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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Message from the President
ASSALAMUALAIKUM WBT

Dear brothers & sisters in all IMAs (Islamic Medical Associations) and friends of FIMA (Federation of Islamic Medical Associations).

I hope you are all well. We probably last met during the successful FIMA event in Sanaa', Yemen in April 2005. Our annual FIMA get together has always been a catalyst towards strengthening the bond and fraternity between our universal family of health and medical professionals.

FIMA 2006 will be moved to Asia, in Yogyakarta, Indonesia. This year would be exceptional because 3 major international events have been programmed in succession; namely :

A. 8th FIMA INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CAMP :

11-15 July 2006

B. 23rd FIMA COUNCIL MEETING :

17-18 July 2006

C. 3rd FIMA INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC CONVENTION :

19-20 July 2006

You would be able to acquire further information of these events from the official convention website <http://www.fima2006.org> or from our FIMA website <http://www.fimaweb.org>. It also enables you to register on-line.

I hope you would all begin to make early preparations to attend this meeting. Our brothers in Indonesia have worked extremely hard to put together a very exciting scientific and social programme. The latter has always been an attractive feature of all our FIMA meetings to foster the ties of ukhuwah (brotherhood) and mahabbah (love).

Three colossal calamities have struck humanity within a short space of time. This scientific convention attempts to address some of the major issues which have beset our humanitarian relief efforts and disaster preparedness strategies. Many of our IMAS have direct experience of the rage of the Tsunami, earthquake and hurricane Katrina. Apart from dissecting the medico-psycho-social and economic ramifications of these natural disasters it affords us an opportunity to plan ahead for better collaboration and preparedness.



Student activities has always been highly prioritized in our FIMA scheme since they are our inheritors. Hence the preceding International Student Camp in Semarang. I hope all IMAs would publicise this event to your student chapters to ensure optimal participation. All the student requires to do is to purchase a plane ticket to Indonesia, the rest would be borne by us.

It leaves me to thank Prof. Jurnalís (FOKI), Dr. Sumardi (MUKISI), Dr. Jamal (IMANI) and the entire team in Indonesia for all their dedicated efforts to make FIMA 2006 a memorable one. Prof. Rusdi Lamsudin and Dr. H. Muktasim Billah has been key resource persons in the planning of the International Convention and the Student Camp respectively. May Allah bless all their good deeds.

Humbly yours

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MESSAGE TO PAKISTAN IMA (PIMA) ON THE OCCASION OF THEIR ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Assalamualaikum WBT

My dear brothers in the leadership and membership of PIMA.

My thanks to your out-going president, Prof Tariq for requesting me to pen a few of my thoughts on the occasion of your Annual Meeting. I have been on 2 occasions to Pakistan to witness at first hand the activities of your esteemed organization. Most recently in Islamabad in January 2006 for our biannual FIMA exco meeting.

All our FIMA exco members were impressed at the efficient and professional manner in which PIMA managed the humanitarian relief following the earthquake. The leadership provided by your organization helped to anchor and collaborate the various IMAs and other relief organizations which sent their teams to assist with the relief works. This is undoubtedly a consequence of the wealth of experience which you have accumulated from the more than 20 years of relief works in Afghanistan and elsewhere in the world. I hope you will continue this noble yet awesome humanitarian and medical undertaking. A feat which is difficult to emulate since the benchmarks you have set are gold standards.

The acute demands of relief works have not detracted your organisation from your other priorities. Our visit to the Pesahawar Medical College was most inspiring. Your universal concept of Tarbiyah has extended from the early years of training of Hafizs to the medical student with a holistic approach to medicine. These are excellent institutions of learning which would unceasingly perpetuate the legacy of your works in PIMA.

Your respected elders had a firm hand in the embryonic and formative years of FIMA. And you are continuing this excellent tradition of leadership in FIMA. Many of our major projects in FIMA are parked in PIMA namely our FIMA secretariat, FIMA Hi-Tech Centre and chairmanship of CIMCO.

Your annual meet would be an ideal occasion to celebrate these grand achievements and simultaneously endow you the confidence and the empowerment to climb greater heights. It is also a period of reflection and contemplation to search inwardly how much as individuals and an organization you have endeavoured to beseech the Mardhatillah (Pleasure of Allah) through refinements of your human character and service towards mankind.

I pray to Allah that he bestows your organisation the best of rewards and bless your annual meeting of minds and hearts.

Humbly yours
Dr. Musa Mohd. Nordin
President FIMA 2005-2007

UNIVERSITY BRUNEI DARUSSALAM (UBD) BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCE & MEDICINE

The Institute of Medicine of the University of Brunei admits international students to a 3-year Bachelor of Health Science program followed by 3 years of clinical training and award of the MBBS degree by one of the partner medical schools in the United Kingdom, Canada, and Australia.

