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## WMO PC ACTIVITY & PANDEMIC REPORT

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March – April 2020

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## **The WMOPC COVID-19 RELIEF COMMITTEE**

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Mr. Altaf Vayani (Project Supervisor Enquiry/Scrutiny)

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Mr. Aijaz Bakhla (Coordinator, Cheque Distribution)

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Mr. Muhammad Reyaz Ahmed Dhib (Coordinator, Medical)

### **The Team**

The Office Staff at WMOPC

Volunteers provided by Mr. Aijaz Bakhla, Mr. Altaf Vayani & Mr. Shoaib Ghaziani

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Mrs. Abida Dada

Ms. Reeda Sheikhani

# **WORLD MEMON ORGANISATION (WMO) Pakistan Chapter**



## **WMOPC COVID-19 RELIEF PROGRAM**

**Progress Report  
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# THE WMOPC COVID-19 RELIEF PROGRAM

## Formation of COVID-19 Relief Committee

During the month of March 2020, when the Coronavirus started spreading all over Pakistan suggesting that a lengthy Lockdown was inevitable, the Office Bearers of WMO Pakistan Chapter were deeply concerned about well-being of the poor Memon families who were dependent on day-to-day earnings.

The Office Bearers immediately formed the WMOPC COVID-19 RELIEF PROGRAM COMMITTEE under the leadership of Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting Vice President & Regional Secretary of WMOPC).

## The Appeal

A worldwide appeal for funds was circulated. The ARY Digital Network also telecasted a special program in support of WMOPC's COVID-19 Relief Program.

The WMOPC is extremely grateful to all donors for their immediate response and generous contributions for this noble project. May Almighty Allah reward each one of them with His Grace and infinite Blessings. Ameen.

**WORLD MEMON ORGANISATION  
PAKISTAN CHAPTER**

**ARY  
DIGITAL NETWORK**

**APPEAL FOR ASSISTANCE  
Corona  
VIRUS AFFECTED COMMUNITIES**

The WMO Pakistan Chapter with the support of WMO International and ARY Digital has come forward to provide relief necessary to mitigate adverse impact of the COVID-19 pandemic. The relief initiatives are as follows.

**We appeal to the community to come forward and support these efforts. An estimated PKR 50 million is required for this relief program.**

PKR 5,000 cash assistance per month for 3 consecutive months for thousand Memon families who have lost their livelihood due to lockdowns.

Supply of COVID-19 Testing Kits to selected hospitals.

Distribution of options packets during and after the holy months of Ramadan.

Contribution towards the cost of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) - gowns, masks, gowns, etc. - for medical staff in hospitals - designated for COVID-19 treatment in Karachi. WMOPC will also supply the initial lot of the medicines required by the Field Isolation Centre being set up at Karachi Expo Centre.

**IF YOU WISH TO MAKE CONTRIBUTIONS  
PLEASE CONTACT:**

World Memon Organisation - Zakat Specific  
Account No.: 010 239 203 117 941 0877  
Summit Bank  
Jamshed Quarter Branch, Karachi  
IBAN No.: PA665UMR023902714010877  
SWIFT: SUMBPKKA

World Memon Organisation  
Account No.: 010 239 203 117 941 0878  
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Jamshed Quarter Branch, Karachi  
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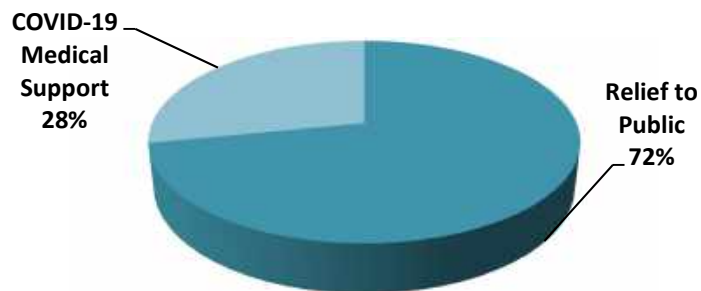
Mr. Munir Suriya  
Contact No.: 0321-2273622

