



IMPACT 2024

WITH YOUR SUPPORT WE
DELIVERED AID TO

OVER **380,000**
PEOPLE IN 2024



YOUR SUPPORT IS DRIVING OUR MISSION

السلامَ عَلَيْكُمْ وَرَحْمَةُ اللَّهِ وَبَرَكَاتُهُ

We would like to take this opportunity to inform you that the donations you made last Ramadan and throughout the rest of the year have allowed us as a charity to support over 355,000 people with food, medical aid, clean drinking water, education, emergency relief and livelihood programmes in 27 countries.

In terms of delivering aid, it has been one of the most productive years for us, as the years of planning to minimise costs and building effective delivery systems are showing great results on the ground.

For the past four years, one of our main aims has been staying transparent with donors about the money that is donated, which reaches end users quickly and efficiently through aid and support.

We have improved our feedback mechanism for all our projects.

On the ground, it has been another challenging year, particularly in Gaza, where delivering aid has sometimes been almost impossible.

Our partners on the ground have gone through unimaginable harm.

Despite all of these challenges in Gaza, we were able to reach over 113,000 people in the war-torn Strip. Our programmes in the region continue to provide food, medical aid and psychological support to children and women who have PTSD.

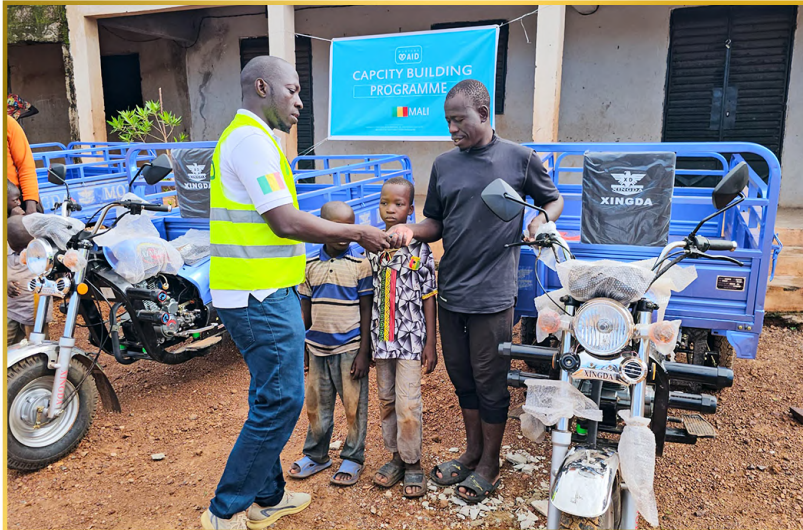
We also supported people dealing with natural and manmade emergencies from West Africa, Sudan, and South Asia. We also provided thousands of people with clean drinking water, education for underprivileged children, and livelihood programmes for farmers and urban daily wage workers.

This impact report talks about our impact in various in more detail. It is a testimony of your faith in our work, and we can't thank you enough for your support.

May Allah accept your donations.

