgical nurses and 2 anesthesia technicians. Having carried out activities in the hospital located in a region struggling with limited resources, the team performed a total of 438 examinations and 42 incurable surgical operations in the fields of orthopedics and ear, nose and throat, for 8 days.

## 12-22 October 2023 | Bangladesh Cataract Operations

Yeryüzü Doktorları, which has been providing services for many years in the center it opened in Cox Bazar Refugee Camp in Bangladesh, performed cataract operations with the participation of physicians of the eye health branch between October 12-22, 2023. Having stayed in the region for 11 days, the team supported hundreds of people in need by performing a total of 1810 eye examinations and 298 cataract surgeries with different partners.

## 13-16 October | 3-5 November 2023 | Youth and Volunteering Management Camp

Yeryüzü Doktorları organized the traditional management camp, for the Young Doctors Worldwide communities, which consist of volunteer students studying at 53 universities in Türkiye, especially in health-related departments, to meet and to conduct annual situation assessments and social events. 147 students attended the camp, which was held at two-week intervals. The management camp, which was prepared with the theme of "Youth and Volunteering", hosted many experts from the academy to the media. This year, interactive studies were carried out with seminars, workshops and field experience sharing held at the Young Doctors Worldwide Management Camps organized in Kefken district as well as Çiftalan Village of Eyüpsultan district of Kocaeli.

## 13 October 2023 | Yeryüzü Doktorları is Delivering Aids in Gaza Under Difficult Conditions

Thousands of people lost their lives, and more than 6 thousand people were injured in the attacks that have been continuing in Gaza since 7th of October. Having a physical therapy and rehabilitation center in Gaza since 2015, Yeryüzü Doktorları is healing the wounds of the community struggling to survive under very difficult conditions. While doctors and nurses from the association's team are providing emergency intervention for the injured at Gaza Al-Shifa Hospital and Indonesia Hospital on the one hand, emergency aid packages are being delivered to people in the region on the other hand. Having made an assessment on the situation in Gaza, Consultant Yahyahan Güney (MD), Chairman of the Board of Directors of Yeryüzü Doktorları, stated, "As always, we, as Yeryüzü Doktorları, are continuing to work in Gaza in these difficult days. We hope that the attacks will end as soon as possible and a peaceful environment will be established. Our humanitarian aid activities have been continuing in Palestine, especially in Gaza, since the day we were established as an association."

## 23 October 2023 | Medical Equipment Support from Yeryüzü Doktorları to Al-Shifa Hospital

Yeryüzü Doktorları is continuing to be there for the local community during the attacks in Gaza since 7th of October. The association supported the critical lack of medical equipment, by sending medical equipment and consumables present in the physiotherapy and rehabilitation center in Gaza to Al-Shifa Hospital, the largest hospital in the region. On 20th of October, having urgently coordinated with the Ministry of Health of Gaza, Yeryüzü Doktorları delivered to Al-Shifa Hospital a total of 13 thousand 837 medical equipment and consumables present in the health center, which are of a nature that can be consumed very quickly, such as bandages, patient diapers, serums, hygienic gels and surgical gloves. Thanks to the great support of its donors, Yeryüzü Doktorları was there for Gaza up until today in terms of both health and humanitarian aid.

## 3 November 2023 | Yeryüzü Doktorları is in Gaza, Where Words Fail!

Yeryüzü Doktorları is continuing its activities to respond to the urgent calls for help from the community and doctors of Gaza during the attacks that have become increasingly violent in Gaza since 7th of October. It was there for 19 thousand 406 people, endeavoring to heal the wounds with its doctors and nurses at Al-Shifa

and Indonesia Hospitals and with his entire mobile medical and logistics teams throughout the city. Having endeavored up until today to bolster the morale of the community by distributing supplies for basic needs in AL-Shifa, Indonesia, Al Nasr and Jerusalem hospitals and at different points of the city, the association distributed a total of 750 baby diapers and 100 hygiene and hospital kits. Yeryüzü Doktorları provided health support with its entire team during the attacks that started on 7th of October. It also distributed hot meal as a basic need. Having reached 300 families by sacrificing cattle, the association's team provided food parcels to 1395 families and bread and water support to 900 families.

