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BRIDGES OF HOPE:
OUR JOURNEY IN 2023
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A MESSAGE FROM OUR COUNTRY MANAGER

Dear Brothers, Sisters, Partners, and Supporters,

Alhamdulillah, all praise belongs to Allah. As we unfold the pages of our 2023 Annual Report, my heart fills with both pride and gratitude. Throughout this year, operating under the theme "Bridges of Hope," Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka (GER-SL) has not only built connections but has also profoundly altered lives, paving pathways from despair to dignity for 136,890 individuals. Our journey, guided by compassion and directed by the Islamic principles of Ihsan (excellence), Ikhlas (sincerity), and Adl (justice), has been nothing short of remarkable.

Over the past year, our unwavering commitment to essential projects such as WASH programs, orphan care, educational support, and emergency relief has demonstrated our dedication to alleviating poverty and empowering communities. Amidst the economic challenges faced by Sri Lanka, our steadfast resolve has served as a beacon of hope for those grappling with adversity.

Looking ahead to 2024, GER-SL eagerly anticipates launching innovative projects that will drive our mission forward. Our plans include the establishment of a Disabled School, dedicated to providing specialized education and facilities for differently abled children, ensuring they have equal opportunities to flourish. Another ambitious initiative is the Orphan Village, a holistic environment for orphans offering not only shelter but a supportive community fostering their overall development.

Furthermore, the Vocational Education Centre will play a pivotal role in our efforts to empower youth and adults. By imparting vocational training and skill development, our aim is to equip individuals with the tools they need for self-sufficiency and economic independence. Complementing this, the School for Orphans will focus on delivering quality education to orphaned children, ensuring they acquire the knowledge and skills to build a promising future.

As we stride forward, our commitment to sustainability and eco-friendliness remains paramount. Our environmental initiatives, including tree plantation projects and climate change campaigns, will endure, reflecting our dedication to a healthier planet.

None of these accomplishments or future endeavors would be achievable without the steadfast support of our partners, donors, and the resilient spirit of the Sri Lankan community. In my role as the Country Manager of GER-SL, I extend my heartfelt gratitude to each one of you. Your generosity and faith in our mission drive our journey towards a world where compassion prevails, and every individual has the opportunity to thrive.

Together, let's endure the creation of hope-filled bridges, aiming for a lasting impression on the lives we impact.

Warm regards,

Muhammed Jarooq

Country Manager
Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka

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PREAMBLE

Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka (GER-SL) warmly welcomes you to a space where each sunrise signifies renewed hope, and every heartbeat echoes with compassion. Our heartfelt embrace extends to our valued local and international partners, government stakeholders, benefactors, and contributors. Against the picturesque backdrop of Sri Lanka, our commitment to alleviating suffering and fostering resilience transforms the ordinary into the extraordinary.

As the sun rises on another chapter in 2023, we find inspiration in stories of change, lives touched, and communities uplifted. Join us in this symphony of empathy as we share tales of impact, innovation, and interconnectedness. Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka is more than an organization; it is a channel of kindness, a force binding us in a shared mission to create a world where everyone thrives.

As you navigate our annual report, consider it an exploration of the extraordinary. Join us in traversing the landscapes of impact, witnessing the tapestry of transformation, and celebrating the spirit of generosity that knows no borders. Welcome to a space where compassion reigns supreme.

In 2023, humanitarian interventions impacted 136,890 lives, dignifying their existence. Thanks to 20 partners, their generosity enabled positive changes. Operating with a fund of 241,571,549 LKR for fiscal year 2023, we initiated transformative changes within our vulnerable community.

Embracing the principles of unity and service, we invite you to engage deeply in the unfolding tale of Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka – a story of shared humanity, meticulously composed with compassion and empowering touches.

BRIDGES of Hope

THEMATIC ESSENCE: Nurturing Hopeful Connections in 2023

Within our 2023 annual report, we've embraced a thematic design that encapsulates the spirit of our initiatives and accentuates the transformative vigor of our mission. This year's chosen theme, "Bridges of Hope," serves as a metaphor for the meaningful connections we cultivate, the paths we illuminate, and the unity that bridges the gap between adversity and solace.

The thematic framework of "Bridges of Hope" beckons readers to partake in a visual and emotional odyssey, emphasizing the intricate dance of our mission and the robustness of our partnerships. It conveys the collective effort of constructing bridges that guide us towards a world enriched with hope and boundless promise.



OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLES

Pillars of Compassionate Action

What Guides Us

Global Ehsan Relief, Sri Lanka stands as an advocacy and humanitarian organization with a far-reaching global impact, dedicated to the eradication of suffering and chaos. Our primary commitment lies in opposing social instability and destitution.

OUR VISION

To Illuminate the World with Positivity

OUR MISSION

Informed by our Islamic values, we endeavor to alleviate the suffering of those in need, empower communities, and champion social justice.

OUR VALUES

- **IHSAN | EXCELLENCE**

Striving for excellence in everything we say and do.

- **IKHLAS | SINCERITY**

Ensuring the highest ethical standards, fostering trust, and upholding accountability.

- **ADL | JUSTICE**

Serving our beneficiaries, donors, partners, and colleagues with fairness and impartiality.