Naif Sheikh

CEO Muntada Aid





**YOUR DONATIONS
HELP THE MOST
VULNERABLE**

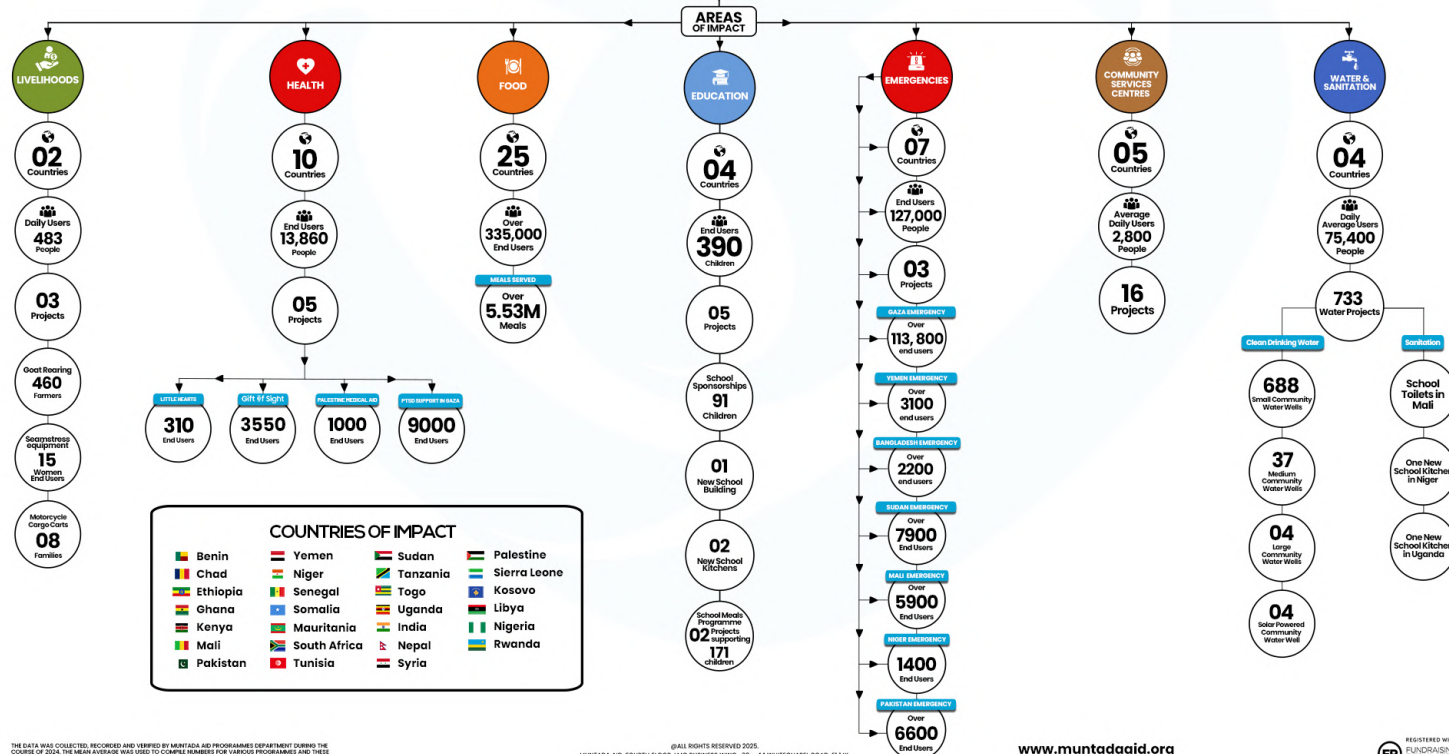
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How Your Donations
Transformed Lives in 2024

MUNTADA AID IMPACT 2024

Our projects are funded by
charitable donations from
people living in the UK and
other parts of the world.

Muntada Aid has been
helping vulnerable
communities for over 3
decades now.



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A close-up photograph of five young women of African descent, all wearing hijabs and smiling warmly at the camera. They are huddled together, creating a sense of unity and joy. The woman on the far left wears a dark red hijab, the woman next to her a light pink one, the woman in the center a light blue one, and the woman on the far right a light grey one. A fifth woman in a white hijab is partially visible in the background. The background is slightly blurred, showing a yellow wall and some greenery.

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ABOUT GAZA CRISIS

Despite the ceasefire, the situation in Gaza is a humanitarian tragedy where people continue to suffer. Civilian infrastructure has been almost destroyed, while 96% of people don't have enough food.

Lack of clean water, almost no healthcare, and large-scale displacement have made Gaza a

“ living hell on earth ”

The Muntada Aid team supports people with food and medical aid.



How Your Donations Supported People in Gaza in 2024

Since January 2024, we have served over **113,800** people.