## 1 December 2023 | Kuwait Hospital in Southern Gaza Has to Serve 1 Million People!

Having provided treatment for the injured in the emergency services of Al-Shifa and Indonesia Hospitals until the blockade which started in northern and central Gaza, Yeryüzü Doktorları evacuated its team because the hospitals became unusable. In Gaza, where 26 hospitals and 47 health centers were out of use due to attacks and lack of fuel and the need for health care increasingly continued, the association started to serve to the community, which was forced to migrate to the south, with its teams in Kuwait Hospital. Having mobilized for health care services in Rafah, where the population has increased from 300 thousand to 1 million, the association is supporting healthcare personnel and their families due to the limited facilities of Kuwait Hospital in the region and the complete collapse of its system. However, due to the decrease in medical equipment and consumables stock, it met the needs of more than 13 thousand people by delivering to Gaza the aid trucks prepared in Egypt through the Rafah Border Gate. Having delivered aid supplies to the charity ship prepared in Mersin, the team will continue its activities for the people of Gaza by supplying supplies through the border gates while providing internal aid at different points of the city.

### Public Service Ads on TV

#### From Heart to Heart: Spreading Goodness & Health

Total Number of Channels Broadcasted	54
Total Number of Public Service Ads Broadcasted	5881
Total Time Broadcasted (Seconds)	217,019

## 4.3. SOCIAL MEDIA

### 4.3.1. 2023 Social Media Accounts of Yeryüzü Doktorları

Twitter	
Posts:	388
Views:	3,026,400
Likes:	28,300
Followers:	86,575







**Yeryüzü Doktorları** @YYD\_tr · 13 Eyl 23  
Yaşanan sel felaketi nedeniyle #Libya halkının yaralarını sarmak için hijyen kitlerimiz ve insani yardım malzemelerimizi bölgeye ulaştırmak üzere ekiplerimizle yola çıktık.



**Yeryüzü Doktorları** @YYD\_tr · 15 Ara 23  
Bu reçete bugün Gazze'deki Kuveyt Hastanesinde destekleriniz sayesinde yazıldı...