**WMOPC COVID-19 RELIEF PROGRAM**  
**Break- up of Funds Distributed so far**

Particulars	Nos.	PKR	USD
<b>Support to Field Isolation Centers &amp; Hospitals</b>			
		PKR	USD
Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) (to various government & private Hospitals)	2100	1,275,000	8,019
Medicines & Beds (to Field Isolation Center, Karachi Expo Center)	-	1,295,035	8,239
Testing Kits (COVID-19)	5000	5,000,000	31,447
<b>Sub Total (Medical)</b>		<b>7,585,000</b>	<b>47,705</b>
<b>Relief to Memon Families</b>			
<b>Emergency Cash Relief</b>		18,090,000	113,773
More than thousand Memon families, whose day-to-day income was affected by the lockdown, were helped through this program @Rs. 5000 per month for three consecutive months plus Rs.3000 for Rations. (Total Rs.18000/ family)			
<b>Distribution of Rations</b> (To Memon fishermen families in coastal areas and islands)		1,295,035	8,145
<b>Sub Total (Relief):</b>		<b>19,385,035</b>	<b>121,918</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>		<b>26,970,035</b>	<b>169,623</b>

\*This is an on-going project

**Break-up of Distribution**



## STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES (SOPs)

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The WMO Pakistan Chapter and its COVID-19 Relief Committee has tried to follow the SOPs defined by the Government to stay safe and keep others safe from the pandemic.



**Spraying of Disinfectant at WMO House**

- Social Distancing
- Display of take caution signs
- Use of phone & teleconferencing wherever possible
- Compulsory wearing of masks, hand gloves, sanitizers, handwashing
- Cleanliness and disinfection procedures
- COVID-19 Screening/Testing of all Office Staff and Team Members



## SUPPORT TO FIELD ISOLATION CENTER & OTHER HOSPITALS FOR THE WAR AGAINST CORONAVIRUS

### DONATION OF PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE)

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**Doctors & Paramedical Staff at Karachi Civil Hospital wearing PPE donated by WMO**

The situation in hospitals is very critical due to the shortage of PPE which is endangering the lives of doctors and paramedical staff, who are exposed to so many patients and their attendants who come for treatment of common diseases but may be carriers of COVID-19. The hospitals are unable to supply sufficient quantities of PPE to their personnel.

Alhamdulillah, by the Grace of Almighty Allah, the WMO Pakistan Chapter has started donation of large quantities of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to designated hospitals for use by doctors and paramedical staff. WMO is continuously receiving messages of thanks and gratitude from the doctors and hospitals for the timely supply of PPE.

This is an ongoing project and more PPE will be distributed in the next few days. Insha Allah.





<b>Distribution of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)</b>
<b>Name of Hospital</b>
Civil Hospital, Karachi
Department of Radiosurgery, Jinnah Postgraduate Medical Center
Al Mustafa Welfare Hospital
Memon Medical Complex
Bantva Anis Hospital
Usman Memorial Hospital
Bantva Hospital
Halar General Hospital
Hussaini Blood Bank
Kutiyana Memon Hospital
Dr. Mubina
Sindh Government Hospital, Liaquatabad
Turk General Hospital
Patni General Hospital

WMO has already received requisitions from many other hospitals to whom PPE will be provided.

## DONATION OF PPE TO CIVIL HOSPITAL KARACHI – 18<sup>th</sup> April 2020



WMOPC donated Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to SAAYA, a non-profit organization of past and present students of Dow Medical College based at Civil Hospital, Karachi on 18<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

