

Foundation

Creating and Managing Philanthropic Funds

Rapid Response Fund for Lebanon FAQ

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1. What is the current situation in Lebanon following the escalation of hostilities in the Middle East?

Lebanon has been hit hard by the escalation of hostilities in the Middle East, resulting in more than 1,000 victims and 1 million internally displaced people since the beginning of the conflict (source: UN OCHA).

2. How is the Siss Philanthropy Foundation responding to this crisis?

Moved by this tragedy and because the Foundation has known local partners on the ground, we have activated our Rapid Response Fund. This Fund aims to provide significant assistance to Lebanon by supporting impactful organizations on the ground selected by WISE Philanthropy Advisors.

3. What are the objectives of this Fund?

We aim to raise a maximum of individual donations of at least CHF 10,000 by October 15, 2024. Our initial commitment is CHF 20,000 to encourage co-financing. This fund will support NGOs working in emergency humanitarian aid and psychosocial support for children.

4. How can my donation have an impact?

We have impact measures in place with WISE Philanthropy Advisors to ensure that your contribution supports credible and effective projects. Every donation counts to change lives and help Lebanon.

5. How are projects and organizations selected for support?

WISE Philanthropy Advisors rigorously evaluates each project to ensure that they offer a credible and effective response, achieving excellent results and demonstrating potential for impact and autonomy.

6. How can I track the impact of my donation?

You will be informed about the progress of the projects and the concrete results of your donations. Do not hesitate to ask further questions or contact us for more information on our action in favor of Lebanon. Your support makes all the difference.

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