In Gaza, we have also distributed food equivalent to over **3,031,000 million meals** since Jan 2024.

At least **9,000 children** and mothers received PTSD support.

1,000 people received medical aid support.

1,200 people were provided with winter clothing.

3,000 families were provided with month-long supplies of baby food and nappies.



ABOUT MUNTADA AID EMERGENCY PROGRAMMES

Muntada Aid has long history of working in countries that are hit by natural or manmade disasters.

Over the years, we have reached to thousands of people in need during wars, famine, drought and other emergencies.

Due to ongoing geopolitical environment and changing weather patterns there is a significant increase in these situations across the world. Though some emergencies get the attention they deserve others go under the radar. We at Muntada Aid are trying our best to support all.

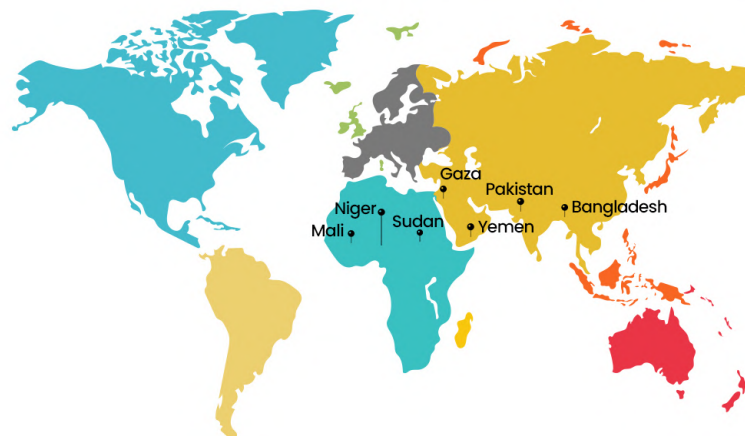
Muntada Aid Impact 2024

07 countries

OVER **142,200** people

Total Number of Meals:
OVER **4,852,000** meals

	YEMEN	3,150 People
	BANGLADESH	2,261 People
	SUDAN	7,966 People
	GAZA	113,852 People
	MALI	5,950 People
	PAKISTAN	6696 People
	NIGER	1,400 People





ABOUT FEED THE FORGOTTEN

Through Feed the Forgotten, we provide people in Ramadan and beyond with food packs that support a family of 5 up to a month.

Our food parcels constitute wheat flour or rice (dependent on the country), pulses, cooking oil, salt and sugar.

Muntada Aid Impact 2024

Countries:

22 Countries

Estimated Total Number of End Users:

Over **97,700**

Estimated Total Number of Meals:

Over **1,250,000** meals





NIGER EMERGENCY

About Niger

Even before the ongoing political crisis, Niger remained one of the poorest countries in the world. It is a landlocked country in the Sahel region with a population of **over 25.3 million people**.

All of these factors are worsening with the growing insecurity in the region, mismanagement of natural resources, environmental degradation, rapid growth in the population, inherent gender inequalities and climate change.

Key Facts

52% of people live below the national poverty line | **47%** of children under 5 are chronically malnourished

What is Muntada Aid Doing in Niger?

Niger has remained the country of focus for Muntada Aid for the past three years. We are running several programmes in the country, including providing clean water, food, medical, community buildings and livelihood programmes to foster resilience among various sections of the population. We work to help vulnerable, elderly people, children, young girls and women in some of the most deprived communities in the country.





Muntada Aid Impact 2024

Water Projects:

24 Water
Projects

Livelihood Programmes:

485

Education:

01 School
Kitchen

Community Centres:

02 Centres

Eye Surgeries:

2,650 Operations



ABOUT MALI EMERGENCY

Food Crisis in Mali

According to the latest report from the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund (UNICEF) close to five million children are in urgent need of humanitarian assistance in Mali, including health, nutrition, education, and protection services – as well as access to safe water. The number shows an increase of at least 1.5 million children in need since 2020.