## DONATION OF PPE TO OTHER HOSPITALS IN KARACHI –April 2020



**Bantva Anis Hospital**



**Bantva Hospital, Kakri Ground, Old Town**





**Kutiyaana Memon Hospital**



**Memon Medical Complex**



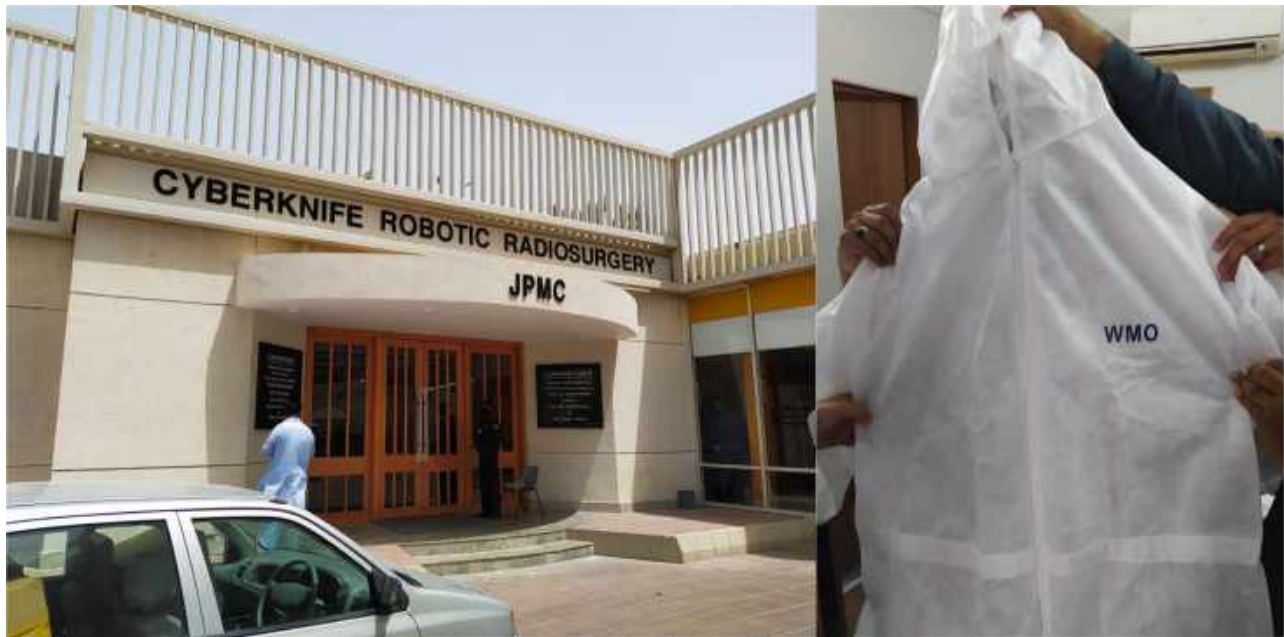
**Usman Memorial Hospital**

## DONATION OF PPE TO JINNAH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTER

25<sup>th</sup> April 2020



The WMO Pakistan Chapter donated much needed Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) to the Cyberknife Robotic Radiosurgery, Department of Radiology, Jinnah Postgraduate Medical Center (JPMC), Karachi on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2020. The PPE were handed over to Dr. Tasneem Butt.





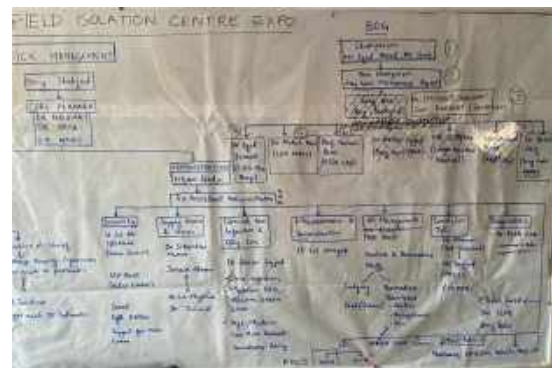
## MEDICINES & BEDS TO FIELD ISOLATION CENTER & OTHER HOSPITALS

TUESDAY, 24<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2020 - VISIT TO FIELD ISOLATION CENTER



Mr. Shoaib Ismail Mangroria (Secretary General, WMO) and the Office Bearers of WMO Pakistan Chapter namely Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting Vice President & Regional Secretary General, WMOPC), Mr. Gul Muhammad (Regional Treasurer) and Mr. Reyaz Ahmed Dhib paid a visit to the FIELD ISOLATION CENTRE, at Karachi Expo Center for Corona Virus affected patients on Tuesday 24th March 2020.

They met with Brigadier Shahzad with his team and Dr. Nuzhat Faruqi, the Core Planner from Aga Khan University Hospital. The OBs were shown around the center and explained the crisis management plan. They also requested WMOPC DELEGATION to donate generously for purchase of medical equipment, disposables, medicines and other items. The WMO team assured them of best possible support.