The program at UBD teaches the Islamic perspective on medicine and has a very strong emphasis on ethics. It aims to reduce didactic teaching and incorporates student-selected study modules giving the opportunity to follow a particular field of interest in traditional or alternative medicine each year. Designed around problem-based and small group learning, the program at UBD is supported by lectures, tutorials, practical classes, self-directed learning and expert forums. Students will also gain practical skills in the well equipped clinical and communication skills centre, health clinics and in the community. Traditional disciplines of physiology, anatomy, biochemistry and pharmacology are taught in an integrated and interactive manner.

Prof. Omar Hasan Kasule
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FIMA Save A Vision

UPDATES - MARCH 2006

This update was provided by the eye specialists who participated in the latest Eye Camp conducted in Qadarif, Sudan in February 2006

(1) Save A Vision Camp was held in the eastern Sudanese province of Qadarif. The camp lasted for about 3 weeks, and was concluded on February 25, 2006. A press conference was held on Feb. 26 about FIMA Eye activities in Sudan. A total of 1004 eye surgeries were performed during this camp, mostly for Sudanese patients. Some patients from neighbouring Ethiopia and Eritrea were also treated. Participating ophthalmologists were from Pakistan (a leading and pioneering role), Egypt, Bangladesh and Jordan. The training of two young Sudanese doctors was an added benefit. The local health ministry of Qadarif provided FIMA with a suitable building to establish an Eye Hospital, similar to, but somewhat larger than the Genaina-Darfur Hospital.

Participating organizations in this camp were:

- Federation of Islamic Medical Association (FIMA)
- The Sudanese Islamic Medical Association (SIMA)
- The Union of Arab Doctors (اتحاد الأطباء العرب)

The cooperation of the Sudanese health authorities was outstanding.

(2) Scheduled Eye Camps in the region:

- May, 2006, in Qadarif: 1000 eye surgeries.
- August, 2006, in Al Obaid: 1000 eye surgeries.
- October, 2006, in Niala
- North Darfur: 1000 eye surgeries.
- An MOU was signed with the Islamic Call Organization in Khartoum (منظمة الدعوة الإسلامية) to extend FIMA Save A Vision Campaigns to Kenya, Somalia and Djibouti. A preliminary mission to these three countries will be conducted in April 2006, Insha Allah.

(3) Opening ceremony of the Eye Hospital in Al-Genaina-Darfur:

This hospital, established by FIMA, has been operational for the past two months. A Sudanese ophthalmologist, whose salary was sponsored by WHO-Eastern Mediterranean Region, is working full time, and performs around 20 surgeries, plus examination of about 600 patients per week.

The delegation for the opening ceremony arrived at Al-Genaina airport on February 27, 2006 by a chartered plane, and included the following:

- Ophthalmologists from FIMA: Dr. Adnan Jaljuli (Jordan), Prof. Hafeez Ur Rahman, Dr. Intizar Hussein

& Dr. Qazi (Pakistan), Dr. Mustafa Haikal (Egypt), and other participating doctors.

- Officials from the Sudanese Ministry of Health.
- Prof. Mamoum Hummaida, President of the Sudanese Islamic Medical Association and his colleagues in their Executive Committee.
- W H O - E M R O representative in Khartoum.

The opening ceremony was a pleasant occasion to dwell on this collaborative achievement, and to consult and plan for similar accomplishments in other needy regions in Sudan and in other countries.

The delegation witnessed the happiness of the local population, as well as the local health authorities, for the performance of this long-awaited Eye Hospital.

It is noteworthy to confirm the invaluable and constructive cooperation of WHO-EMRO and the Union of Arab Doctors. Both provided significant logistical support namely, provision of medical equipment, consumables and manpower which made this project a real success in this needy region.

Respectfully Presented by
Dr. Adnan Jaljuli &
Prof. Hafeez Ur Rahman

IMAs' Activities

JORDAN: A WINTER MEDICAL STUDENT CAMP

The IMA of Jordan, in cooperation with the Islamic Hospital, sponsored a Winter Camp in which more than 70 students and recently graduated doctors participated. The camp was conducted in Feb, 2006 at one of the camping government establishment located in the low lands near River Jordan, where the weather is very attractive at this time of the year.

Activities included seminars and lecture in medical, ethical and jurisprudence topics. Sporting and scouting activities were also enjoyed.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING OF FIMA EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ISLAMABAD: DECEMBER 31, 2005 – JANUARY 4, 2006

It was decided to move this meeting from South Africa to Pakistan, as a sign of solidarity with the IMA of Pakistan in the face of the earthquake tragedy that struck Northern Pakistan and Kashmir.

