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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Dear Members of the FIMA Family,

Sisters and Brothers,

Assalamu Alaikum

As promised, FIMA's online academic journal, International Journal of Human and Health Sciences (IJHHS), is now available online. As the official journal of Consortium of Islamic Medical Colleges (CIMCO) under the auspices of Federation of Islamic Medical Associations (FIMA), IJHHS's first issue

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## FIMA & AFFILIATE IMAs ROHINGYA MEDICAL RELIEF UPDATE

The Rohingya crisis is happening or rather worsening and nothing much is being done about it. The fastest growing humanitarian and health crisis in the world needs our help to be fixed, says Dr Musa Nordin, past President of FIMA who volunteered to help the victims as a child specialist and disaster management expert while leaving from Cox's Bazar said with a heavy heart and tears in his eyes. Meanwhile FIMA-IMARET & CSBD mobile camps (FMT) are continuing with same motivation, zeal and zest. A number of new volunteers joined the initiative from FIMA affiliates from IMASA (Islamic Medical Association of South Africa) and currently a team of IMANA (Islamic Medical Association of North America) lead by Dr Ismail Mehr, the IMR Chair and past President of IMANA. Previously volunteers from IMAs Egypt, Lebanon, Singapore, Arab Medical Union & White Hearts Egypt performed the duties on rotation basis. From 24th December onwards teams from IMA North America, Pakistan IMA, Al-Khidmat Foundation Pakistan & Hayat Foundation Turkey will take the turn.



*IMASA (Islamic Medical Association of South Africa) doctors in the medical camp attending the sick*

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*En-route to FH. Surprisingly the 17 team member who missed their connecting flight to Cox's looks highly spirited! Wait till they sampai @ FH nanti :)*



*Team B of doctors & health care professionals en route to Field Hospital Malaysia (FHM) Cox Bazar. Team A served 1st one month in FHM. May their services & sacrifices be bountifully blessed*



*IMANA team by Dr Ismail Mehr and Dr Khalique Zahir ready to leave for Cox's Bazar.*



*One month of service & sacrifice in Field Hospital FH @ Cox Bazar  
Our Sandakan physician (in blue and arms wide in air) will be terribly missed!  
He could stick a pink brannula into a paediatric patient!  
And he could bring the FH down with his funny bone :)*



*A reception held by NDF Bangladesh with Dr. Musa Nordin*



# EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING OF INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF GREEN CRESCENT SOCIETIES HELD IN ISTANBUL



*Executive Committee Meeting  
Chaired By Dr. Ihsan Karaman*



*A Group photo of Green Crescent societies ExCo.*



*A view of the meeting of Green Crescent societies ExCo.*



*Dr. Ihsan Karaman addressing during the meeting.*



*Dr Majed Kagimu President of IMA of Uganda.*



*Another view of the meeting.*



*Dr Abdul Rahim past President of IMAM*



*President FIMA and chairman International federation of  
Green crescent societies*

## IMR (IMANA MEDICAL RELIEF) EXPANDS ITS WORKING IN SAVE - SYRIA CAMPAIGN

IMANA teams completed cataract surgeries on 175 Syrian refugees in Jordan. IMANA also had a medical mission SaveSyria which treated over 2,000 patients in Jordan.

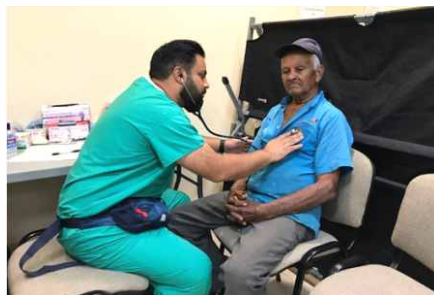


## IMANA MEDICAL RELIEF TEAM IN PUERTO RICO DURING HURRICANE MAIA

Hurricane Maia domestic response - IMANA Medical Relief teams are assisting the Puerto Rico

health authorities in providing healthcare to people affected by hurricanes. Fourth team is in San

Juan these days and two more will be going there till end of the current month.



