

MEDICAL AID UKRAINE



WHO ARE MEDICAL AID UKRAINE?

'Medical Aid Ukraine' is an initiative created by the collaboration of Ukrainian Medical Association of the UK (UMAUK president Dr Roman Cregg) and the British-Ukrainian Aid charity, a registered UK charity (Managing Director Tetiana Vovnyanko).

As a reaction to receiving dozens of requests and appeals for medical equipment, surgical supplies, resuscitation drugs and first aid kits, UMAUK members have established a network of doctors (led by GP Dr Natalia Ciapryna) around the UK (including England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland), many of whom have no Ukrainian ties and kindly and generously are dedicating many hours to help to support the movement.

Professor of Adolescent Psychiatry Dennis Ougrin is in communications with the Ministries of Health and Defences in Ukraine, monitoring the situation where there are critical medical deficits and what exactly is needed.

We are raising funds for further procurement of medical aid and transport of this, with the support of The On-Call Room, a forum of 11.4k doctors in the UK, led by Dr Kristina Rebecca Cranfield, an Emergency Medicine consultant in Edinburgh.

Multiple NHS trusts and CEOs of trusts have been contacted by the healthcare professionals volunteering with Medical Aid Ukraine. We have been overwhelmed by the offers of donations from across the country and are in the process of working with big logistics companies to get them by air or land to Poland and then onto Ukraine.

We are also communicating directly with procurement leads for the NHS and hope to be able to purchase much needed supplies via the NHS channels rather than privately.

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WHAT CAN YOU DO TO HELP?

- If you are a member of the public, please follow the [British Ukrainian Aid Charity Facebook page](#) for details of fundraising activities. Currently all funds raised via this link will go to procurement for medical supplies ONLY.
- You can donate and show support to a group of healthcare staff, family and friends on their challenge running, cycling, swimming and rowing the distance to Kyiv and back to the UK 4 times, a distance of 25000km over the next month. Donate on the [just giving page](https://justgiving.com/fundraising/medicalaidukraine): <https://justgiving.com/fundraising/medicalaidukraine>
- If you are a healthcare professional or allied health care professional and would like to help, please fill out this [google form](#).
- 'If you have donations from an NHS trust, GP or Pharmacy please fill in this [google form](#).
- We are currently not accepting any personal donations as the most effective way to help is to get large supplies directly.
- We need a Ukrainian speaking military doctor to coordinate the NHS donations list with the military hospital needs. If you know someone who could help please contact: MedicalAidUkraine.Info@gmail.com