OUR FOOTPRINTS ACROSS SRI LANKA

Our island Reach & Where We Made an Impact



SUMMARY OF THE MISSION 2023

CARE FOR WASH PROGRAM

- Water Well Handpump
- Hybrid Water Well
- Ablution Place
- Community Water Well
- Deep Well
- Dug Well
- Latrines

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **19499**

CARE FOR ORPHANS

- Monthly Orphan Sponsorship
- Food Hamper
- Global Fun Day

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **656**

CARE FOR EDUCATION

- Back to School
- Bicycle distribution

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **500**

SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS

- Canoe Distribution

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **20**

SEASONAL PROJECTS

- Ramadan Ramadan Food Packs
- Ifthar Meals
- Eid Gift
- Zakat
- Zakat-al-Fitr
- Last 10 Days Ifthar Meals
- Porridge
- Mass Ifthar
- Eid Party
- Qurban
- Qurban Meet distribution (Cows & Goats)
- Qurban Hampers
- Aasurah
- Aqiqah
- Dhul-hijjah first 10 days

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **108722**

EMERGENCY RELIEF

- Emergency Food Aid
- Baby Food
- Cooked Meals
- Hygiene Kit

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **4624**

INFRASTRUCTURE FOR COMMUNITY

- Permanent House

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **21**

MEDICAL SUPPORT

- Sponsoring Kidney Patient

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **01**

CIP GERWW

- Picnic with Orphans
- Kindness Day
- Food Pack Distribution
- English teaching
- Meals for Education,
- Orphans' home visit
- School refurbishment
- Ablution painting

No. of Individual Beneficiaries **2847**

Total No of Beneficiaries

136, 890

TIMELINE OF ACHIEVEMENTS

Provided humanitarian assistance to **136,890** individuals, empowering them with skills, resources, and knowledge to enhance their lives and foster self-reliance.

Collaborated with **20** partners throughout the year 2023.

Operated with a budget of **241,571,549 LKR** in the fiscal year 2023.

Recognized Food Pack distribution as the impactful project of the year.

Advocated for universal access to clean water as the primary focus of the year.

Enriched the lives of many through seasonal projects.

Developed and promoted sustainable solutions to address the root causes of social issues, prioritizing long-term impact over short-term relief.

Successfully mobilized resources, securing funding, donations, and support to sustain ongoing projects and expand our reach.

Strengthened internal capacity, focusing on staff development and infrastructure improvement, to ensure the organization operates efficiently and effectively.

Ensured transparency and accountability in financial management and reporting, building trust with donors and beneficiaries.

Actively engaged in partnerships and collaborations, establishing meaningful connections with other NGOs, governments, businesses, and local organizations to amplify impact and resources.