## IMANA MEDICAL RELIEF SAVESYRIA MEDICAL MISSION IN JORDAN

IMANA Medical Relief SaveSyria Medical mission traveled to Amman, Jordan and provided free treatment to 2384 patients during November.



## ONE DAY IHC (ISLAMIC HOSPITAL CONSORTIUM) SEMINAR

A one day IHC (Islamic Hospital Consortium) seminar on Ibadah friendly n Syariah compliant Hospital was held in Hospital Zainal Abidin Aceh. The event was marked with the foundation of MUKISI branch in Aceh Province lead by Dr Fackrul Jamal the hospital director. Around 150 doctors and healthcare professionals attended. Dr Masyudi Borhan and Dr Ishak Masud, the IHC chair were the main speakers.



## MOU SIGNED FOR POSTGRADUATE EDUCATION IN MEDICINE

On behalf of Istanbul Medeniyet University the rector of University Dr Ihsan Karaman signed MoU's with the Presidents of Hargesia University and Frantz Fanon University from Somaliland for postgraduate Education in Medicine. Dr. Abdirizak Yussuf President Somaliland Medical Association was the witness and collaborator.



## SOMALILAND MEDICAL ASSOCIATION TEAM VISITS THE FIMA PRESIDENT

The Chairman of Somaliland Medical Association Br. Dr. Abdirizak Yussuf Abdillahi and his team visited the FIMA President Dr Ihsan Karaman at his University office. He gave them detailed Information about FIMA and its activities. Somaliland Medical Association has applied for FIMA membership.



## MAURITANIA IMA ARRANGED A CATARACT SURGERY CAMP

Mauritania IMA arranged a cataract surgery camp for the deserving patients in the slums in Nouakchott. A large number of patients with eye diseases were examined and free surgeries were performed.



Greetings from IIMA (Indonesian Islamic Medical Association). We would like to extend the invitation to all of the FIMA fraternity to attend the IIMA mega event next year: International Islamic Healthcare Conference and Expo 2018. The event will be held on April 10-12th in Jakarta. You can participate in the seminar on shariah hospital, present in the free paper session and in the expo as the exhibitor. Please disseminate the invitation among your networks.

Regards,  
**IHEX 2018 committee**  
**Indonesia Islamic Medical Association**



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- Pharmaceutical Companies
- Halal Food Companies
- Observers for Health and Halal Products
- Shariah Financial Companies


**Registration Fee**

Participants	Early Bird (IDR)	Regular (IDR)
Seminar	3.000.000	3.500.000
Workshop	1.500.000	2.000.000
Free Paper Presenter (seminar only)	1.000.000	1.500.000
Public visitor to IHEX exhibition	Free of Charge	

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**Scientific Meeting Program**

**DAY I - TUESDAY, APRIL 10th 2018**

TIME (GMT)	TITLE	SPKABERS	MODERATOR
08.00 - 08.30	Opening and Welcome 1. Reading of the Holy Qur'an 2. Subhan Ruler National Anthem 3. MUKISI March Band 4. Opening Prayer		
08.30 - 09.30	Islamic Healthcare and Halal Products Expo		
09.30 - 10.30	Keynote Speech: Shariah Hospital in the Region Through Consolidation of Potentials of the Ummah	Prof. DR. H. M. Yusuf, MD, PhD	Dr. Dr. Sugiono, SpB (R), MSc
10.30 - 11.30	Workshop on Shariah Hospital		
11.30 - 12.30	Free Paper Session		
12.30 - 13.30	Islamic Lunch and Islamic Healthcare Expo		
13.30 - 14.30	Workshop on Shariah Hospital		
14.30 - 15.30	Free Paper Session		
15.30 - 16.30	Islamic Lunch and Islamic Healthcare Expo		
16.30 - 17.30	Free Paper Session		
17.30 - 18.30	Islamic Lunch and Islamic Healthcare Expo		