This developing situation is due to protracted armed conflict, internal displacement, and restricted humanitarian access risks pushing nearly one million children under the age of 5 in Mali into acute malnutrition by December 2023 – with at least 200,000 at risk of dying of hunger if life-saving aid fails to reach them.

What is Muntada Aid Doing in Mali?

Protecting children and women from violence, abuse, and exploitation requires a comprehensive child protection system that addresses the full spectrum of risks they face.

Children and young people in Mali, and especially girls, continue to bear the brunt of the country's complex and protracted crisis, risking their lives, losing their homes, being abducted and recruited by armed groups, separated from families, and exposed to sexual and gender-based violence.

Muntada Aid is providing multi-level support to refugees, children and young women in Mali.

Muntada Aid Impact 2024

Emergency Aid: **For Over**

5,900 People

Community Centres:

05 Centres

Girls Centre: **Supporting**

100 Girls with Food, Medicine and Clothing

Education:

01 Technical/Vocational College

Eye Surgeries:

100 Operations

Livelihood Programmes:

13 Families Received Various Livelihood Programmes





ABOUT SUDAN EMERGENCY

There are over **10.7 million** people uprooted from their homes in Sudan, including 9 million displaced internally—two-thirds since the conflict broke out in April 2023. Sudan now has the highest rate of internal displacement in the world, even surpassing Syria's **7.2 million**.

As people continue to flee the conflict in Sudan, more than 358,000 refugees have arrived at the border town Adré, in eastern Chad. Refugee camps are being built, but the shelter and basic facilities available in the camps are wholly inadequate to meet the needs of the incoming people.

What is Muntada Aid Doing?

Muntada Aid supports over 21,00 refugees living at the border town Adré in eastern Chad with monthly food packs. But we need to reach more families. Your donation will help us deliver more emergency food aid.

Muntada Aid Impact 2024

End Users:

OVER **7,850** People

Food:

OVER **473,000** Meals





DROP OF LIFE

About Global Water Crisis

1 in 3 children – or **739 million** worldwide – already live in areas exposed to high or very high water scarcity, with climate change threatening to make this worse, according to a new UN report.

Further, the double burden of dwindling water availability and inadequate drinking water and sanitation services is compounding the challenge, putting children at even greater risk.

What is Muntada Aid Doing?

One of Muntada Aid's core values is providing dignity to people we support. Keeping that in mind, we aim to provide clean water solutions to people within their communities and ease off their burden of daily searching for freshwater resources.



Muntada Aid Impact 2024

Countries:

04 Bangladesh, Pakistan,
Ghana and Niger

Daily Average Users:

75,400 Daily
Users

Small Community Wells:

688 Projects

Medium Community Wells:

37 Projects

Total Number of Projects:

733

04 Large Community
Water Wells in Africa

04 Solar Powered
Water Station



GIFT OF SIGHT

About Cataract Blindness in Africa

An estimated 5 million people are blinded by cataracts each year. Blindness affects more than 4% of the population in parts of sub-Saharan Africa.

In Sub-Saharan Africa, the most recent estimate of the burden of visual impairment indicates that 21.4 million people are visually impaired, including 4.8 million people who are blind. Despite cost-effective solutions, such as cataract removal and the provision of eyeglasses, an extremely high proportion, estimated at 2/3, of these cases of vision impairment could have been prevented or treated.

It is estimated that regionally, just three ophthalmologists per million population are available in Sub-Saharan Africa.

What is Muntada Aid Doing?

With your support, we are declaring a fight against cataracts in Sahel and Sub-Saharan Africa.

Countries: 04 (Niger, Chad, Mali and Bangladesh)

Total Number of Operations: 3,550

Niger

2650

Chad

400

Since

2021

Muntada Aid has performed 7,610 cataracts and lens replacement surgeries in these countries.

Mali

100

Bangladesh

400





LITTLE HEARTS

About Little Hearts

Our little hearts project provides free life-saving heart surgeries to babies and children with Congenital Heart Defects from underprivileged families irrespective of gender, race and religion.