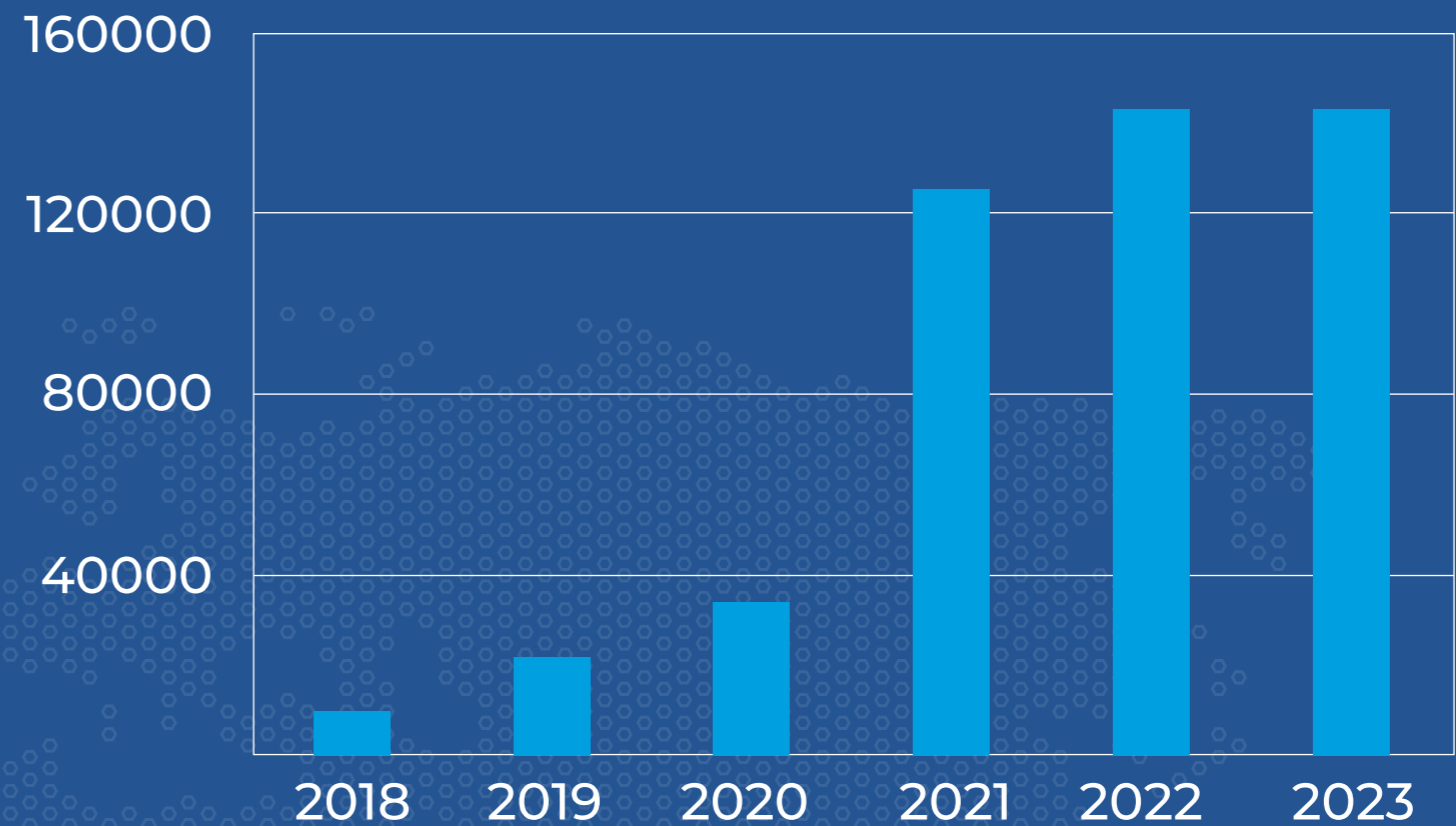
INTERACTIVE DATA

Infographics and Data Visualization & Making a Difference in Numbers

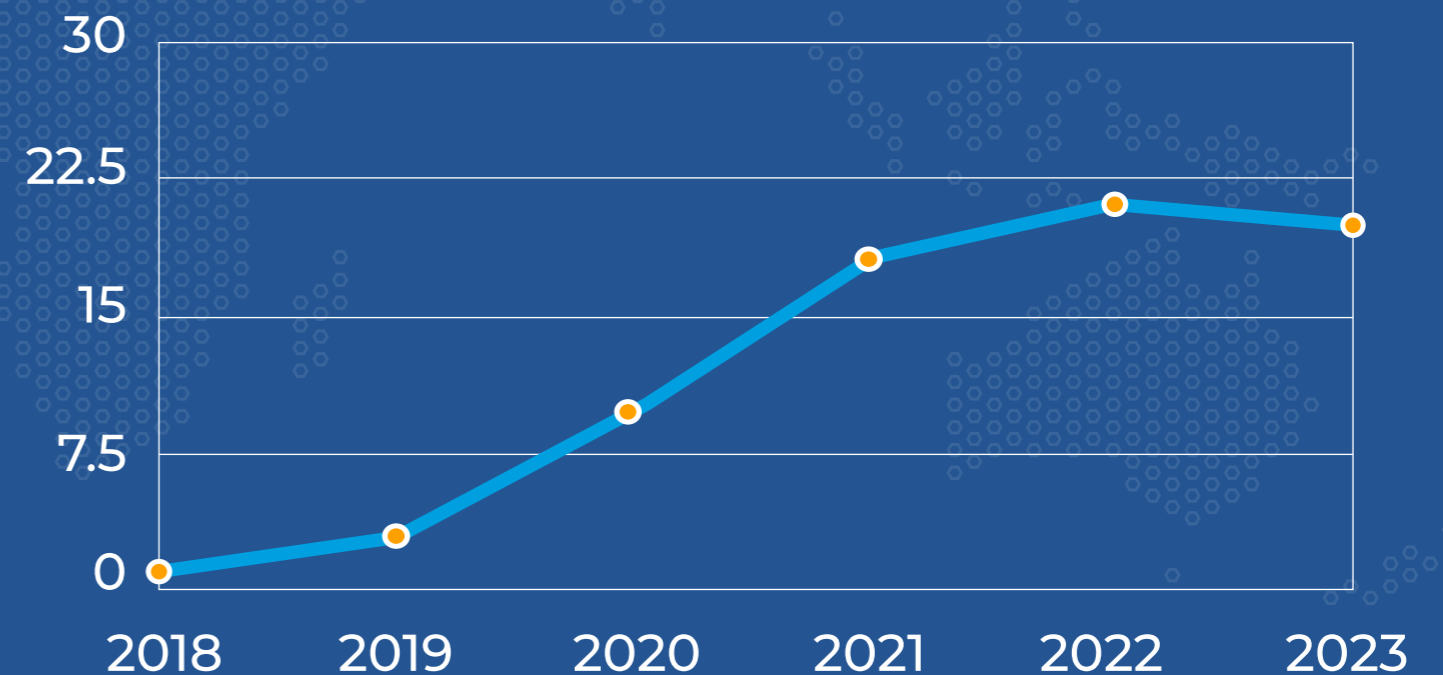
● Achievements of the year (Programs & beneficiaries)

Programs	No of Beneficiaries
Care for WASH Program	19499
Care for Orphans	656
Care for Education	500
Sustainable Livelihoods	21
Seasonal	108722
Infrastructure	20
CIP	2847
Medical Support	1
Emergency Relief	4624

● Beneficiaries Vs years



● Partner hunting (Years Vs. Partners)



PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR

The program " Water, Sanitation and Hygiene " stands as a cornerstone initiative addressing a fundamental human right - access to clean drinking water and improved sanitation practices. In numerous underserved communities, this essential need remains a luxury. However, the program has safeguarded the living standards of 19,499 individuals.



Water, Sanitation And Hygiene



Water Well Handpump	1027
Hybrid Water Well	28
Ablution Place	26
Community Water Well	24
Deep Well	56
Dug Well	09
Water Connection	12
Latrines	150



 QUANTITY
1332

 NO OF BENEFICIARIES
19,499

GROUNDBREAKING IMPACT IN MEDIRIGIRIYA: A TALE OF TRANSFORMATION

In the rural village of Medirigiriya in the Polonnaruwa district, nestled in the northwest corner of Sri Lanka, a story unfolded, creating a ripple of hope that would profoundly alter the lives of its residents.

The village had long grappled with the harsh reality of scarce clean water. Relying on distant, contaminated sources, the population faced water-borne diseases, including Chronicle Kidney Diseases (CDK), leading to immense suffering. The introduction of a program became a beacon of hope, marking a significant turning point in their lives.

