



ROTARY CLUB BEIRUT COSMOPOLITAN

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Malcolm Tagg
District Governor 1040
Beirut June 6, 2023

Dear DG Malcolm Tagg,

We hope you are well and that the affairs of the **District 1040 are prospering.**

The Board and members of the Rotary Club Beirut Cosmopolitan wish to express their thanks and gratitude to the donors of the Beirut Governmental Hospital in Karantina, albeit with some delay, owing to the repeated postponement of the official inauguration of the Hospital.

Following our handover, on January 27, 2023, of all the medical equipment donated for a value of \$391000, it is our pleasure to thank you and the more than 150 other clubs from a dozen districts, spanning over 7 countries who rallied round to contribute towards this magnificent project. The money collected from the donations covered the cost of the state of the art equipment for the New Mother and Child facility, the Pediatric ward with ICU beds, cabinets, and the impressive operating theatre, (kindly view pictures).

To remind you, the horrendous Beirut Port explosion on August 4, 2020, one of the largest in history, devastated the neighboring Karantina hospital as well as hundreds of other buildings, leaving behind thousands of casualties. The badly-needed new equipment offered by Our Rotary Club, thanks to your donations, will help tens of thousands of underprivileged patients, for generations to come, to receive health care almost free-of-charge.

Your generous support, made this GG, the largest yet of our 25 GG's projects, executed since the inception of our Club 28 years ago.

The Plaque (visual attached) acknowledging the Donors will soon be highly visible in all parts of the hospital.

District Governor Malcolm Tagg, we owe the **District 1040** a debt of gratitude for having so generously come forward to support a project which is vital to the community it serves. Please be sure to extend our thanks to the Officers of the District in 2020 when the donation of your district was decided by the then President Board and members

Thereupon, we will not hesitate to appeal once again to your Club, the District and Rotary International at large for further support to our distressed community.

Best Rotarian Regards

President Samir El Khoury
(on behalf of the Board)

PP Joe Boulos - TRF Committee Chair
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