In poor underdeveloped countries, the lack of specialized medical infrastructure means babies born with congenital heart defects have little or no access to necessary treatment.

Muntada Aid believes ignoring this deadly killer is tantamount to a death sentence for the many children born with this disease. Most of these conditions can be fixed, but children suffer due to a lack of resources, infrastructure, and specialist medical staff.

We are committed to children with CHD and provide them with an opportunity for a healthy life.

Little Hearts is Muntada Aid's flagship project and was launched in April 2012.

Muntada Aid Impact 2024

Since 2012, Muntada Aid has carried out over 50 Little Heart missions performing over 3000 heart operations

Missions:

08

cardiac program

01

Heart Operations

310

Countries:

05

Tanzania, Bangladesh, Kosovo, Libya, Tunisia





ENLIGHTENED SMILES

About Education

Education Changes Lives.

The right to education is a fundamental right. Access to education should not be restricted to children's background, religion, gender or ethnicity. Muntada Aid is working with communities in Uganda, Mali, Niger and Bangladesh to provide q quality education and free school meals to vulnerable children.

3Without the opportunity to learn, children can't develop to their full potential. They're more likely to be trapped in cycles of poverty, poor health and forced labour – often in dangerous environments.

What is Muntada Aid Doing?

Muntada Aid is running a series of projects in four countries providing quality education, free scholarships, school infrastsure and school meals making sure that access to quality education is not a privilege.

Countries:

04 Mali, Bangladesh, Niger and Uganda

Total number of end users:

390 children

School meals:

140,000 school meals

	BANGLADESH	20 Children Sponsorship
	MALI	New School Building 100 children
	MALI	Food and Medicine for 100 young girls for whole year
	NIGER	New kitchen for 100 children
	UGANDA	71 sponsorships and school meals for the whole year





MUNTADA AID PERFORMS FIRST OF ITS KIND HEART OPERATION ON 9-DAY OLD CHILD IN TANZANIA

Last year, our team was able to carry out the first of its nature heart intervention on a **9-day-old child** in Tanzania.

Our Little Hearts project provides free life-saving heart surgeries to babies and children with Congenital Heart Defects from underprivileged families, irrespective of gender, race or religion.

An estimated **1.5 million** children each year are born with a congenital heart defect globally. **10% of babies born** with CHD do not survive their first year of life. **1,000s** more die and don't reach adulthood.

How You Can Support

It costs thousands of pounds worldwide to carry out these procedures and surgeries. In Africa, there is very little infrastructure and manpower available to children who desperately need support.

We provide these procedures free to children from the point of contact. A small donation from you will allow us to continue providing these life-transforming interventions.



[WATCH THE VIDEO](#)

MY MALI DIARY -A JOURNEY OF HOPE AND LOVE

Earlier this year, Sheikh Imran Asif travelled to Mali with Muntada Aid.

During his stay Sheikh Imran met several people and witnessed how Muntada Aid's programmes transform lives in this West African nation.

In this video log, Sheikh Imran Asif shares his experiences about the amazing people of Mali, their food, and their culture.

He gives us an insight into the challenges people face here daily and how the work of charities like Muntada Aid remains critical in these parts of the world.



WATCH MY DIARY HERE



YOUR DONATIONS CHANGE LIVES

MUNTADA AID IN PAKISTAN

Muntada Aid in Pakistan Muntada Aid has been working in Pakistan for several years, providing emergency food, health services, water, and sanitation.

During our recent deployment in this South Asian country, we performed hundreds of cataract removal and lens replacement surgeries, handed over tube wells to local communities, and provided emergency aid to displaced communities in Sindh.

Here Sheikh Naif, explains about Muntada Aid's Gift of Sight programme in Pakistan.



