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Dear Sir,
Assalamu alaikum

The Federation of Islamic Medical Associations (FIMA) herewith extends a humble offer to assist in the humanitarian disaster created by the conflict and bombardment of Gaza and its people over the past few weeks.

FIMA was established in 1981 with the sole mission of serving humanity by coordinating health activities and projects, both regionally and globally. With a membership of 51 organizations/countries, representing 110,000 health professionals from all disciplines, and over 30 years of experience in disaster management and humanitarian relief, we believe that we have the necessary skills and capacity to assist in the critical medical care of the injured in the Gaza strip.

With the health services in Gaza crippled by the relentless bombing of the region over the past 31 days, destroying the infrastructure and essential services, including the health facilities like hospitals, clinics, ambulances, and health professionals, we believe that FIMA could assist in supporting the region and the already frail health systems. Viva Palestina Malaysia (VPM) and Al Khidmat Foundation, 2 of our associates have been active on the ground since the very first day distributing food, water, medicine and health kits, clothing and shelter. Al Khidmat Foundation is ready to establish a field hospital at the border crossing in El Arish in Egypt for the severely wounded citizens of Gaza.

In addition, we have access to the critical resources that have been depleted by the sheer load of this current crisis and the past 17 years of isolation i.e. medicines, medical supplies, equipment, hygiene kits and various other medical and humanitarian aids.

FIMA requires the following assistance in preparing and delivering of professional services in Gaza:

1. Receiving and coordinating medical teams on arrival in El-Arish, Egypt
2. Hosting the medical teams in El-Arish (accommodation and meals)
3. Supervising the crossing of the medical teams across the border into Gaza (Raffah border crossing)
4. Hosting the medical teams in Gaza (accommodation and meals)
5. Coordinating placement of medical missions with the various hospitals in the region

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6. Where possible, securing safe passage of the respective medical teams
7. Any other coincidental costs

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FIMA is ready to assist with immediate effect.

Jazakumullah khairan



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