



## Help Us Continue the Healing

Dear AAMS Supporter,

Since the first shots were fired in the Artsakh war on September 27, 2020, the Armenian American Medical Society (AAMS) has been fully engaged in assisting our country with the healthcare needs created as a result of this aggression. This includes procuring vital equipment, medication, and supplies. Below are some of the ways the AAMS and its supporters have responded:

- Raised over \$700,000 to support the medical needs of our troops during our fundraiser on October 4, 2020.
- Collaborated with Armenian Medical International Committee (AMIC) and Armenia Fund in an integrated effort to provide maximum support to Artsakh and Armenia.

- Coordinated inventory of medical supplies and medications at donation center for mass-shipments to Armenia.
- Purchased and shipped Avance® negative pressure wound therapy (NPWT) systems that effectively heal wounds, while greatly minimizing pain and discomfort associated with treatment. NPWT is considered the standard of care for combat wound care.
- Purchased and shipped Celox, an antibiotic that is effective in treating infections common in combat injuries.
- Worked with Glendale Urgent Care Pharmacy to donate medications including gabapentin, duloxetine, and lidocaine for the soldiers.
- In response to Armenia's oxygen generation capacity shortage, the AAMS is contributing the majority of the cost to replace a cryogen oxygen compressor for the A. Alikhanyan National Science Laboratory of Armenia. The technology is from Gellymesh, a well known Russian company. This nearly \$800K project will significantly increase the oxygen production to Armenian hospitals and improve the infrastructure for research and industry.
- Purchased eight sets of surgical micro-instruments, vascular clamps, and micro-sutures necessary for microvascular and re-implantation surgery. Two were donated by friends of AAMS.
- Connected physicians, nurses, and other healthcare professionals with the Ministry of Health to deliver medical care in Artsakh and Armenia. Lodging at the hotel Panorama Yerevan was provided to our physicians and volunteers working in Armenia, courtesy of a friend of the AAMS, Mr. Artak Daldumyan.
- Purchased four Utility Task Vehicles (UTV) which are fast, nimble vehicles used to retrieve injured soldiers in the field.

To continue our humanitarian efforts, we are holding a special televised fundraising event. The 12-hour program will feature celebrities, some of the injured and their treating physicians, donors, and community members. All social media outlets will be airing the program live in its entirety.

**December 25, 2020**

**10:00 a.m. - 10 p.m. PST**

(Airing on Armenian Television and all social media outlets)

We urge you to join us for this very worthy cause. To make an immediate donation, please visit our [website](#).

The AAMS is deeply appreciative of your contributions and support as we work together to make our country whole and healthy once again.



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