WATCH HERE

HIJRAH RIDE – A JOURNEY LIKE NO OTHER

Hijrah Ride is a flagship partnership between Muntada Aid & H&KCC. This annual cycling event is a 3-day long marathon where riders from various parts of the UK cycle from Mecca to Madinah, covering a distance of over 550 kilometres between the two of Islam's holiest of mosques.

The journey symbolises the migration that Prophet Muhammad (PBUH) took as he fled persecution in Mecca and travelled to Madinah for safety.

The annual Hijrah Ride supports children suffering from various heart conditions, war and poverty.

It is the world's first and only such cycling ride

The fifth edition of Hijrah Ride, also known as Hijrah Ride 1447, will take place in January next year.

If you want to participate please register your interest now.

For more details please visit

www.muntadaaid.org/hijrahride



HIJRAH RIDE 1445 THE MOVIE

For the past three years cyclists from the United Kingdom have participated in the annual three-day long cycling marathon covering a distance of 550 kilometres on a stretch of land that, for Muslims, epitomises courage and spirit.

Earlier this January, the riders completed a hat-trick of Hijrah Rides.

This is their journey of hope, love and courage.

To watch the movie, please use the following QR code.



WATCH THE MOVIE



ABOUT LIVELIHOODS PROGRAMME

Muntada Aid's livelihoods programme is to empower women and communities by providing them with training and resources to build lives within their local ecosystems.

What Do We Do?

We invest in small scale farmers and women in Africa.

Goat Rearing

Initially, Muntada Aid provide five animals (goats) to farmers in rural communities in Niger. Besides receiving the animals, farmers also acquire basic training to look after goats. We quarterly check on families to see how they are doing and how we can further help their economic situation if needed.

Seamstress Training

We are providing six-month long training in tailoring to women in Niger. At the start of the training we provide women with sewing machines to help them train and establish their business.

Motorised 3-wheelers for commercial cargo

Muntada Aid is providing motorised 3-wheelers cargo vehicles to help disadvantaged families in urban towns in Niger and Mali. The scheme, which was launched in 2024 is has been a real success story. The families that have received these vehicles have seen their economic fortunes change as the average income for each family have seen an increase between £200-£300 per month, which is huge in these countries where average income can be just £100 per month.

Muntada Aid Impact 2024

Countries:

02 Niger and Mali

Goat Rearing:

460 Families

Seamstress Programme:

15 Families

Motorised Cargo Carts:

08 Families



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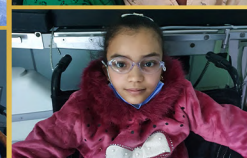
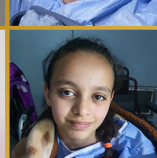
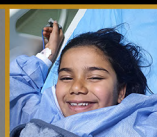
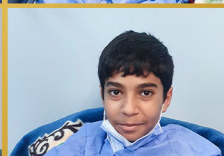
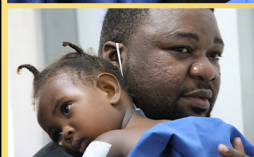
CHANGING LIVES

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 LITTLE HEARTS
**LITTLE HEART
AT 50**

OVER **3,000** Heart Operations
in 14 Countries



LITTLE HEARTS IMPACT



14 COUNTRIES

 EGYPT
 TANZANIA
 KAZAKHSTAN
 MOROCCO
 SUDAN
 BANGLADESH
 YEMEN
 MAURITANIA
 LIBYA
 KENYA
 BENIN
 UGANDA
 KOSOVO
 TUNISIA



50 MISSIONS

 8
 8
 1
 4
 8
 5 + PERMANENT CARDIAC CENTRE
 1
 1
 6
 3
 1
 1
 2
 1



3062 LIFE CHANGING
OPERATIONS

TOTAL	
	313
	510
	31
	200
	627
	741
	64
	28
	275
	102
	5
	14
	89
	68



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**JOIN US ON OUR NEXT
DEPLOYMENT TO UGANDA**

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