## Instagram



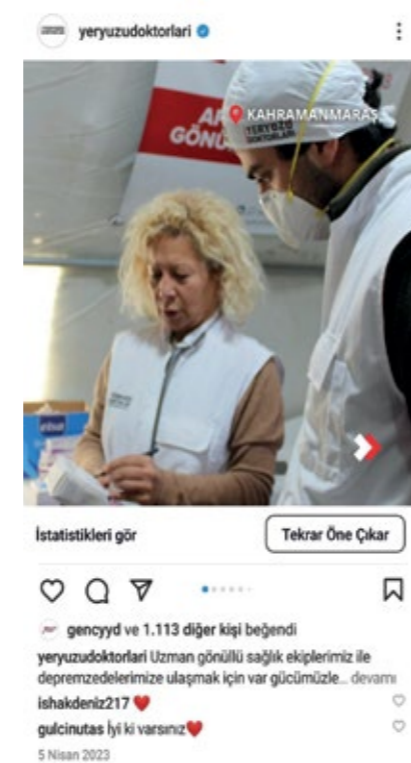
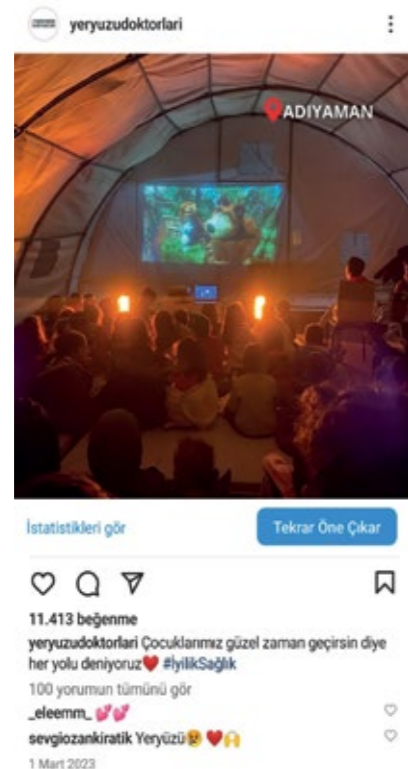
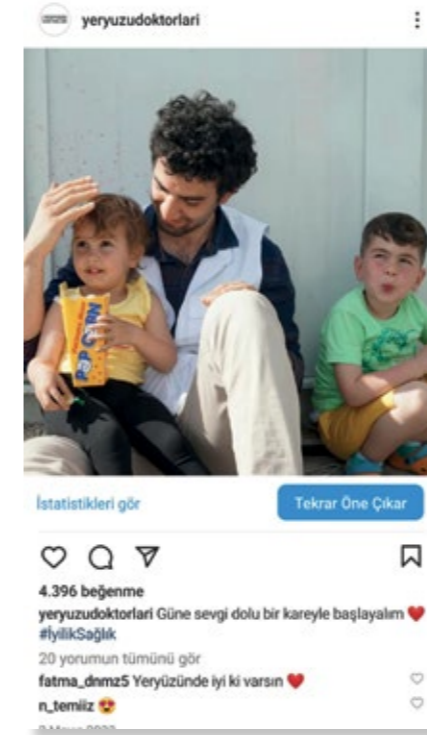
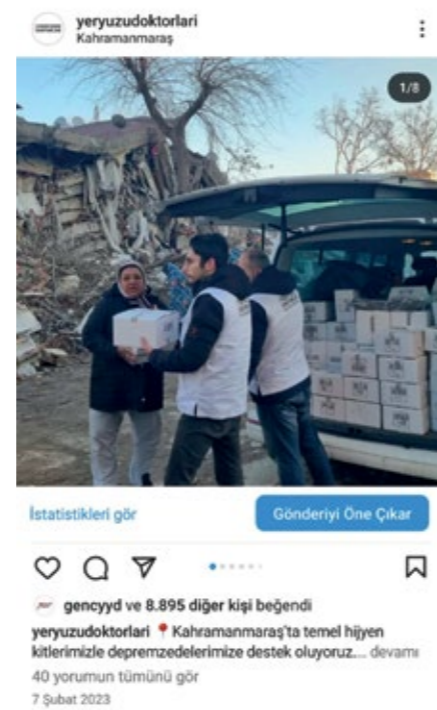
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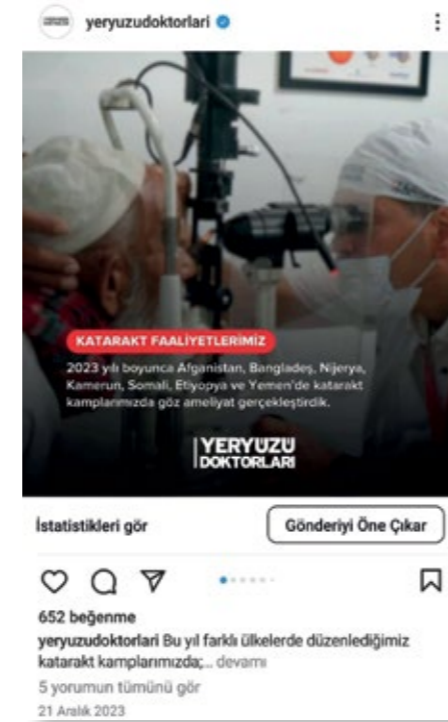


Access: 9,673,211



Followers: 249,000





## Facebook

Page likes: 222,000

Posts: 233

Access: 5,752,084

**Yeryüzü Doktorları** 4 Oca 2023 · 🌐

Çocuklarımızı iyileştiriyor, yarınlarımıza umut olmaya çalışıyoruz. #iyilikSağlık



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Beğen Yorum Yap Paylaş

**Yeryüzü Doktorları** Adıyaman'da. 22 Şub 2023 · Adıyaman · 🌐

Her zaman, her yerde, önce merhamet...