The Ex Co toured the earthquake areas, hospitals and medical facilities run by IMA of Pakistan in collaboration with several IMAs and other Islamic organizations. The extensive scope of this tragedy should be strong motive to all concerned to work diligently over the following several months, to provide continuous help to the more than 3 million displaced people.



IMA SOUTH AFRICA

26TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

PARADIGMS IN HEALTH CARE

28-30 APRIL 2006
(29 RABI-UL-AWWAL – 2 RABI-UL-AKHIR 1427)
RIVERSIDE HOTEL
VAAL RIVER
VANDERBIJLPARK
GAUTENG
SOUTH AFRICA

IMA BANGLADESH

National Conference on 22
March 06 at Dhaka.
Prof.N A Kamrul Ahsan FACS
Sec. General
NDF(IMA Bangladesh)

FIMA BIOETHICS RESOURCE CENTER

Two years ago FIMA decided to establish this center at the Islamic Hospital in Jordan. Since then the Center has grown steadily and is currently functional, with a wide range of references in the area of Bioethics, in both Arabic and English. Fiqh (Jurisprudence) references, publications, seminar proceedings, and Islamic website retrieved materials are being collected and archived in this unique Center. The Center will continue to grow to become one of the most prominent of its kind, Insha Allah.



IMA EGYPT: HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATIONS MEETING WITH FIMA PRESIDENT & PAST-PRESIDENT: CAIRO – FEBRUARY 9, 2006

This meeting was a good opportunity to exchange ideas and to bolster ties of cooperation between IMAs and hospitals within the framework of the Islamic Hospital Consortium (IHC).

There are 20 Islamic Hospitals under the umbrella of IMA – Egypt. The new hospital, currently under construction, is a 150 bed facility that will open its doors for medical care soon, Insha Allah.

IMAs' Activities

REPORT FROM SWIMA (SWEDEN IMA)

I would also like to highlight the ongoing mosque-project, Sayyidina Hamza Mosque in Skovde, which really is described as a mosque from 1001-Night Stories in Skovde with a positive atmosphere from the politicians, media and Swedish people. Alhamdulillah. I do hope that we get financial support, there is information at our website: <http://www.skovdemoske.org/index-en.asp> and for donations, there is also the opportunity to donate online, <https://www.skovdemoske.org/start.asp> which can give all brothers and sisters in the world to contribute with at least 10-20 bricks to a mosque-wall!

Our contractor, a Swedish engineer, about 55 years old, Lage Olofsson, became a Muslim (took the name Ali) after 6 months of work with this mosque, Alhamdulillah.

Dr. Yuksel Peker
Chairman, SWIMA

National Program on HIV/AIDS in Sweden

31 March –1 April 2006.

Skovde (150 miles from Gothenburg)

FIMA is represented by Dr. Ashraf Ajeedar (IMA South Africa) and Dr. Magid Kagimu (IMA Uganda)

Dr. Yuksel Peker
Chairman, SWIMA

INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR: HUMAN GENETICS AND REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGIES: COMPARING RELIGIOUS AND SECULAR PERSPECTIVES

FIMA president Dr. Musa Mohd. Nordin, and Past-President Dr. Aly Mishal participated in this international seminar, sponsored by the Islamic Organization for Medical Sciences (Kuwait) in collaboration with WHO – Eastern Mediterranean Office, in Cairo, Egypt from February 6 – 9, 2006.

Dr. Musa Mohd. Nordin presented a paper titled: Islamic Medical Ethics Amidst Developing Biotechnologies

Dr. Aly Mishal presented a paper titled: Reprogenetics and Genetic Counseling: Scientific and Ethical Perspectives.

Other participants known to FIMA membership who presented papers included :

- § Dr. Mohammad Ali Albar: Saudi Arabia
- § Dr. Shahid Athar: USA
- § Prof. Abul Fadl Mohsin Ebrahim – South Africa
- § Prof. Malik Badri – Malaysia
- § Dr. Jamal Badawi – Canada

IMA MALAYSIA (UK & EIRE CHAPTER)

3rd NATIONAL CONFERENCE
DUBLIN, IRELAND
1st – 2ND APRIL 2006

–Ukhuwah – The Borderless Networking by Prof. Abdul Latiff

–Challenges in the Medical World by Dr. Makmoun Mobayed

–A Time to Recharge by Dr. Amaluddin Ahmad

–Future of Healthcare in Malaysia – Director General of Health Malaysia

–A story of “referred pain” – Dr. Azhar

FORUM : The Networking starts with you. Break the Ice, Spice up your Life

WORKSHOP : You are the cells of the system

- a. Build up your confidence
- b. Career guidance
- c. Clinical examination
- d. Islamic Jurisprudence – Medical Ethics



