GLOBAL COVID-19 RESPONSE

International Medical Corps
COVID-19 OUTBREAK
INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL CORPS RESPONDS

DECEMBER 31
WHO is notified of a cluster of cases of respiratory illness—now called COVID-19—in China.

MARCH 11
WHO declares the COVID-19 outbreak a pandemic. International Medical Corps is already responding in 30 countries and delivering PPE.

MARCH 20
Just days after a pandemic is declared, International Medical Corps launches its US response, deploying an emergency medical field unit to Los Angeles, already a US hotspot.

APRIL 6
International Medical Corps deploys its first volunteer medical team to New York, now the global epicenter. 72 volunteers give 8,145 hours of support to stretched US hospitals over the next two months.

MAY 5
Global case numbers top 3.6 million. International Medical Corps has distributed 2.6 million pieces of PPE globally and is supporting 24 hospitals in US hotspots.

JUNE 27
Reports indicate that 40% of US COVID-19 deaths are linked to nursing homes. International Medical Corps has been providing training and PPE to 50+ US eldercare facilities since May.

JULY 8
Global COVID-19 case numbers exceed 12 million, with the US surpassing 3 million cases. International Medical Corps has distributed 9.8 million pieces of PPE, supported 538 health facilities, and screened 626,000 people globally.
COMPREHENSIVE RESPONSE PLAN

Multi-pronged approach to ensure our teams and the facilities that they support in at-risk countries and regions are best able to prepare for and respond to the outbreak:

- **Training** and Capacity Building to Protect Frontline Health Workers and Staff
- **Prepositioning** and **Deploying** Medicines and Supplies, Including Personal Protective Equipment
- Deployment of **Screening** and **Triage** Stations and Case Management
- **Community** Outreach and Engagement
- Mental Health and Psychosocial **Support**
- **Epidemic** Response Teams
INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL CORPS RESPONDS:
UNITED STATES

24 hospitals and 51 long-term eldercare facilities supported in the most vulnerable and underserved communities, with emergency medical field units, supplies, training and surge staff

*Numbers as of July 17, 2020*
INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL CORPS RESPONDS

U.S. RESPONSE

SCREENED 8,604 PATIENTS for COVID-19

SUPPORTED 83 FACILITIES with emergency medical field units, supplies, training and surge staff

PROCURED AND DISTRIBUTED 7,346 PIECES of medical equipment and supplies

DISTRIBUTED 1,887,330 PPE AND IPC ITEMS

TRAINED 1,932 FRONTLINE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS on COVID-19 prevention and control measures

DEPLOYED 72 VOLUNTEERS with 8,145 volunteer hours

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We have brought in emergency field shelters for them to use as surge capacity. We have brought in supplies and PPE. But, most important, we have brought in medical staff to help relieve those overburdened staff workers.”

Susan Mangiacaro
Team Lead, NYC

Nurses like me [were able] to come to the frontlines and help, and be the extra hands that they needed, to allow the nurses that are at those facilities, inundated and overwhelmed, to be better nurses, to take better care of these patients to get better outcomes.”

Amy Bowen
Volunteer nurse at Maimonides Medical Center, Brooklyn, NY

I just want to thank International Medical Corps for stepping up and helping us. It really has allowed us to stay ahead of this.”

Dr. Oscar Casillas
MD at Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Hospital, Los Angeles, CA

The patients are very appreciative. Their families are appreciative. And here the staff is appreciative because they literally were overworked. But we all pitched in and now we’re trying to help the nurses with their job. That’s the way it is in a disaster. You just help everyone.”

Dr. Michael Paterson
Volunteer MD at Flushing Hospital, Queens, NY
## Training and Building Capacity in the Fight Against COVID-19

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Established several 24-hour hotlines to provide our teams with the latest COVID-19 updates, provide answers to questions and provide psychosocial support, all in response to the growing mental health needs created by COVID-19.

Provided smart phones, tablets and internet routers that enable remote patient monitoring, continuation of support for victims of gender-based violence and safe spaces for women and children in need.

Leveraged the reach of existing networks—including social media, WhatsApp groups, radio and TV, internet and phone trees—to distribute relevant, program-related messaging to staff and beneficiaries affected by quarantine. We also have implemented psychosocial peer-support groups.

INNOVATING TO PROVIDE ONGOING CARE

As part of our efforts to ensure that we can continue to provide ongoing access to healthcare for those we serve, we have:
The first international NGO operating in-country to support the National Center for Disease Control by training and providing PPE to its rapid-response teams while also providing necessary supplies and PPE to hospitals and facilities throughout the country. To date, we have trained 1,369 people and distributed 534,254 PPE and IPC items.

Established isolation areas within Azraq Refugee Camp, where we have provided COVID-19 screenings to 102,358 people and immediate, initial treatment to all suspected and confirmed cases.

Enhancing the critical-care and technical capacity of the Juba Infectious Disease Unit to improve case management and implement capacity building, operational and engineering controls.
INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL CORPS RESPONDS

GLOBAL RESPONSE

SCREENED 706,412 PATIENTS for COVID-19

IDENTIFIED 16,164 PATIENTS as suspected COVID-positive

SUPPORTED 561 FACILITIES with COVID-related response, supplies and training

DISTRIBUTED 11,274,314 PPE AND IPC ITEMS

TRAINED 11,746 FRONTLINE HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS on COVID-19 prevention and control measures

REACHED 1,175,943 PEOPLE with information and education on COVID-19 prevention, good hygiene and community wellness

SUPPORTED 84 number of coordinating bodies throughout our global missions, including establishing emergency operations centers and MoH committees

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IN THE MEDIA

HOW YOU CAN HELP LISTS

CNN  Forbes  TOWN&COUNTRY  THE OPRAH MAGAZINE  goop

THE DAILY SHOW WITH TREVOR NOAH

PBS  npr  KQED  NBC  CHICAGO SUN-TIMES  GOOD DAY LA  BUSINESS INSIDER  QUARTZ
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