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**Yeryüzü Doktorları** 4 Mar 2023 · 🌐

Biz bugün Muhammed'in ilk dişini çektik! 🦷❤️ #iyilikSağlık



**Yeryüzü Doktorları** 9 Nis 2023 · 🌐

Hatay

Bir çadır kolay kurulmuyor, çok emek veriliyor❤️ #iyilikSağlık



**Yeryüzü Doktorları** 17 May 2023 · 🌐

Deprem bölgesinde kurduğumuz çadır hastanelerimizde muayene, tedavi, ilaç desteği ve psikososyal destek çalışmalarımıza aralıksız devam ediyoruz. Bağışlarınız sayesinde şimdiye kadar 130 binden fazla depremzedemize hizmet verdik, daha çok insana ulaşmak için de çalışıyoruz.

[yyd.org.tr/deprem](http://yyd.org.tr/deprem)



**Yeryüzü Doktorları** 23 Haz 2023 · 🌐

Bu yıl katarakt hastaları da Kurban Bayramını sevdiğini görerek geçirecek 🌱 #iyilikSağlık



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**Yeryüzü Doktorları** Kamerun'da.  
3 Tem 2023 · 🌐

Destekleriniz kilometrelerce ötede yüreklere şifa oldu...

! Dikkat! Fazla mutluluk içerir 🌸



**Yeryüzü Doktorları**  
24 Ağu 2023 · 🌐

Kahramanmaraş

Depremin ilk gününden beri faaliyet gösterdiğimiz Kahramanmaraş'ta şu ana kadar yaklaşık 40 bin depremedemize sağlık hizmeti ulaştırdık. #İyilikSağlık



**Yeryüzü Doktorları**  
5 Eki 2023 · 🌐

Bağışlarınızla yeryüzü temiz suya kavuşuyor 💧

Bu yıl bağışlarınızla Afganistan ve Kamerun'da toplam 46 su kuyusu açtık, 22 bin 747 kişinin temiz suya ulaşmasını sağladık. ❤️

[yyd.org.tr/sukuyusu](http://yyd.org.tr/sukuyusu)



**Yeryüzü Doktorları**  
15 Kas 2023 · 🌐

#Gazze'de son durum..

🔴 7 Ekim'den beri saldırıların devam ettiği Gazze'nin içinde bulunduğu durumu özetlemeye çalıştık. Fakat hissedilenler bundan daha fazlası...

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**Yeryüzü Doktorları**  
30 Eyl 2023 · 🌐

Somalî'den hafızalarımıza kazınanlar 📸

Gönülden gönüle diyerek çıktığımız bu yolda ihtiyaç sahiplerine #İyilikSağlık olmaya devam ediyoruz ❤️



**Yeryüzü Doktorları**  
23 Ara 2023 · 🌐

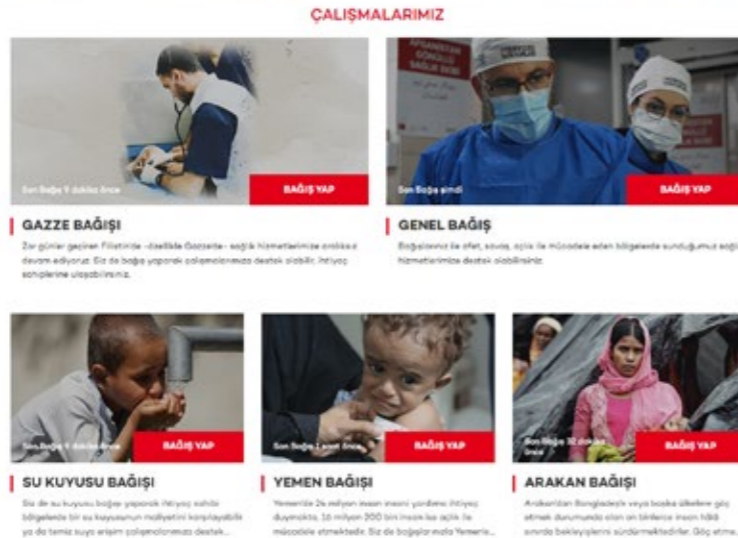
#23Aralık artık sıradan bir gün değil..... Devamını Gör