THE 8TH FIMA INTERNATIONAL CAMP FOR MEDICAL STUDENTS

11 -15 July 2006

BANDUNGAN, SEMARANG, INDONESIA

ORGANISERS & HOST

Islamic Medical Association
of Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
(IMAKSA)/ World Assembly of
Muslim Youth (WAMY)

COLLABORATORS

- Federation of Islamic Medical Associations (FIMA)
- Indonesia Forum for Islamic Medicine (FOKI)
- Islamic Medical Association and Networking of Indonesia (IMANI)
- Sultan Agung Islamic University (UNISSULA)

THEME of Program:

Five Star Medical Student

The core program of this camp will focus on the characteristics of the ideal Muslim medical students in all aspects of life. It aims to formulation of personality of future medical professional in the light of Islamic teachings and international standards. It enlightens the pathway for those who have great ambitions to be a real success. It discusses opportunities and challenges and helps to deal with them appropriately. In discussion the priorities will be given to issues that are not learnt in formal university education and not included in traditional textbooks. It helps in directing the students of medicine and its branches to be effective participants in the development of their Muslim nation and the world in general.

The program will be performed in the format of a series of brief talks followed by group workshops on the same topics over the few days time of the camp.

Complementary programs will be given in form of lectures, discussion meetings and debates on Islamic and professional issues. Eminent local and international speakers are invited for participation in the camp activities.

OVERVIEW OF THE CAMP

- An annual gathering of Muslim medical students from all over the world.
- The students participate in a comprehensive program of educational, cultural, social, sport, tourist and recreational activities.
- The operations follow closely the scouting camp system.
- The administration of the camp and its activities are primarily run by the students under supervision by senior doctors.
- The duration of the camp is 5 days.

OBJECTIVES

- To foster brotherhood among Muslim students of various Islamic Medical Associations (IMAs) and countries.
- To enhance mutual understanding and cooperation.
- To exchange information and experiences.
- To provide leadership training and organizational skills.
- To strengthen the involvement of students in IMA activities.
- To promote communication and networking among the student chapters of IMAs and other countries.

TIME SCHEDULE

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|-------------------------------------|---|
| • Registration time | : Any time from now till Deadline Date. |
| • Deadline date for Registration | : 10 June 2006 |
| • Last Date of Arrival to camp site | : 10 July 2006 |
| • Period of camping | : 11 – 15 JULY 2006 |
| • Date of departure | : 16 July 2006 |

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Students of Medical and Health Colleges who are affiliated to and/or nominated by Islamic Medical Associations.
- “Students” can be extended to include first year house officer or newly graduate for this purpose.
- Both males and females may be allowed in this camp.
- “Medical and Health Colleges” could be college of medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, health sciences or any other health-related college.
- “Islamic Medical Associations” (IMAs) should be active, associate or pending members of FIMA.

PROGRAMME OUTLINE

- Lectures & Seminars
- Roundtable discussions & Workshops
- Debates
- Forum
- Project presentation
- Meetings
- Spiritual sessions
- Cultural show
- Basic survival skills
- Outdoor activities and sports
- Educational tours

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

- 150–200 students
- Each IMA is allowed a maximum of 20 students, with more quotas for the organizing IMA and the host country. When females are participating, the male to female ratio should be 2:1.
- Senior supervisors: 1–2 supervisors from each IMA are allowed to supervise students delegation and help in organization. Supervisors should be from medical professionals exclusively.

REGISTRATION

- The registration deadline is 10 June 2006
- All students must be registered by their IMAs.
- Students not affiliated to any IMAs may register through a neighbouring or apply directly.
- Kindly note that it is necessary to complete the enclosed registration form and fax or e-mail to the address below.

SUPERVISOR, FIMA STUDENTS ACTIVITY

Dr. Atallah Al-Ruhaily

Supervisor General, FIMA Students Activities.

E. Mail: aruaily@gmail.com

Fax: 00-966-1-4671478

Male and Female Segregation:

- In this particular camp, female medical students may participate with observation of the following conditions:
 1. The males and females will be absolutely segregated in all activities during the whole period of program including residence, dining and sports places, transportation, recreational and social activities.
 2. The only occasion where both males and females may share the activity is the cultural program in morning sessions from 9:00 AM to 1 PM. In such gathering there will be arrangement of each of them to be seated in one side of the lecture room. However, both groups will share questions and discussion.
 3. Needless to say, both males and females are expected to be dressed in a decent Islamic style.

LANGUAGE OF THE CAMP

- The field language is English.
- The lecturers will specify their language of delivery. Simultaneous Arabic/English translation is provided.

EXPENSES

- The IMAs or individual students are responsible for the cost of their return tickets to hosting country as well as their Visa fees.
- There are NO registration fees for the camp.
- Accommodation, meals and local transportation will be provided FREE OF CHARGE by IMAKSA/WAMY.
- Receiving of participants at Jakarta Airport and transportation to camp site will be arranged for free of charge only if the full details of the confirmed flights of the participants are submitted to us ahead of time (at least one week before the camp i.e. before 3rd July 2006).