**DAY II - WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11th 2018**

TIME (GMT)	TITLE	SPKABERS	MODERATOR
08.00 - 09.00	Islamic Healthcare Expo		
09.00 - 10.00	Parallel Free Paper Session		
09.00 - 10.00	Parallel Workshop		
10.00 - 11.00	Oral Presentation		
11.00 - 12.00	Islamic Lunch and Islamic Healthcare Expo		
12.00 - 13.00	Parallel Free Paper Session		
12.00 - 13.00	Parallel Workshop		
13.00 - 14.00	Paper Presentation		
14.00 - 15.00	Islamic Healthcare Expo		
15.00 - 16.00	Islamic Healthcare Expo		
16.00 - 17.00	Islamic Healthcare Expo		
17.00 - 18.00	Islamic Healthcare Expo		

**DAY III - THURSDAY, APRIL 12th 2018**

TIME (GMT)	TITLE	SPKABERS	MODERATOR
08.00 - 09.00	Islamic Healthcare Expo		
09.00 - 10.00	Breakfast and CEO Forum		
09.00 - 10.00	Islamic Healthcare Expo		
10.00 - 11.00	Workshop on Shariah Hospital		
11.00 - 12.00	Free Paper Session		
12.00 - 13.00	Islamic Lunch and Islamic Healthcare Expo		
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## MEETING OF FOKI HELD IN INDONESIA 2017

A meeting of FOKI was held to incorporate the Islamic teachings in medical curriculum and as a pilot project and within next 6 months FOKI will come out with first draft of textbooks which will integrate medical and Islamic knowledge for medical students. This is an important landmark to crystalize all we have already discussed over the years on the Islamisation of Medical Curriculum into Mainstream text books. Translation into English will ensue in due course.



## SOYDA EXPANDS ITS PROGRAM OF PREVENTIVE HEALTH MEASURES INCLUDING NUTRITION, WASH AND BASIC HEALTHCARE IN IDPs

SOYDA has accelerated its effort in reaching vulnerable outreach with improved access and utilization of integrated life-saving Nutrition, Health, WASH, Protection and livelihood in IDPs and host

communities in Mogadishu IDPs and Afgooye corridor. A community IDPs event was held to mark the International day of persons with disabilities, which we aimed to promote empowerment, inclusion and

access to reduce inequalities in society. It also seeks to increase awareness of gains to be derived from the integration of persons with disabilities in every aspect of political, social, economic and cultural life.



## PICTORIAL NEWS



*Dr Tanveer Zubairi ex President FIMA warmly received by SOFRA Egypt office bearers and senior charity figure Dr Omar el Ayat.*



*A view of IAG-WHO Meeting Cairo Egypt.*

## AIDS AWARENESS PROGRAMME IN SOUTH AFRICA

The IMASA KZN Branch & Muslim AIDS Programme [MAP] team created HIV awareness at all the four of the IMASA clinics and at Alberto Hospital in KZN on the 01st December 2017.



*Community outreach program to create awareness against the menace of AIDS*



*Ulema & scholars were also taken on board to appraise the religious injunctions against adultery and to promote chaste lifestyle.*



*The free clinic was attended by a large number of locals*



*Muslim AIDS program was widely appreciated and acknowledged*



*Awareness and community support can bring a remarkable change... World AIDS day*



*Together we can bring a difference, Islam brings peace and disease free society through an ideal lifestyle*



*Specially designed motivational material and literature was distributed.*

## THE IMA OF SOUTH AFRICA, DURBAN BRANCH HOSTS GRADUATION DINNER

Graduation is an exciting time. It's both an ending and a beginning: Warm memories of the past and big dreams for the future.

The IMASA Durban Branch graduation dinner was held on the 27th November 2017 at Orient Hall, Durban. It was a warm, cosy and exciting evening spent with 400 attendees. The audience was a mix of familiar and new faces. The newly produced video clips on IMASA and AAKH were met with great enthusiasm and interest.

The guest speaker, Ms Fatima Hassim, Managing Executive: Vodacom, Minara Chamber of Commerce Professional Achiever of the year 2017 enlightened the audience on the technology advantages and innovations that will be focused on the health sector.