WEDNESDAY, 29<sup>th</sup> MARCH 2020 – Meeting with Major General Aqeel at Malir, Karachi to discuss how WMO can help.

## Donation of Medicines to the Field Isolation Center – 4<sup>th</sup> April 2020



A delegation from WMO Pakistan Chapter visited the Field Isolation Center for COVID-19 Patients at the Karachi Expo Center on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2020 and handed over a large quantity of Medicines to Colonel Ali Iftikhar, Dr. Nuzhat Farooqi of Aga Khan University Hospital and their team.

The delegation from WMO consisted of Mr. Shoaib Ismail Mangroria (Secretary General WMO), Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting Vice President & Regional Secretary General, WMOPC), Mr. Gul Muhammad (Regional Treasurer, WMOPC), Mr. Muhammad Reyaz Dhib (Advisor, WMOPC) and Dr. Muhammad Hanif Baig (GM Procurement, CAPEX & BME of Memon Medical Institute Hospital (MMI)).





## DONATION OF BEDS TO FIELD ISOLATION CENTER – 13<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2020



The WMO Pakistan Chapter appreciates the Field Isolation Center established at the Karachi Expo Center which has been specially setup to cope up with a sudden influx of COVID-19 patients.

On Monday, 13th April 2020, the WMO Pakistan Chapter donated specially made Single Fowler Beds to the Field Isolation Center. Mr. Noman Ahmedani of the WMO Global Youth Wing handed over the beds to the concerned officials.



## COVID-19 TESTING KITS



### **OBs MEET WITH MR. SALMAN IQBAL, CEO, ARY DIGITAL NETWORK Tuesday, 28<sup>th</sup> April 2020**

Mr. Shoaib Ismail Mangrora (Secretary General, WMO) and the Office Bearers of WMO Pakistan Chapter namely Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting Vice President & Regional Secretary General, WMOPC) and Mr. Gul Muhammad (Regional Treasurer, WMOPC) paid a visit to Mr. Salman Iqbal, CEO of ARY Digital Network.

The various matters discussed included COVID-19 Testing Kits for WMOPC. The ARY Digital Network will provide 5000 Testing Kits to WMO Pakistan Chapter within a short time. The WMOPC will contribute Rs.50 million for the testing kits.



## RELIEF WORK FOR MEMONS & GENERAL PUBLIC



The Office Bearers of the WMO Pakistan Chapter launched an Appeal for the Corona Relief Program. Under this program, Cash Assistance & Rations will be provided to needy Memon families while Medicines, Beds, Testing Kits & Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) will be distributed to key medical institutions.

The WMO Pakistan Chapter will provide to more than a thousand of our less-fortunate Memon brethren, who depend on daily-wages, petty shops or other micro enterprises. The cheques will be provided at their doorstep with Monthly Financial Assistance of Rs. 5000 per family, continuously for next 3 months.

A Special Committee has been formed and SOPs have been carefully formulated. Due to lockdown, the Committee meets on Conference Calls

According to the SOPs, great care has been taken to ensure that only the rightfully needy Memon families get financial support. Cheques are prepared with name of beneficiary as per his or her CNIC and the CNIC number is also written on the cheque. The cheques are delivered door to door.

The ARY Digital Network held a Special Telethon to promote the cause of WMO. Special thanks to ARY Digital Network for displaying name of WMO with its Bank Account Numbers.



## WMOPC COVID-19 EMERGENCY CASH RELIEF PROGRAM

Meeting on 4<sup>th</sup> April 2020



An in-house Meeting was held at WMO House on Saturday, 4<sup>th</sup> April 2020, to review the progress of the WMOPC COVID-19 Relief Program's and the final arrangements for distribution of Financial Assistance to Memon Families (whose daily income has been deeply affected by the continuous lockdown).

The Meeting was attend by Mr Shoaib Ismail Mangroria (Secretary General WMO), Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting Vice President & Regional Secretary General, WMOPC), Mr. Gul Muhammad (Regional Treasurer WMOPC), Project Supervisors namely Mr. Altaf Vayani, Mr. Aijaz Bakhla & Mr. Shoaib Ghaziani along with Volunteers and Office Staff.