VISA REQUIREMENTS

- Visa for entry into the hosting country is the SOLE RESPONSIBILITY of the IMAs and/or the participating students.
- IMAKSA or WAMY unfortunately CANNOT secure visas for the participating students.

REGISTRATION FORM

8th FIMA MEDICAL STUDENTS CAMP
11-15 July 2006 BANDUNGAN, INDONESIA

First Name:
Middle Name:
Family Name:
Nationality:
College:
University:
Level:
City:
Country:
Languages:
Telephone:
Mobile:
Home:
Office:
Fax:
E. Mail:
IMA:
IMA Students Coordinator and address:
Did you participate in previous FIMA camp?
Is your visa ready or pending?
Additional Information:

REPORT : The 6th International FIMA Student Camp

1-7 July 2005
Ismailia – Egypt
Sport Support Resort

THEME :

PERSONAL PLANNING FOR HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

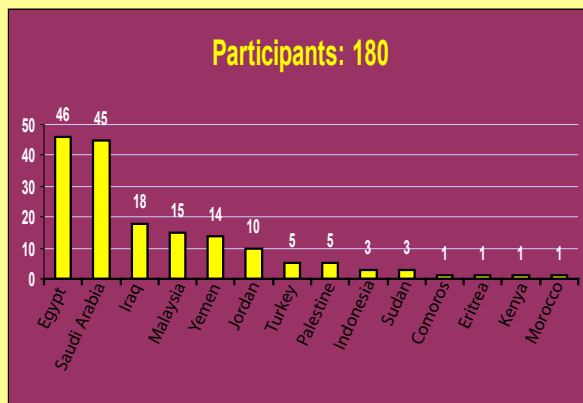
OBJECTIVE :

STUDENTS RETURN HOME WITH HIS OWN LIFE PLAN IN A WRITTEN DOCUMENT

THEME CONCEPT & FORMAT :

- The program focused on Life Planning for health professionals: its importance, concept, principles, methodology, evaluation, and reassessment.
- Format: a series of workshops over 5 days.
- Trainer: Dr. Hassan Haddad, a well renowned expert Saudi instructor.
- Practically oriented aiming to enable the participant to establish in writing his own life plan.
- Conclude with an undisclosed take-home document gripped in his hand.

TOTAL PARTICIPANTS : 180
NO OF COUNTRIES REPRESENTED : 14



FACULTY OF SPEAKERS :

Dr. Haitham Khait	Islam and Modern Medicine
Dr. Salah Assawi	What a doctor must know
Dr. Hashem Helal	How to attain success with Allah!
Dr. Ragheb Al-Sergani	The Time of clear vision
Dr. Abdullah Al-Melhim	Seeking the cure inside our souls
Dr. Hussain Al-Jazaeri	A talk in opening Ceremony

REPORT : The 7th FIMA Medical Students Winter Camp Durban, South Africa Dec 2005

VENUE : As-Salaam Educational Institute

Braemer, South Coast, Kwazulu-Natal, South Africa

Founded by the late Dr Achmad Deedat, in 1960's, home to the formation of IMASA and MSA youth rallies

Now primary and secondary school with integrated Islamic and secular curricular as well as tertiary training of Dawah educators

Skills training centre for local community

PARTICIPANTS : 50 participants

22 Sudanese

1 Ugandan

23 South African

4 camp facilitators

Medical, Dental and pharmacy students

18 female, 32 male

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME : HEALTH & RELIEF

Opening Presentation – Development of an Islamic Personality: Prof Mohamed Coovadia

Workshop 1: Common Medical Conditions

Sexuality and Sexual Disorders: Dr Farouk Randeree

Orthopaedic procedures and Islamic practises: Prof Ismail Goga

Urinary Incontinence: Dr Aslam Bhorat

Islamic Perspectives: Hafeez Fuzail Soofie

Workshop 2: Relief

Panel: SANZAF, IMA Clinics, Africa Muslim Agency

Workshop 3: Integrated Curriculum & Bioethics

Panel: Prof Moh.Tickly, Prof AFM Ebrahim

Workshop 4: Infectious Diseases

Tuberculosis, HIV/AIDS, Bird Flu

Panel: Prof Anwar Hoosen, Dr Goolam Latiff, Dr Fareeda Amod

Workshop 5: Student Chapter presentations

RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES :

Visit into the local community

People, lifestyle, huts, IMA clinic

Safari tour

Tala game reserve: guided tour of park

Natal Lion Park: up close and personal

uShaka Marine world

Cultural tour

Jumuah Masjid, Islamic Propagation Centre

Shopping tour

Souk, Gateway Shopping Mall

Cultural evening

Braai, cultural traditions, games.



