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CHHATRAPATI FREE CLINIC

Community run, non-profit

19th May 2021

To,
Bikram Shrestha
President
IOWA Nepalese Association
IOWA, USA

Subject : Request for Support

Dear Mr President,

Greetings from Chhatrapati Free Clinic.

CFC is a non- profit organization dedicated to providing quality services to all at a reasonable price. It was established in 1957 by a group of community people with the objective to support the general health of the public so that no one dies due to inaccessibility of the medical service. We have been providing free medical service, medicines and treatments to the marginalized segment with hand to mouth existence. We are thankful to our donor organizations, individual donors, suppliers for the outpouring support that has paved our way from a two storey building to a full fledged hospital operating with 70 + doctors. The transparency we have shown in utilizing the fund and making impact in the medical sector has built trust among our donor agencies. We believe that our collaboration with our stakeholders is not only paramount but it is also the sole route to successfully addressing the challenges we face. Located at the heart of Kathmandu city, CFC is the only hospital within the vicinity of Basantapur area. We have a huge patient flow on a daily basis. Last FY 2019/20, we had a patient inflow of above 1 lakh.

With the second wave of coronavirus the prevailing situation of Nepal is not hidden to us. with our dedicated doctors and frontline workers, we have been continuing to give OPD services. A great deal of thought and preparation has gone into assuming that we can resume these procedures in a very safe manner. Many institution have support us for the purchase of personal protective equipments to protect our staff and provide safe care for more patients, Kathmandu hospitals are overwhelmed with the surge in the number of coronavirus cases.

CFC is also preparing to extend its service for the covid-19 cases. We receive patients that have covid-19 symptoms, we have allocated a separate room for such patients unless we are able to refer them to government authorized covid-19 hospitals. We keep them in the allocated room. There are many patients who come to hospital with breathing difficulty. In this regards We humble request you for considering financial support for purchasing medical equipments and beds so that we are able to addresss any patients in dire need of emergency services.

Best Regards,

Leena Shakya
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Senior Administrative Officer