

Summary of activities in Beirut: August-October 2020: material, food and medical support:

- In the initial phase in August, we took action with local NGOs to help people affected by the explosion (including foreign refugees and labor migrants who find themselves in dire conditions and have very limited access to social and medical care). The funds were allocated mainly to support the field kitchen (over 100 meals), support for African migrant women (vitamins, medicines, hygiene products, fruit and vegetables, rent coverage, hospitalization fee), Syrian refugees (purchase of medicines), and the elderly and single mothers (medications, powdered milk, diapers)
- In September, we helped 2 families of the explosion's victims (Ali and Ibrahim), one single mother (Iman) and the family of Mr. Najib (material support + coverage of his son's eye surgery)
- Total costs: **1750 USD**
- The main goal of our further aid projects will still be the reconstruction of workplaces and houses/apartments, but we also intend to provide this type of help to people in need and victims of the explosion.

1. First half of August 2020

500 USD:

- The kitchen: covering 300 boxes for the food and 10 kg of sugar, 10 kg of cooking oil, 10 kg of flour which result in covering over 100 meals distributed among the poorest people:
- African migrants (they've lost their accommodation due to the blast and they moved to the Palestinian areas living in the poor conditions- over 40 ladies in one house): 2 bags of medicine, hygienic pads, vitamins, soaps and washing powder; around 20 kg of vegetables and fruits
- For about 100 USD: medicine for the elderly people including blood pressure drugs and diabetes medicine
- 12 bags of pampers and 12 kg of milk powder for children was delivered to the lonely mothers.

2. 2nd half of August 202.

500 USD:

- 280 USD - rents for 3 houses for the African migrants (16 women)
- 140 USD - support for the African migrants including: hygienic products, anti COVID masks, covering 2 hospital visits, providing with the vitamins and medicines, 2 gas bottle fueling for the kitchens
- 80 USD - support for the Syrian refugees: mostly medicines for the pressure and breathing problems, pampers and milk powder for the children.



3. September 2020

- Helping **Ali's** family (Khandak al Ghamik street): a port worker, killed in the blast, orphaning two children. The widow works but earns little money. Ali's brother and parents look after the woman. As part of the support, we purchased a three-month supply of medicines for Father Ali (he suffers from kidney problems) and provided financial support - a total of **200 USD**



- Helping the **Ibrahim's** family (Burj Baradine estate): a port worker, he supported his parents, sister and helped his brother. After his death, the family found itself in a dramatic financial situation, not to mention the great pain of his parents. We provided support to cover 3 months of the rent and financial assistance, a total of **200 USD**



- Help for **Najib's** (Ashrafiyeh) family: the family's apartment was completely destroyed and the son was seriously injured - he lost one eye and doctors are still fighting for the other. The boy was just finishing his engineering studies (the family asked not to publish son's photos). We donated \$ **100** to cover the cost of the first eye surgery and \$ **200** to support the purchase of sleeping mattresses and food products.
- Help for Ms **Iman** (currently living in Sidon): single mother of two, in a very difficult financial situation - **50 USD** (we do not publish photos, the woman is probably a victim of domestic violence)