REPORT : PAKISTAN EARTHQUAKE

8 October 2005: worst earthquake in last century measuring 7.6 causing extensive destruction and devastation in North-Eastern Pakistan, Kashmir and parts of Afghanistan and India.

Villages destroyed burying their populations beneath the rubble, roads inaccessible, adverse weather conditions complicating relief efforts.

250 000 or more dead, extensive injuries, 2,5 million displaced from homes without shelter.

Health and other civil infrastructures severely disrupted.

Urgent relief assistance requested.

Led by PIMA (Prof Muhammed Tariq and Prof Hafeez ur Rehman).

2 surgical hospitals commissioned: Muzafferabad, Abbotabad.

Emergency Supplies included: tents, blankets and clothing, medicines and medical equipment, surgical supplies .

Cash contributions from various sources including IMAs, NGOs.

Local response overwhelming with cash, clothing and others, coordinated by Alkhidmat Foundation (45 trucks daily).



SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES :

- Damage assessment from day 1 till to date
- Four Hospitals being managed
 - 3 Field hospitals - Bagh, Muzaffarabad and Balakot.
 - Gillani Hospital, Abbotabad for advanced surgery
 - Equipped with Modern Operation Theatre &
 - Diagnostics (X Rays & Laboratory)
- Mobile medical missions sent to far flung areas including Kaghan, Allai, Neelum Valley
- Emergency central executive meeting convened & Relief Committee & Coordinator appointed
- Daily reporting system established
- A Central Coordination Cell established at PIMA Central Secretariat
- Contacts daily field teams and carries out needs assessment for human resources and supplies
- Meets daily in the evening
- Proposals developed for long term projects
- Central Warehouse of drugs and supplies made
- Coordinates and facilitate foreign teams



Manpower	National	International
Ortho/Plastics	212	26
Surgeons	206	41
Physicians	194	13
O & G	37	13
Anesthetist	88	14
Psychologists /Psychiatrist	21	9
MO Medical Officers	655	100
Lady MO	88	15
Paramedics	519	22

Medical	National	International
Pharmacist	178	18
OT Technicians	115	3
Lab Technicians	28	2
X Ray Technicians	48	0

Medical	National	International
Electrician	27	0
Admin. Staff	54	0
Volunteers	3121	35
Overall Total	5591	311

COLLABORATING IMAs

- Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
- Orthopedic Surgeon + 40,000 USD + Medicines
- South Africa - Team of surgeons + relief goods
- North America APPNA – Cash 50,000 USD + Equipment worth 100,000 USD
- Bangladesh - Cash + 2 surgeons
- Malaysia - Surgeons
- Singapore 60 personnel + relief 150,000 USD
- Kenya
- Egypt
- Turkey
- Sudan
- Indonesia
- United Kingdom
- Bosnia
- IMANA
- IMA Jordan

CURRENT CHALLENGES :

- Sustainability of projects
- Coping with long, harsh winter
- Availability of human resources
- Adequate arrangements for sanitation & clean water supply
- Collection and flow of information

FUTURE PLANS :

- Upgrading field hospitals
- Repair and re-commissioning of PIMA
- Al Hajri Hospital in Muzaffarabad
- Rehabilitation Hospital in Rawalpindi
- Artificial Limb Support Centre
- Satellite clinics for first level health care

FIMA : Past, Present & Future

(abstract submitted to IMANA Convention in Beijing July 2006)

Musa Mohd. Nordin
FIMA President 2005-2007

The vision of our leaders is awesome and most inspiring. On 31st Dec. 1981, in Orlando, Florida, 10 representatives from Canada, India, Indonesia, Jordan, Nigeria, USA, Pakistan, South Africa, Sudan and the UK & Eire met and founded FIMA.

Dr. El-Awad (Sudan) chaired the 1st FIMA Council assisted by Drs. El-Kadi (USA), Akhtar (Pak) and Hoosen (SA).

Among others her aims and objectives included :

- a. Promoting the understanding & application of Islamic principles in medicine
- b. Promoting Islamic medical services, education and research
- c. Fostering unity and welfare of Muslim medical professionals and IMAs
- d. Mobilising resources for humanitarian relief activities

Since 1981, 22 FIMA Council meetings have been held. The 23rd will be hosted by Indonesia, in Yogyakarta from 19-20 July 2006.

