



Mitzvah-Ma'akhel Reevim--Feeding the Hungry

מֵאֲכִיל רְעֵבִים

Leket Israel is Israel's largest food bank

WHAT THEY DO: Collect extra, unused food from event halls, cafeterias, farmers, bakeries, and food companies, and deliver the food to soup kitchens, food pantries, day care and senior citizen centers, homeless shelters and other non-profit organizations that serve those in need.

WHO THEY HELP: Everyone in Israel who doesn't have enough money to feed themselves (all religions and backgrounds)

LEKET ISRAEL BY THE NUMBERS:

8 million people live in Israel

2 million people are hungry

850,000 are children

Leket Israel feeds 140,000 a week

8,000 sandwiches a day

WWW.LEKET.ORG



Israel Emergency Fund

WHERE THE MONEY GOES:

Food and financial assistance for impacted families, the elderly, and the homebound

Housing and support for communities near Gaza, new olim, immigrants, living in absorption centers, temporary housing, trips and children's activities

Emotional support with expanded capabilities through telephone hotlines; providing direct care to those in need

Emergency medical services and healthcare including medical supplies and equipment for first responders and hospitals.

Targeted assistance to vulnerable populations and their caregivers, including the elderly, young children, people living with disabilities, Russian-speaking Israelis, Ethiopian Israelis, and marginalized populations, such as Bedouin communities

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LOTTEM

WHAT THEY DO:

LOTTEM is the leading organization in Israel offering accessible hikes and educational nature activities around the country to children and adults with special needs, as well as at risk youth and mothers and children residing in shelters for victims of domestic violence.

LOTTEM enables more than 30,000 participants to take part in nature activities every year.

A JNF partner organization, LOTTEM unlocks the door of nature to all at the ecological farms at the Emek HaShalom Nature Park and in Jerusalem.

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THE MICHAEL LEVIN LONE SOLDIER FOUNDATION

The Michael Levin Lone Soldier Foundation helps Lone Soldiers who are members of the IDF who do not have family that live in Israel by providing grants and other services. While they may be called Lone Soldiers, the Michael Levin Lone Soldier Foundation makes sure that they are never alone.

WHAT THEY DO:

- One on one mental health counseling for current soldiers and veteran soldiers**
- Shabbat and holiday meals**
- Assistance for injured or sick soldiers to quickly see a medical specialist**
- Seminars on discharge benefits, budgeting, job search assistance, and resume writing**
- Housing**
- Care packages and base visits**
- Provide socks, underwear, hats, towels, and toiletry essentials**

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רמה ישראל
Ramah Israel

Think Israel. Think Ramah.

Ramah Israel Relief and Support Fund

WHERE THE MONEY GOES:

Supports ongoing efforts in Israel, including those impacting our Ramah community, Ramah Israel has launched the Ramah Israel Relief and Support Fund.

These funds will be used to purchase and directly distribute essential items such as military-grade clothing, medical supplies, toiletries, field mattresses, and sleeping bags to the IDF.

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Darca Schools is committed to providing equal educational opportunities for youth and teens in Israel's underserved periphery. **Darca's** groundbreaking network of 45 schools gives vulnerable students from all parts of Israel access to a high-quality education that leads to brighter futures.

Number of Students: 27,150

Number of Schools: 47

Number of Teachers: 3,000

At **Darca Schools**, we believe that every child in Israel's school system has the right to realize their potential for excellence regardless of their place of residence, parents' education, or any other environmental factor. We serve all sectors of the Israeli population regardless of their religion or political affiliations.

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ERAN

Emotional First Aid

ERAN provides Lifesaving Emotional First Aid Services, offering initial response and emotional support on the phone and online.

Every one encounters difficult moments in their daily lives-**ERAN** provides sympathetic, non-judgmental support for everyone in Israel.

Our Mission:

- First responder by phone and/or online to any person experiencing emotional distress and to provide initial mental assistance and information
- International leader in the field of initial mental care
- To promote the values of listening and empathy in Israeli society

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Saving lives. It's in our blood.

Magen David Adom is a first responder emergency medical service that works closely with other emergency and security authorities to provide medical care for everyone in Israel.

The American Friends of Magen David Adom:

- Purchases ambulances, first responder vehicles, medical equipment and medical stations for **Magen David Adom** in Israel. There are currently over 200 **Magen David Adom** stations in Israel.

- Helps train EMTs and other first responders in life-saving techniques

- Raises funds for the Israeli National Blood Services Center and National Human Milk Bank.

Magen David Adom belongs to the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and Israeli Red Cross National Society. In this capacity, **Magen David Adom** provides training and humanitarian aid to countries in need, all over the world

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