The program entered this remote village like a ray of hope. A total of six Very Deep wells were constructed in the heart of Polonnaruwa, offering this community a lifeline to clean water.

For Medirigiriya, the impact was both immediate and profound. Clean water translated to improved health, as the occurrences of water-borne illnesses significantly decreased. The community could now reclaim their time, as they no longer needed to embark on long, arduous journeys to collect water.



This initiative reflects our commitment to ensuring lasting access to standard Water, Sanitation and Hygiene practices. GER-SL expanded its interventions in the districts of Trincomalee, Batticaloa, Vavuniya, and Polonnaruwa in Sri Lanka. Notably, the Water, Sanitation and Hygiene team executed a distinctive project, providing latrine facilities to 150 households in the district of Batticaloa, Sri Lanka. This project is pivotal in transforming daily sanitation practices into improved ones.

Our objective extends beyond the provision of Water, Sanitation and Hygiene facilities for the present; it aims to secure their availability for generations to come, reinforcing the bonds between us and the communities we serve.



The "Care for Orphans" program stands as a testament to our steadfast commitment to ensuring that orphaned children receive the love, care, and opportunities they rightfully deserve. Orphaned children often confront unique and daunting challenges, and we firmly believe that every child, irrespective of their circumstances, deserves the chance for a bright future.

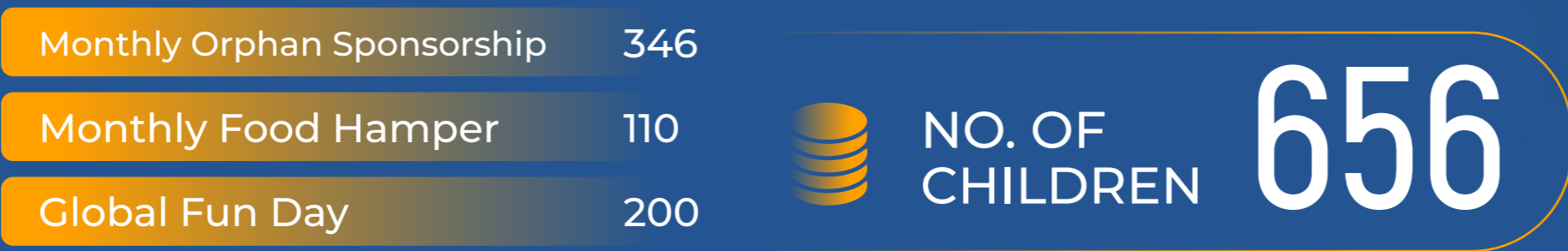
Our mission is to craft a stable, nurturing environment for these children, allowing them to heal, learn, and ultimately thrive.

Through this program, GER-SL has provided 656 orphaned children with access to quality education, healthcare, and the emotional support necessary to help them overcome adversity and pursue their dreams.

By offering a stable and supportive environment, we are not merely ensuring these children survive; we are providing them with the tools to thrive, break free from adversity, and script their own stories of hope and success.

CARE FOR ORPHANS

NURTURING BRIGHT FUTURES



EMPOWERING IMPACT: HADEEJAH'S PATH TO SUCCESS

In the heart of the "Care for Orphans" program unfolds a remarkable story, one that epitomizes the transformative power of love, care, and educational opportunities. Hadeejah, a bright and determined young girl, stands as a testament to the profound impact of this initiative.

Hadeejah's life took a heart-wrenching turn when she lost her father at a tender age, leaving her under the care of her struggling mother. Fate intervened when the program extended its compassionate hand into her life.

Welcomed into a nurturing family within the program, Hadeejah became the recipient of monthly sponsorships. The program was designed to cultivate her dreams, providing a safe and supportive environment where she could truly flourish.

Educational achievement became the beacon of hope for Hadeejah. The program was unwavering in its commitment to ensuring she received a quality education. She attended a nearby school, where her academic prowess quickly became evident.

Hadeejah's dedication paid off, as she not only completed her high school education with flying colors but also achieved a remarkable distinction with 8A & 1C in the General Certificate Examination at her Ordinary Level. Her journey is a testament to the program's commitment to empowering orphaned children and providing them with the tools to succeed against all odds.



At the heart of our mission, the "Care for Education" program serves as a steadfast commitment to ensuring every child, regardless of their circumstances, has access to quality education. Recognizing education's transformative impact in breaking the cycle of poverty and shaping a brighter future, this program stands as a beacon of hope.

In our pursuit of this mission, we have undertaken two significant projects this year, addressing the diverse challenges that obstruct educational access.

The "Bicycle Distribution" project acts as a practical solution, overcoming the challenges of long distances and transportation barriers, especially in rural areas.

This year, GER-SL targeted 100 orphans, distributing bicycles with the aim of eliminating obstacles that might impede their punctual attendance at school.

In tandem, the "Back to School" initiative focuses on providing essential school stationery to students who may lack the means to obtain these items independently. Acknowledging the pivotal role of access to school supplies in creating an environment conducive to learning, this initiative empowers students on their educational journey.

EDUCATIONAL EMPOWERMENT

LIGHTING THE PATH AHEAD

Bicycle Distribution	100
School materials	400

 QUANTITY	 NO OF BENEFICIARIES
500	500

PIONEERING CHANGE Realizing Aspirations in Kahatagasdigiliya.