## 4.3.2. 2023 Data Of Yeryüzü Doktorları Website

Number of pageviews: 1,425,996

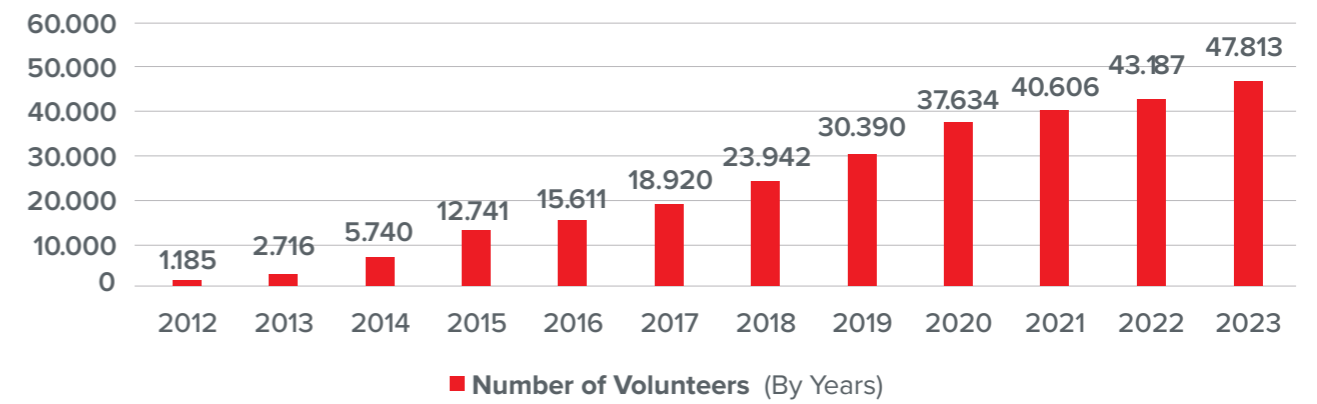
Number of single visitors: 363,785



## 4.4. Volunteer Management

Yeryüzü Doktorları has already reached out to hundreds of thousands of people with the support of those who set their heart on goodness and managed to make the world a better place thanks to these kind hearts. Volunteer support, which has become an indispensable part of this movement of goodness, means to run to the rescue of those in need, whether they be elders or minors, and to gratuitously share competencies, experience, and time. Having grown in this sense every passing day with its volunteers giving support in many ways, whether it be through participation in volunteer medical teams, fund raising for the activities that are carried out, or conducting promotional activities, the Yeryüzü Doktorları volunteer family reached out to 47 thousand 813 people by the end of 2023.

### Number of Volunteers by Year



## 4.5. Young Doctors Worldwide

Young Doctors Worldwide (Young DWW) consists of the volunteers of Yeryüzü Doktorları who receive education in various departments of universities, including in particular the medical specialization areas. Young DWW organize trainings, seminars and conferences and conducts projects on volunteering basis for the purpose of spreading humanitarian aid and social responsibility awareness in university communities.