Currently, there are 23 full members, 3 associate members and 15 with observer status. This represents just under 50,000 Muslim medical and health professionals

Milestones in her brief history includes :

- 1981 - secretariat in USA; Jordan (1987); Malaysia (1992); Jordan (1997); Pakistan (2001-2007).
- 1983 - organisational agenda
- 1991 - medical jurisprudence seminar (Amman)
- 1994 - meeting of Islamic Relief NGOs (Paris)
- 1996 - FIMA Year Book launched (Jakarta)
- 1999 - FIMA HQ established (Chicago)
- 2000 - Consortium of Islamic Medical Colleges (Islamabad)
- 2001 - FIMA International Student Camp (Abha)
- 2001 - 1st FIMA International Scientific Convention (Sarajevo). More projects launched
- 2001 - 1st International Muslim Leaders Consultation on HIV/ AIDS (Kampala)
- 2003 - FIMA Lifetime Achievement Award (J'burg)
- 2005 - Approved as Special Consultative Status to the United Nations ECOSOC

We have inherited a FIMA which is well entrenched in her mission and values. And these philosophical ideals have been translated into practical forms to emphasise our seriousness in institution building. The projects thus far have incorporated :

1. Medical teaching (Consortium of Islamic Medical Colleges-CIMCO)
2. Hospital services (Islamic Hospital Consortium-IHC)
3. Continuing Professional Education (Accreditation Council for Certification of Continuing Medical Education-ACCCME)
4. Student activities (Umrah & Ziarah, Winter and Summer Camps)
5. Information & communication technology savvy (FIMA Hi-Tech Centre)
6. Publications (FIMA Year Book and FIMA Vision)
7. Humanitarian relief (multiple relief missions world wide and partnership in Islamic Council for Da'wa & Relief)
8. Research studies (FIMA Health Policy Initiative)
9. International networking (close liaison with UN, WHO, OIC; Islamic Organisation of Medical Sciences IOMS and others)

Our predecessors have displayed an "izzah" (sense of mission with confidence) which is difficult to emulate. But I believe with total "iltizam" (commitment) from all our IMAs, we are ready to face the challenges ahead. It is our shared and cherished goal to regain the leadership of the ummah in the medical sciences

IMPORTANT DATE

11-15 July 2006 : 8th FIMA International Student Camp
VENUE : BANDUNGAN, SEMARANG, INDONESIA

Camp Program

	Inauguration Ceremony	Closing Ceremony
Time	9:00 – 11:00 AM, Monday 10 July	9:00 – 11:00 AM, Saturday 15 July
Location	The camp venue	The camp venue
Paragraph	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcome addresses• Introduction of participants• Overview and outline of program• Dividing participants into groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Farewell addresses• Recreational presentation• Evaluation and Suggestions• ConclusionsRecommendations

The camp program is composed of two main parts:

I. The Cultural Program:

This is the main program that covers the main theme of the camp.

The time allocated for this part is the first 4 hours in the morning. The schedule is depicted in Table 1 below.

The format of the cultural program includes:

- Lectures
- Workshops
- Discussions

II. The Complementary Program:

This part of the program fills up the rest of the time starting from the afternoon at 1 PM. The proposal of this program and logistic arrangement will be prepared by the brothers in Indonesia.

The Complementary Program includes the following items:

- Supplementary talks and meetings
- Sports programs
- Recreational programs
- Tourism trips
- Visits
- Social programs

Table 1: Timetable of Cultural Program

Time	Topic	Speaker
Session 1 / Day 1 / Tuesday 11 July: Essential Muslim Features		
Moderator:		
9:00 – 9:30	Overview of Muslim Personality: Common Human Characters and Distinctive Features	Mohammad Musa Al-Shareef
9:30 – 10:00	Mentality and Culture of Muslims: Should they be different!	Mohammad Musa Al-Shareef
10:00 – 11:00	Groups Workshops	
11:00 – 11:30	Break	
11:30 – 12:30	Presentation by group representatives	
12:30 – 13:00	Panel Discussion and Conclusion	
Session 2 / Day 2 / Wednesday 12 July: Medical Education and Ethics		
Moderator:		
9:00 – 9:30	Professional Learning and Qualification: Scope and Hope	Aly Mishaal
9:30 – 10:00	Attitude, Ethics and Conduct of Muslim medical professionals	Atallah Al-Ruhaily
10:00 – 11:00	Groups Workshops	
11:00 – 11:30	Break	
11:30 – 12:30	Presentation by group representatives	
12:30 – 13:00	Panel Discussion and Conclusion	
Session 3 / Day 3 / Thursday 13 July: Basic Skills for Contemporary life		
Moderator:		
9:00 – 9:30	Communication skills	Essam Al-Ghamdi
9:30 – 10:00	Utilization of modern technology	Riyadh Abu Sulaiman
10:00 – 10:30	Personal Organization and Time Management	Salih Al-Ansari
10:30 – 11:00	Groups Workshops	
11:00 – 11:30	Break	
11:30 – 12:30	Presentation by group representatives	
12:30 – 13:00	Panel Discussion and Conclusion	
Session 4 / Day 4 / Friday 14 July: Health, Social and Economic Aspects		
Moderator:		
9:00 – 9:30	Physical and Mental Health Fitness	Abdullah Al-Mulhim
9:30 – 10:00	Social life	Mohammad Musa Al-Shareef
10:00 – 10:30	Economic issues	Mohammad Musa Al-Shareef
10:30 – 11:00	Groups Workshops	
11:00 – 11:30	Break	
11:30 – 12:30	Presentation by group representatives	
12:30 – 13:00	Panel Discussion and Conclusion	
Session 5 / Day 5 / Saturday: Voluntary, Charitable and Spiritual Practice		
Moderator:		
9:00 – 9:30	Professional, Voluntary and Charitable Practice	Musa Mohd. Nordin
9:30 – 10:00	Worship and Spiritual Practice	Mohammad Musa Al-Shareef
10:00 – 11:00	Groups Workshops	
11:00 – 11:30	Break	
11:30 – 12:30	Presentation by group representatives	
12:30 – 13:00	Panel Discussion and Conclusion	