In the heart of the Division of Kahatagasdigiliya in the Anuradhapura district of Sri Lanka lies the story of Kahatagastigiliya Muslim M/V, a remote village school brimming with aspirations. This is the narrative of a program that breathed life into its dreams.

Communities in Kahatagasdigiliya faced a challenging educational journey, with the school situated several miles away. The daily commute for students meant embarking on a long and arduous journey, leaving them exhausted and consuming precious time. The dream of academic excellence and reaching new heights felt distant and unattainable.

The program served as a lifeline for schools like Kahatagastigiliya Muslim M/V, acknowledging the daunting challenges they faced. The introduction of the Bicycle Distribution Initiative emerged as a pragmatic remedy, fundamentally transforming the educational landscape for this school and its 50 students in Kahatagasdigiliya. The initiative, a simple yet powerful solution, proved to be a catalyst for positive change.

The influence on the academic performance of the school was truly noteworthy. Student grades experienced a substantial rise, and their engagement in school activities increased with renewed enthusiasm. Beyond being time and energy-saving tools, the bicycles cultivated a deep sense of confidence and motivation, emboldening these students to aspire to greater dreams and reach for higher achievements.





SUSTAINABLE LIVELIHOODS

FOSTERING ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT

The essence of the "Sustainable Livelihoods" program lies in our unwavering commitment to empowering individuals and communities, fostering economic self-sufficiency, and alleviating poverty. We understand that offering avenues for sustainable income generation is pivotal in breaking the cycle of dependency.

In the current year, the program manifested its dedication by delivering two canoes to individuals, presenting them with opportunities to make a living.

These canoes transcend mere modes of transportation; they become tools for economic empowerment, particularly in communities where water bodies play an integral role in daily life.

Through the distribution of canoes, we empower individuals and families to participate in fishing and other water-related activities, establishing a source of income that is not only reliable but also sustainable. This initiative is a testament to our commitment to creating lasting and positive impacts on the economic well-being of those we serve.



QUANTITY

02



NO OF BENEFICIARIES

21

IMPACT UNVEILED Transforming Lives in Kinniya

In the coastal region of Kinniya, Sri Lanka, the program orchestrated a significant change by distributing canoes, catalyzing profound transformations in the lives of families like Jababaar and Maiyadeen. In the pre-program era, these families relied on traditional fishing methods, but the absence of proper equipment hampered their catch, leading to economic hardships.

Recognizing the imperative for sustainable income-generating solutions, the program distributed canoes, marking a pivotal moment for families like Jababaar and Maiyadeen. These canoes provided a pathway to venture further into the sea, substantially increasing their chances of securing a bountiful catch.

The reverberations of this initiative echoed through the community as families elevated their livelihoods, contributing to the local economy. The beneficiaries not only achieved financial independence but also enhanced their ability to provide for their loved ones.

This newfound economic stability empowered two families to invest in the education of their children and access healthcare, resulting in an overall improvement in their quality of life. The impact of the program extended beyond economic realms, illuminating a brighter future for families in Kinniya.



SEASONAL INITIATIVES

(RAMADAN & QURBAN)

The "Seasonal Initiatives" epitomize GER-SL's steadfast dedication to offering crucial support and cultivating a sense of community during special times of the year. Collaborative endeavors within the program underscore our commitment to easing the burdens faced by individuals and families in need. Additionally, they reflect our dedication to celebrating cultural and religious occasions through acts of kindness and generosity.



RAMADAN RELIEF 2023



Implemented annually during the eternally glorious month of Ramadan, this project strives to fortify the resilience of vulnerable individuals throughout this sacred period. Its impact is particularly noteworthy in ensuring the food security of those observing the fast.

The multifaceted "Ramadan project" encompasses a range of initiatives conducted during the holy month. In the current year, the project set its sights on benefiting 68,663 individuals, employing a holistic approach to enhance the glory of their fasting days.

Ramadan Food Packs	2,720
Ifthar Meals	26,170
Eid Gift	550
Zakat	400
Zakat-al-Fitr	550
Last 10 Days Ifthar Meals	1,000
Porridge	39
Mass Ifthar	1,000
Eid Party	200

We live in a temporary dwelling with a makeshift roof and try to make enough money to pay for essentials, including our children's schooling and other expenditures. We are having a hard time getting the commodities we need during this month of Ramadan. GER-SL gave us food packs, which showed that humanity is still living.



NO OF BENEFICIARIES

68,663

EMPOWERING LIVES

Mursalima's Ramadan Journey

In a modest village, Mursalima, a resilient mother, discovered solace and support through our Ramadan project. For a family reliant on daily wages, Ramadan had always posed challenges. The project, delivering Food Aid, emerged as a beacon of hope for Mursalima and her family.

The Food Aid not only provided nourishment but also alleviated the financial strain of preparing a meal for her children during the holy month. Ensuring that the family had enough to sustain them for at least two to three weeks of Ramadan, the Food Aid brought a profound sense of relief to Mursalima.

Beyond nourishing their bodies, the Ramadan project uplifted their spirits, transforming Ramadan into a time of joy, community, and shared blessings for Mursalima and her children. In her own words:



QURBAN



QUANTITY

317



NO OF BENEFICIARIES

34,934

GLOBAL EHSAN RELIEF



Cows

198

Buffalo

31

Goat

88

The Qurban Project of 2023 stands as a significant undertaking, involving the humane slaughter of animals and the distribution of their meat to those deprived of such provisions. Through careful planning and coordination, funds are gathered from diverse partners to facilitate the compliant sacrifice of animals.