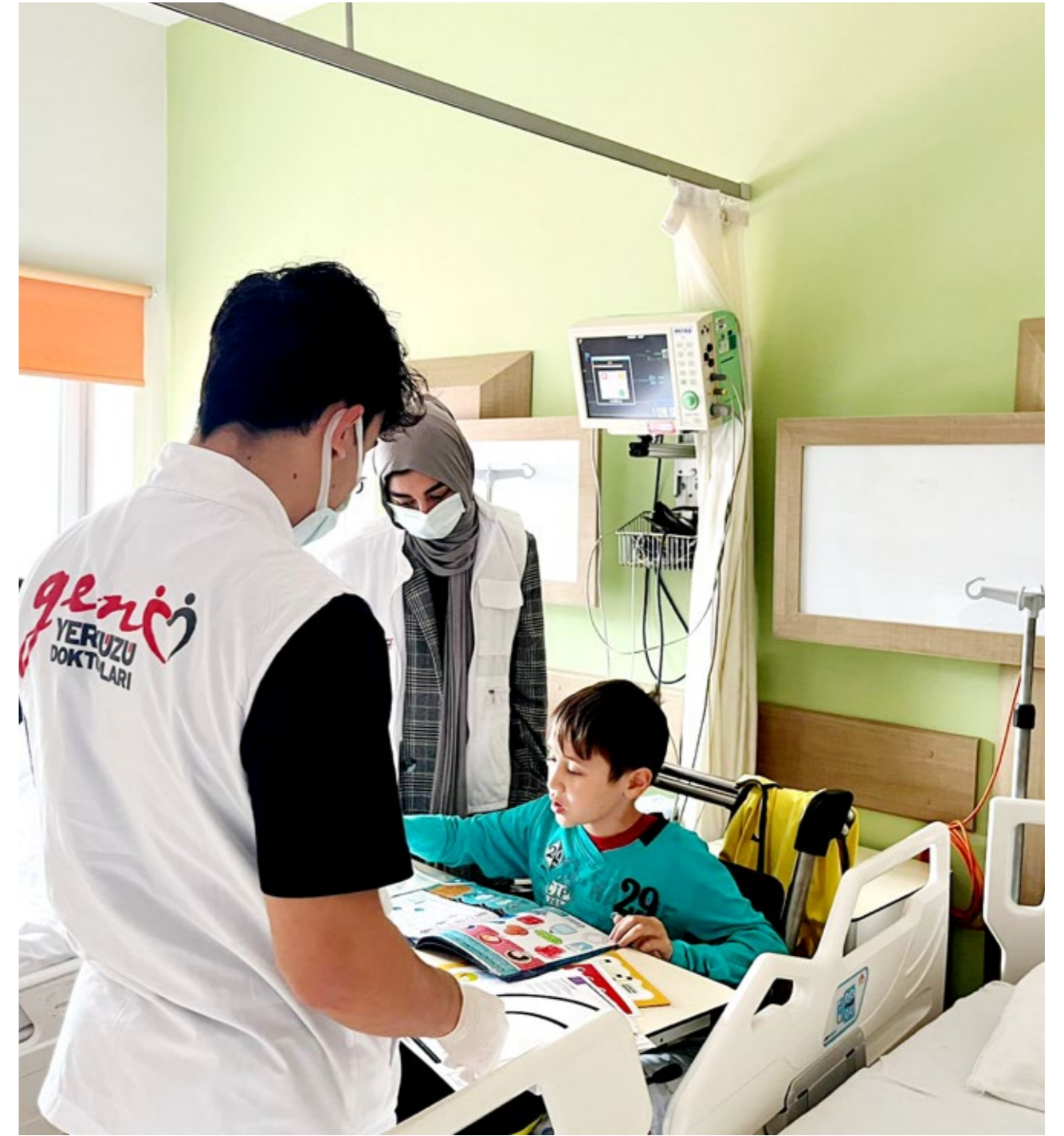
Young Doctors Worldwide carried out 312 activities in 53 universities throughout 2023.

### 2023 Young DWW Management Camp

Young Doctors Worldwide aims to ensure that the management teams of the communities established in universities are provided with orientation training, that they gain knowledge and awareness in the field of civil society, and that they contribute to their personal development and develop the functioning of the club. In this context, the “Young DWW Management Camp” was organized from 13th to 16th of October and from 3rd to 5th of November with the participation of 147 Young Doctors Worldwide. Training, conferences, interviews and workshops were held within the scope of the camp.

### Kahramanmaraş Earthquake Zone

Following the 6th of February, Kahramanmaraş earthquake, health stations were established in Kahramanmaraş, Hatay and Adiyaman, and psychosocial support activities were started at the same time in Kahramanmaraş, Hatay, Adiyaman and Malatya. In this context, 522 Young Doctors Worldwide volunteers were assigned in health stations and psychosocial support activities in the earthquake region.









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