

Embassy of Japan in Jordan
Press Release



FY2018/PR 1

Amman, January 10th 2018

**Japan Hands over Warehouse Equipment
to Jordan Hashemite Charity Organization (JHCO)**

The handover ceremony of warehouse equipment was held at the aid storage of Jordan Hashemite Charity Organization (JHCO) in Zarqa on Wednesday January 10th 2018, in the presence of H.E. Mr. Hidenao Yanagi, Ambassador of Japan to the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and Mr. Ayman Riyad Al Mufleh, Secretary General of JHCO.

In 2016, the Government of Japan extended to JHCO a grant in total of sixty four thousand and ninety six US dollars (US\$ 64,096) for the implementation of the project titled “The Project for the Improvement of Aid Storage Facility in Zarqa” through the Japanese Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects, so called GGP aiming to improve basic human needs at the grass-roots level through NGOs and local governments.

The overall objective of the project is to enhance the ability of JHCO in providing relief supply to vulnerable people including Syrian refugees through the provision of forklifts and shelves used in the aid storage.

Under Japanese Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects, Japan has extended more than 9 million US dollars for 141 projects to NGOs, schools, hospitals, and local governments in Jordan since 1993.

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Speech by the Ambassador



the Ambassador & JHCO Secretary General
(Handing over the keys)

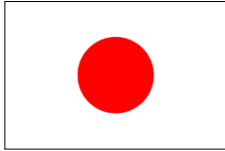


Tour of the Warehouse by the Ambassador



Warehouse Equipment (Examples)





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FY2017/PR25

Amman, October 11th 2017

**Japan Hands over Medical Equipment
to Jordanian Association for Family Planning and Protection (JAFPP)**

The handover ceremony of medical equipment was held at the JAFPP clinic in Amman on Wednesday October 11th 2017, in the presence of H.E. Mr. Shuichi Sakurai, Ambassador of Japan, and Dr. Abed Mansi, vice president of JAFPP.

In 2016, the Government of Japan extended to JAFPP a grant in total of 79,166 US dollars to finance the project titled “The Project for the Improvement of Medical Equipment for Health Clinics”.

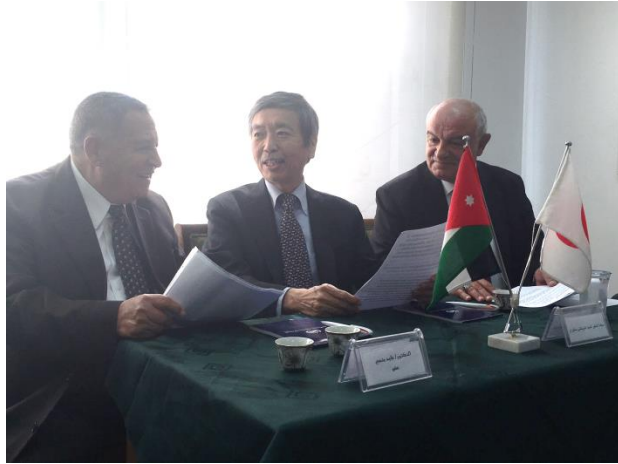
The overall objective of the project is to strengthen JAFPP health clinics’ capacity to provide adequate and good quality reproductive health care services to vulnerable people of Jordan, Syrian and other nationalities.

In the speech delivered during the handover ceremony H.E. the Ambassador stated: *“Humanitarian support by civil society organizations like JAFPP is vital to provide essential services for the people in need at grass root level. [...] I sincerely hope that our assistance will help many mothers to have healthy and sound babies, bringing much love and happiness to the families in this country through the services provided by JAFPP.”*

Under Japanese Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects, Japan has extended more than 9 million US Dollars for 140 projects to non-governmental organizations, schools, hospitals, and local governments in Jordan since 1993.

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Speech by the Ambassador



Tour of the laboratory by the Ambassador

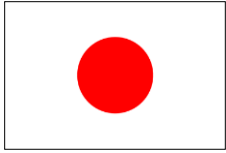


Staffs at the JAFPP health clinic



Laboratory Equipment (Examples)





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FY2017/PR7

Amman, February 14, 2017

A Japanese Grant of US\$ 80,117 for Providing Food Cold Storage Facility to an NGO in Amman

The Government of Japan has decided to extend a grant of eighty thousand and one hundred seventeen US dollars (US\$ 80,117) to Jordanian Food Bank (JFB) for the procurement of the cooling truck and the installation of the food cold storage facility to the organization's warehouse in Amman under Grant Assistance for Grass-roots Human Security Projects.

A Grant Contract was signed on February 14th, 2017 by H.E. Mr. Shuichi Sakurai, Ambassador of Japan to the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and Eng. Kawther Qatarneh, CEO of JFB in presence of H.E. Mr. Hazem Nuemat Deputy Mayor of Great Amman Municipality and Dr. Moez El Shohdi, CEO of Food Banking Regional Network.

This grant assistance aims at significantly strengthening JFB's food distribution and storage capacity. JFB has been offering food and water, donated by local suppliers, to vulnerable people of Jordan, Syrian and other nationalities, who are at risk of food security. The cooling truck and the food cold facility funded by Japan will enable the organization to expand the distribution area and support more people in need, and will contribute to mitigate food insecurity and improve people's well-being.

At the signing ceremony, His Excellency the Ambassador expressed his expectation that the development of this food recycling loop would promote the community's self-sustainability and stated: "this project will strengthen the food recycling loop and become a model of hunger relief initiatives across the kingdom."

In 2017, under Japanese Grant Assistance for Grass-Roots Human Security Projects, Japan has extended two hundred twenty three thousand US Dollars (223,000 USD) for three projects. And, since 1993, more than Nine million US Dollars (9,000,000 USD) has been granted for 140 projects which have implemented with non-governmental organizations, schools, hospitals, and local governments in Jordan.

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