This endeavor transcends the fulfillment of a religious obligation; it is a sincere effort to extend a helping hand to the less fortunate. The Qurban Project embodies the values of compassion, generosity, and community, exemplifying that together, we can share the blessings of life with those who deserve them most.

AASURAH

Muharram, a part of the revered 'Ashyurul Hurum,' is one of the four sacred months of Allah (SWT). Throughout this month, believers are encouraged to intensify their good deeds, encompassing acts such as charity, voluntary prayers, and Quran recitation. Rasulullah (SAW) also prescribed a fast during this time, known as the Ashura fast.

In observance of this significant period, GER-SL extended support to 2500 individuals, enabling them to engage in the act of fasting during the Ashura days. This support was provided through the distribution of cooked meals for Iftar, aligning with the spirit of community and shared blessings during this sacred month.



AQIQAH

An Aqiqah traditionally occurs on the seventh day after a baby's birth, although it may also be performed at a later date. This ceremonial event entails the distribution of meat from a sacrificed animal to those in need.

In adherence to Islamic tradition, GER-SL executed the Aqiqah ceremony on behalf of the donors. The goat meat from the sacrifice was then distributed to the less fortunate, exemplifying the essence of 'Aqeeqah'—a gesture of gratitude and a means of sharing blessings with those in need.



TEN DAYS OF DHUL-HIJJAH NOURISHMENT

This initiative revolves around the provision of cooked meals to those in need during the sacred period of Dhul Hijjah. Acknowledging the importance of this time, characterized by compassion and generosity, the project aspires to promote fasting during Dhul-Hijjah.

Through this meaningful endeavor, we successfully delivered nourishing and wholesome meals to individuals and families. This ensured that they had sustenance during the special first days of Dhul Hijjah, aligning with the spirit of community, compassion, and shared blessings during this auspicious period.




EMERGENCY RELIEF ASSISTANCE



The "Emergency Relief" program by Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka serves as a steadfast guardian during unforeseen calamities affecting communities in need. This rapid-response initiative is tailored to swiftly address the aftermath of natural disasters, economic crises, conflicts, and other sudden circumstances that leave communities unable to recover independently.

In the face of these challenges, the Emergency Relief program mobilizes resources with unparalleled agility, providing immediate assistance to those grappling with the aftermath of unexpected events. Whether through food aid, hygiene packs, or nutritional support, our objective is to alleviate the immediate impact of crises and empower communities to rebuild.

Baby Food	362
Hygiene Kit	250
Emergency Food Pack	250
Flood Relief Hot Meals	1500

 NO OF
BENEFICIARIES
34,934

AN IMPACT STORY FROM THE GROUND



Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka quickly responded to a project called "Flash-Flood Relief" under the Emergency Relief program when the floods caused by heavy rains ravaged remote villages in Kinniya division, Trincomalee districts.

In the vulnerable remote villages, our team became a fresh hope. The distribution of warm, nourishing meals became a symbol of solidarity, offering more than sustenance—it conveyed the message that they were not alone in their struggle.

As the aroma of freshly cooked meals spread through the air, it carried with it a sense of comfort and reassurance. Families whose homes were marred by floodwaters, found solace in these moments of shared warmth and communal support.

Through this initiative, we witnessed the transformative power of immediate, targeted relief. It wasn't merely about providing meals; it was about restoring dignity and offering a semblance of normalcy, the human spirit can endure.

COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE FOR COMMUNITY

Initiative for Community Infrastructure aims at enhancing the overall living conditions of the communities we collaborate with. Under this initiative, GER-SL seeks support for constructing and renovating vital facilities such as schools, healthcare centers, and community centers.

In the ongoing year, GER-SL has made impactful contributions, providing secure housing for three families, nurturing a constant sense of hope within these households. These endeavors play a pivotal role in shaping a more sustainable and prosperous future for all, elevating the quality of life and fostering a strong sense of community within the regions we serve.

 QUANTITY

03



NO OF
BENEFICIARIES

20





EMPOWERING LIVES

Marsuna Umma's Journey

Initiative for Community Infrastructure by Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka marked a new chapter of hope and stability for Marsuna Umma, a widowed woman. Previously residing in a tin-roofed shelter, Marsuna's life underwent a remarkable transformation when the program constructed a permanent and secure house for her family.

Before the intervention, Marsuna faced daily challenges in providing a safe and stable environment for her five children. The program became a lifeline, providing not just a physical structure but a haven for dreams to flourish.

The impact reverberated beyond the tangible house. Marsuna's children now had a conducive space for learning and growing. The Infrastructure for Community Program not only addressed a basic need but also ignited a sense of empowerment and community strength.



MEDICAL SUPPORT HIGHLIGHTS



In 2023, Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka continued its mission to address health challenges with compassion. Our ongoing efforts aimed to provide support, relief, and care to those in need within the communities we serve.

This year, we took a significant step by supporting an 8-year-old boy battling chronic kidney disease (CDK) for the past two years. In the midst of his struggles, we became a beacon of hope, sponsoring his medical expenses for ongoing dialysis treatment. Beyond medical assistance, our program extended crucial support to the boy and his family, embracing both physical and emotional care.

This snapshot reflects our commitment to creating lasting, positive change. We invite our community of supporters to witness the impact of their generosity as we stand together with those facing health challenges, offering comfort, healing, and a testament to the enduring power of compassion.