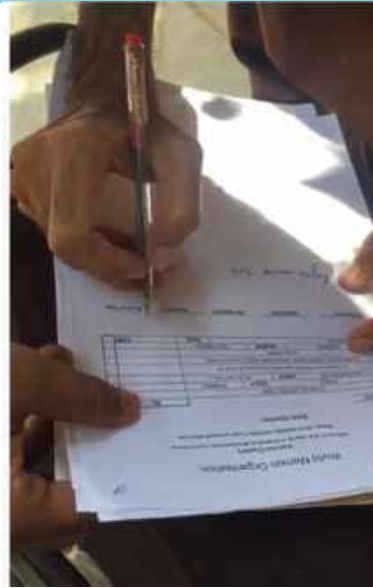
Under this program, distribution of Cheques were started from Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> April 2020. Over 1,000 Memon families will be supported with Rs.5000 p.m. each for three consecutive months.





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## WMOPC COVID-19 Emergency Cash Relief Program



By the Grace of Almighty Allah, the Emergency Cash Relief Program of WMOPC has been completed. Cheques delivered door-to-door to over one thousand Memon families whose day-to-day livelihood was deeply affected by the lengthy Lockdown. Thereafter, the cash amount for rations was also disbursed. Therefore, each of the above families received a total assistance of Rs.18000/-. The salient features of this project are:

- Careful multi-level scrutiny of beneficiaries (according to SOPs) to ensure that the rightly deserving get the financial assistance.
- Our team of riders went to areas all over Karachi, wherever Memons live, despite the strict lockdown and sealing of certain areas, to deliver the cheques at the doorsteps of the beneficiaries.
- Names (as per CNIC) along with CNIC numbers were written on the cheques to ensure that the money reaches only the selected beneficiaries.
- Our Banks supported our cause by agreeing to issue payments only after properly matching CNIC Number written on cheque with original CNIC.
- A follow-up telephone call was made to the beneficiaries after a couple of days to find out if all had gone well with the encashment of cheques. Alhamdulillah, the beneficiaries have expressed their satisfaction and have thanked the people at WMO for the timely help.

**WMOPC COVID-19  
EMERGENCY CASH RELIEF PROGRAM**

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## DISTRIBUTION OF RATIONS

### - TO MEMON FISHERMEN FAMILIES ALONG THE COASTAL AREAS & ISLANDS



The Office Bearers of WMO Pakistan Chapter along with the Secretary General of WMO had a meeting with Naval Commodore Rizwan Ahmed on Wednesday, 15th April 2020. The Commodore appreciated the relief work done by WMO and also informed WMO that the Navy had distributed 45,000 ration bags along the 990 kilometers long coastal area, which consists of both Sindh and Makran Coasts. Many of the fishermen belonging to Kutch and Kathiawad.

Since the Navy plans to distribute further 10,000 bags of rations, WMOPC was requested to contribute as much as possible for this noble purpose. Therefore, WMOPC has decided to contribute significant quantity of Tea packets and Wheat Flour for the ration bags.



## **OBs VISIT TO FIELD ISOLATION CENTER OF BHITTAI RANGERS**

**Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> April 2020**

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Mr. Shoaib Ismail Mangroria (Secretary General, WMO) and the Office Bearers of WMOPC Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting Vice President & Regional Secretary General, WMOPC) and Mr. Gul Muhammad (Regional Treasurer, WMOPC) paid a visit to Bhattai Rangers on Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> April 2020. They were welcomed by Colonel Rafiq. WMOPC was requested to contribute PPE medicines and other items as much as possible.

## Other related activities

### **BLOOD COLLECTION CAMP FOR THALASSEMIA PATIENTS AFFECTED LOCKDOWN ON 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2020**

**Joint venture of WMO, APMF, HMGJ & Kutiyana Hospital**



On 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2020, a Blood Collection Camp was organized at Bagh-e-Halar Hall, Near Zoological Garden, Shoe Market, Karachi from 11.30 am. This was a joint venture of World Memon Organisation Pakistan Chapter (WMOPC), the All Pakistan Memon Federation (APMF), the Halar Memon General Jamat (HMGJ) and the Kutiyana Memon Hospital.