Across the various health disciplines, Durban campuses, 2017 ends with 78 Muslim graduates and postgraduates. The event provided a positive platform for networking amongst existing and potential

IMASA members. The graduates were encouraged to: greet the future with anticipation, dream big and work hard, always to remember your roots and most importantly, the Almighty, without whom, this would all not have been possible!



*The smiling faces and high spirits, they were given the message to always remember their roots and most importantly, the Almighty, without whom, their achievements would all not have been possible!*



*The guest speaker; Ms Fatima Hassim, Managing Executive: Vodacom, Minara Chamber of Commerce Professional Achiever of the year 2017*



*Recognition Award presented to staff member - Ishaq Mohamed*



*Greet the future with anticipation, dream big and work hard*



## ISLAMIC ORIENTATION PROGRAM FOR FEMALE DOCTORS

PIMA (Pakistan Islamic Medical Association) Female Branch arranged 2-day Islamic Orientation Program at Dawah Training Centre, International Islamic University Islamabad on 25-26 November 2017. Islamic scholars including Prof Sohail Hassan, Prof Najib ul Haq, and Prof Habib ur Rehman Asim, Prof Hafeez ur Rehman, Dr Amatullah Zaren, Dr Kausar Firdous, Dr Uzma Ijaz, Mrs Shagufta Umer and Mrs Faryal Ambareen also delivered lectures on various topics.



## BREAST CANCER AWARENESS SEMINAR AT LAHORE - PAKISTAN

PIMA Lahore arranged a CME program on "BREAST CANCER AWARENESS" at INMOL Cancer Hospital Lahore on 26 August 2017. After Dars-e-Quran, a brief awareness lecture was delivered by Dr Rabnawaz Maken, consultant oncologist at INMOL Hospital. An Introductory talk on PIMA was given by Prof Mian Afzal. Director of Inmol, Dr Abubakar Shahid, conducted the program and it was presided over by Dr Muhammad Shakil, president PIMA Lahore. This PMDC accredited CME activity by PIMA and was highly appreciated by all the participants.



## REMAINING MESSAGE OF THE PRESIDENT

features an editorial, three review articles, three original research articles, a case report, and an obituary. The journal is available at: <http://www.ijhhsfimaweb.info> I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to all who have worked to publish IJHHS and chiefly to the Chief Editor Prof. Abu Kholdun Al-Mahmood. From now on, the entire FIMA family should exert efforts to send their qualified academic publications to IJHHS to ensure that our journal is indexed in international databases in the shortest time possible.

FIMA teams are continuing their response efforts to the unending tragedy for humanity played out in Rohingya. Our voluntary medical relief teams sent by several IMAs to the Malaysian Field Hospital and our mobile clinics in Cox's Bazaar, an area of dense immigrant population are still providing healthcare services. "FIMA for Rohingya" campaign will continue to accept volunteers until the end of February. Volunteers from FIMA fraternity may contact Dr. Musa Nordin of IMA Malaysia at [musamn@gmail.com](mailto:musamn@gmail.com)

In December, we held the board meeting for International Federation of Green Crescents in Istanbul. You will find relevant news and articles in this issue. Hereby, I invite all IMAs to establish

Green Crescent Societies in their respective countries and join the Federation to be a part of the global fight against addiction.

In the following pages of the newsletter, you will find examples of relief activities carried out by voluntary IMA teams in all corners of the world. North America, Indonesia, Mauritania, Somalia, South Africa and other countries are making non-stop efforts to hold out a helping hand to the aggrieved and oppressed all around the world. We promise you this: As the FIMA Family, we will keep on walking down the road of benevolence, chanting "Charity begins with you!", just like IMARET's motto.

Indonesia IMA is organizing a mega event in April 2018: International Islamic Healthcare Conference and Expo 2018. We are looking forward to see you all in this big event, about which you will find detailed information inside the Newsletter.

We pray Allah that 2018 will bring peace, rahmah and barakah to all the oppressed people of the world.

Wassalam

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