IMPORTANT DATE

VENUE : MELIA PUROSANI, YOGYAKARTA, INDONESIA

16 July 2006 : Pre-Council EXCO meeting

17-18 July : FIMA Council Meeting

18 July : CIMCO, IHC

19-20 July : 3rd FIMA International Convention

21 July : Workshop on Islamic Hospital Management & Islamic Medical Education

TENTATIVE PROGRAMME FOR THE FIMA INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

July 19, 2006 (WEDNESDAY); DAY 1

- 07.00 - 09.00 : Registration
- 09.00 - 09.10 : Recitation of Al Quran
- 09.10 - 09.20 : Report by the OC
- 09.20 - 09.30 : Welcome speech by the Rector, UII
- 09.30 - 10.15 : KEYNOTE ADDRESS by HE JUSUF KALLA, VICE PRESIDENT, REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA
- 10.15-11.00 : Coffee break and officiating the medical expo
- 11.00-11.45 : Plenary I DISASTER MANAGEMENT – AN OVERVIEW by DR.HANI AL BANNA (UK)
- 11.45-13.00 : lunch and prayer
- 13.00-15.00 : FORUM I MEDICO; PSYCHOSOCIAL & ECONOMIC RAMIFICATIONS OF NATURAL DISASTERS
 - A. THE TSUNAMI – INDONESIA
 - B. THE EARTHQUAKE – PIMA (PROF TARIQ & PROF IQBAL; PAKISTAN)
 - C. THE HURRICANE KATRINA – IMANA (DR. PARVAIZ MALIK; USA)
- 15.00-15.30 : Coffee break and prayer
- 15.30-17.00 : SYMPOSIUM 1 CURRENT AND IMPENDING MEDICAL DISASTERS
 - A. THE IMPENDING FLU PANDEMIC
 - B. THE AIDS PANDEMIC
 - C. THE BIOLOGICAL THREAT
- 17.00-18.30 : FREE PAPERS
- 19.30-22.00 : Sponsored talk (vaccinology/neurology) and Dinner

July 20, 2006 (THURSDAY); DAY 2

- 08.00-08.45 : Plenary II COLLABORATION OF RELIEF EFFORTS – THE ROLE OF INTERNATIONAL AGENCIES by DR. JEMILAH (MALAYSIA)
- 08.45-09.30 : Plenary III COLLABORATION OF RELIEF EFFORTS – THE FIMA MODEL by DR ASHRAF AJEEDAR (SOUTH AFRICA)
- 09.30-10.00 : Coffee Break
- 10.00-12.00 : FORUM II NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL DISASTER PREPAREDNESS STRATEGIES
 - A. DR. HANI AL BANNA (UK)
 - B. DR. JEMILAH (MALAYSIA)
 - C. DR. PARVAIZ MALIK (USA)
 - D. DR. ASHRAF AJEEDAR (SOUTH AFRICA)
- 12.00-13.00 : Lunch and Prayer
- 13.00-15.00 : Symposium II : PERENNIAL HUMANITARIAN RELIEF
 - A. AFRICAN RELIEF – IMAKSA/IMASA (SAUDI ARABIA/SOUTH AFRICA)
 - B. PALESTINIAN RELIEF – SMA JERUSALEM (PALESTINE)
 - C. FIMA SAVE A VISION – PROF. HAFEEZ UR RAHMAN (PAKISTAN)
- 15.00-15.30 : Coffee break and prayer
- 15.30-17.30 : FREE PAPERS
- 17.30-19.00 : free
- 19.30-22.00 : Sponsored talk (pulmonology) : PROF FAROQUE KHAN (USA)