On behalf of WMO, Mr. Shoaib Ismail Mangroria (Secretary General, WMO), Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting Vice President & Regional Secretary General, WMOPC), Mr. Muhammad Reyaz Ahmed Dhib (Advisor, WMOPC), Mr. Usman Pardesi (Chairman, WMO Thalassaemia Project), Mr. Shoaib Ghaziani & Mr. Maqsood Memon were present.



## Other related activities

### DAWAT-E-ISLAMI'S BLOOD COLLECTION CAMPAIGN FOR THALASSEMIA PATIENTS

Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda's Message on Live TV – 19<sup>th</sup> April 2020



The Dawat-e-Islami has launched a massive Blood Collection Campaign for Thalassemia patients who have been deeply affected by the lengthy lockdown and consequent shortage at blood banks. If these patients do not get the blood on time, their health will be damaged.

The WMO Pakistan Chapter, which is also working for Thalassemia Patients, strongly supports such efforts by other Memon organizations. On 19<sup>th</sup> April 2020, Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting VP & Regional Secretary General, WMOPC) was invited on live TV (via telephone) on the Dawat-e-Islami's TV Channel on 19<sup>th</sup> April 2020. Moulana Ilyas Qadri and Moulana Abdul Habib were the hosts.

On behalf of WMO, Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda, Mr. Usman Pardesi (Chairman, WMO Elimination of Thalassemia Project) and Mr. Shoaib Ghaziani congratulated Dawat-e-Islami for starting the blood collection campaign and assured them the fullest support of WMO for the fight against thalassemia.



## Other related activities

### INTERVIEW ON MEMON NEWS TV



Mr. Shoaib Ismail Mangroria (Secretary General, WMO) and Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting VP & Regional Secretary General, WMOPC) were invited to the Memon News TV Channel for an interview. The main topic was the WMOPC COVID-19 RELIEF PROGRAM. Other projects of WMO were also discussed.



## MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF WMO LADIES WING



Mr. Altaf Habib Jangda (Acting VP & Regional Secretary General), Mr. Gul Muhammad (Regional Treasurer) and Mr. Muhammad Reyaz Ahmed Dhib (Advisor to VP) met with members of the WMO Ladies Wing on 1<sup>st</sup> May 2020.

Mrs. Hamida Iqbal Bawany (Chairperson, Ladies Wing), Mrs. Bilquis Tabani and Mrs. Amina Ganny were present on behalf of the Ladies Wing. Mr. Shoaib Ghaziani (Chairman, Education for All), Mr. Altaf Vayani (Chairman, Higher Education) were also present. The main topics were WMOPC COVID-19 RELIEF PROGRAM, Education for All & Higher Education Program.

Later, a conference call of the COVID-19 Committee was held on Zoom. Mr. Shoaib Ismail Mangroria (Secretary General, WMO), Mr. Arsalan Hashmani (Vice Chairman, GYW) and Mr. Faizan Wahid





## THANKS & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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We are thankful to Almighty Allah for the guidance and success in the various relief efforts launched during the lengthy lockdown.

We are grateful to WMO International particularly Mr. Solly Noor (President), the central Office Bearers and the WMO International COVID-19 Committee for their immediate response to the Coronavirus pandemic and their strong encouragement to the various chapters to launch regional relief programs right away.

We specially thank Mr. Salman Iqbal and the ARY Digital Network for supporting WMO Pakistan Chapter's COVID-19 Relief Program and for promoting the scheme live on its TV Channel.

We are extremely grateful to the donors, well-wishers, Trustees, Patrons and the Members of WMO for their immediate response & generous and timely donations/Zakat contributions.

These relief projects would not have been possible without the tireless efforts of WMOPC COVID-19 Relief Committee, the Office Staff and Volunteers. Sincere thanks to them all.

May Almighty Allah accept the part played by each donor and individual in the COVID-19 Relief Program. Ameen. Jazak Allah Khairan

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Acting VP & Regional Secretary General,  
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Regional Treasurer, WMOPC

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