QUANTITY

01



NO OF
BENEFICIARIES

01

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT PROGRAM

CIP

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COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT PROGRAM

SRI LANKA

23RD - 28TH SEPTEMBER 2023

Picnic with Orphans, Teach Fun English, Distribute Food Aid Pack
Refurbish School and Ablution Places

implemented in collaboration with Global Ehsan Relief Worldwide and GER-SL, the Community Involvement Program (CIP) was a four-day initiative focused on enriching the lives of a local community in the Trincomalee district. The program organized the distribution of food packs, hot meals, and school supplies, along with refurbishing the village school. Other activities included celebrating Kindness Day with children, organizing picnics for orphans, and engaging in enjoyable English teaching sessions for primary school students.

For effective implementation, the team applied knowledge, skills, and reflection time. They actively assessed community needs, designed projects to address these needs, and engaged in reflection before, during, and after the service experience. Importantly, service activities were crafted to meet learning objectives, emphasizing the intention to not only "do service" but also facilitate a meaningful and educational experience for all involved.



Picnic with Orphans	01
Kindness Day	01
Food Pack Distribution	200
English teaching	01
Meals for Education	01
School refurbishment	01



NO OF BENEFICIARIES

2847

PARTNER TESTIMONIALS: A SYMPHONY OF APPRECIATION

Echoes from Those We Serve and Words of Support from Our Valued Partners



SAEED KHAN
PENNY APPEAL AUSTRALIA
QURBAN & WATER WELL PROJECT

GER-SL consistently fosters positive relationships with government stakeholders, embodying a genuine care for beneficiaries. The commendable development of your team is truly noteworthy. Excellent work!



OMAR
LIFE FOR RELIEF AND DEVELOPMENT
CARE FOR ORPHANS

GER-SL's reports on orphan-related initiatives are truly outstanding. The media outputs provided not only inform but contribute significantly to our social media promotion. We are exceptionally pleased with the collaboration.



MUHAMMED
HAYRAT YARDIM
QURBAN PROJECT - 2023

Heartfelt gratitude to the GER-SL team for their unwavering dedication on the Qurban project. As we look forward, let's strive for even greater success. Your effective planning is truly commendable.



RABHI CHAMMAH
MERCIFUL GROUP

Alhamdulillah! Under the leadership of Mohamed Jarooq, I express my desire to implement various projects in Sri Lanka. Whether in business or philanthropy, GER-SL exhibits exceptional leadership and capability.



SPECIAL MOMENTS OF 2023



ANNUAL SUMMIT-2023



PARTNERS' VISITS - HYRAT



PARTNERS' VISITS - PAAU



GER DIRECTORS' VISIT



CIP PROGRAM



CEO'S VISIT

INCOME EXPENDITURE

BUDGET

	CR
A. Remaining Fund Last Year 2022	7852742.58
From International Partners	241421332.96
Crowd Fund	150216.07
Total Fund Received	241571549.03
Total Fund Available	249424291.61

PROGRAM EXPENDITURE

	DR
Care for Clean Water	88460896
Care for Orphan	28882968
Care for Education	4185100
Sustainable Livelihoos	277800
Seasonal Project	78247100
Emergency Relief	4188460
Infrastructure for Community	22850000
Medical Support	1476200
CIP	4233190
Total Program Expenditure	232,801,714.00

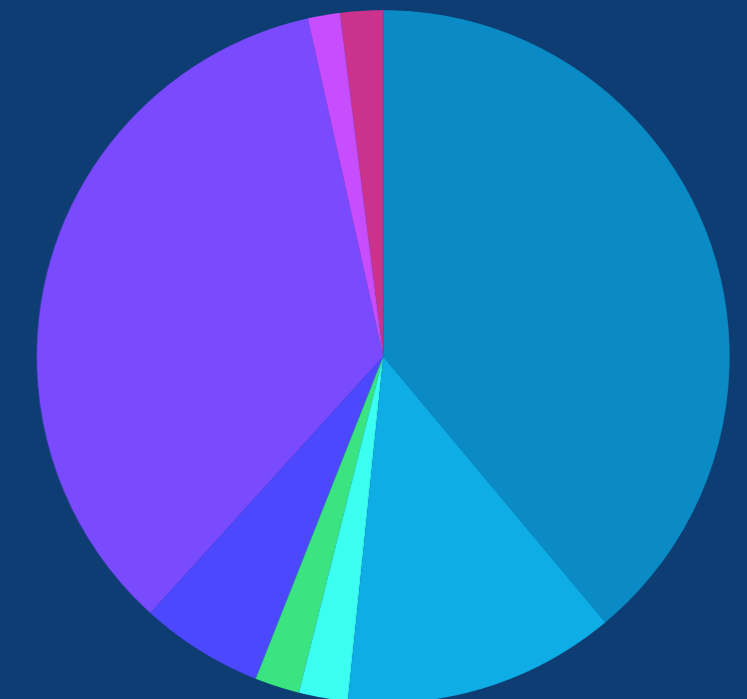
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENDITURE

	CR
Salary & Wages	6458000
EPF	441200
ETF	66180
Donor Visit	1921999.21
Fuel	1199526.02
CEB Bill	616166.01
Printing & Stationary	518132
Telephone & Internet	392805.27
Office Rent	350000
Travelling & Transport	192384.5
Capacity Building	40000
Donation	100000
Office Maintenance	58905
Water Bill	27894.74
Bank Charge	17110
Payable	182,354.24
Total Administrative Expenditure	125,826,56.99

ASSET PURCHASE

Asset purchase	1,064,785
Total Asset Purchased	1,064,785
Remaining Fund	2975135.62

PROGRAM FUND PORTION



- Care for WASH
- Care for Orphans
- Care for Education
- Emergency Relief
- Infrastructure
- Seasonal Projects
- Medical Support
- Livelihood
- CIP

INSIGHTS OF ONE THE PEARLS OF GER-SL



As I reflect on my journey with Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka since 2018, it's impossible not to express my deepest gratitude to Mr. Jarook, our country manager, and Mr. Murshith, our dedicated secretary. Their leadership has been the guiding force behind our impactful humanitarian services.

Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka's commitment to alleviating poverty through providing educational support, constructing homes, seasonal projects, WASH projects, and responding to emergencies has been nothing short of transformative. We are not just an organization; we are architects of trust, touching lives in ways that extend far beyond immediate relief.

Our collective struggles during the 2019 Easter Attack and the ongoing battle against the Covid-19 pandemic have only strengthened our resolve. These challenging times have seen us pivot swiftly to address emerging needs, from distributing hot meals and hygiene kits to ensuring the provision of essentials like dry rations, sanitary napkins, and baby milk powders.

Amidst the economic crises facing Sri Lanka, our organization has stood unwavering, extending support akin to the vital projects implemented during the Covid-19 pandemic. The breadth of our impact underscores the importance of Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka in contributing to the well-being of our nation.

In these critical moments, our work transcends charity; it becomes a lifeline for those grappling with adversity. As a staff member, I am not just an observer; I am an active participant in a narrative of resilience, empathy, and service that defines the invaluable role of Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka in the fabric of Sri Lankan society. Together, we navigate challenges, illuminate paths of hope, and reaffirm our commitment to building a stronger, more compassionate nation."

F.M. Amjath

WASH Officer,
Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka.



ENVIRONMENTAL INITIATIVES

FOR THE NEXT YEAR 2024

GER-SL is always committed to complying with sustainable developments, keeping an eye on the project it implements in the various project context.

On coming years, GER-SL decided to adapt more innovative approaches to instill the eco-friendly environment among the staffs at the working environment.

Furthermore, it has been planned to propose environmentally related projects in the coming year.

In nutshell, GER-SL is looking forward to stepping into the environmental advocacy for making a peaceful environment for the next generations.

The projects are to be proposed for the next year:

- Campaign on climate change
- School-level awareness programs.
- Tree plantation projects.
- Introducing non-polyethylene environment at GER-SL.
- Community Involvement Projects
- Engage the community in environmental research.



ACTION PLANS FOR THE NEXT YEAR

PLAN 01

CARBON CREDITS

Discussions are going on to earn Carbon Credits involving green projects. The management of GER-SL makes the team ready to earn Carbon Credits by implementing tree plantation projects.

PLAN 02

LIAISONS WITH ENVIRONMENTAL AUTHORITIES.

Each and every project will be implemented by complying with environmental concerns across Sri Lanka.

GER-SL will keep a strongest liaison with the related environmental authorities and activists who can provide us with needful guidance in implementing eco-friendly projects.

The next year will teach each staff to adhere to Sri Lankan environmental policies drawn by Central Environmental Authority of Sri Lanka.

PLAN 03

BE A NATURE FRIEND.

Global Ehsan Relief-Sri Lanka is introducing the "Be A Friend" Environmental Initiative in our quest for a sustainable future.

By fostering a sense of friendship with nature, "Be a Friend" transforms environmental consciousness into actionable steps, making sustainable practices an integral part of daily life.

This brief glimpse into "Be a Friend" underscores our commitment to building resilient communities that not only receive support during challenging times but actively contribute to the preservation of the environment for generations to come.



JOURNEY OF COMPASSION AND GENEROSITY:

A REFLECTION AND GRATITUDE FROM OUR FUNDRAISING MANAGER

Assalamu Alaikum dear partners, donors, supporters, well-wishers, and my dear brothers and sisters!

All praise belongs to Allah, the Most Gracious and Most Merciful.

With the never-ending blessings of Almighty Allah (SWT), I reflect on the past year as the Fundraising Manager at GERSL. Another year of fulfilling charity work has ended, and it's an honor to witness the smiles of the impoverished, thanks to the support of donors, well-wishers, and the hard work of dedicated international teams and the entire GERSL team.

Alhamdulillah, throughout 2023, we've been able to support hundreds and thousands of vulnerable individuals with various projects such as Orphan Sponsorship, Water, Sanitation and Hygiene, Care for Education, Emergency Relief, Ramadan, Qurban, and more. It is indeed a blessing to work in a charity like GERSL under the leadership of Brother Jarooq. What kept me going were the heartfelt prayers from the vulnerable people and children, especially the orphans.

With unwavering dedication and the tireless efforts of the entire GER family, and the generosity of our donors and partners, we have been able to support projects spanning orphan sponsorship, water, sanitation, and hygiene, care for education, emergency relief, Ramadan, Qurban, and more. Your kindness, whether in the form of financial contributions, prayers, or support, has been the driving force behind the smiles of the impoverished. The prayers of the vulnerable, especially the orphans, have been the source of strength and inspiration that kept us going throughout the year.

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As we turn the page to a new year, our goals and aspirations remain fueled by the spirit of charity. In the year 2024, I look forward to contributing to the community in Sri Lanka by raising funds for projects such as the Orphan Village, Vocational Training Centre, and the Disable School. Your continuous love, support, and prayers mean the world to us. No matter how small or big the project was, every effort and contribution mattered in our collective journey to eradicate poverty and uplift the less fortunate.

May Allah (SWT) reward you abundantly for your generosity and may your kindness be a source of perpetual blessings. Best regards,

Your sister,
Razeena Sallay



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