



Dear Child Foundation friend,

We are humbled by our community's continued generosity. Next week, we will send the urgent care package funds for 1,500 Child Foundation families in Iran. Last week, the second shipment of medical equipment arrived in Iran thanks to Razi Health Foundation's expertise and your help. We continue to support our other affiliate offices and the Humanitarian Relief Coalition.

The impact on our students around the world is deeply felt. I want to share with you a few excerpts from social worker reports sent by our Iranian affiliate organization. These brief stories underscore the urgent need for food and basic essentials.

“Yousef is a calm and talented seventh-grade student. With the schools closed to prevent the spread of coronavirus, most of the classrooms have moved online. But not everybody has access to these classes. Yousef's mother is the head of their household and does lots of seasonal and part-time jobs to provide for her family. These days, however, jobs are rare. The family has no income and has already spent all of its savings on its ongoing expenses. His mother has also been unable to pay the rent for the past two months.”

“Mojgan is an eighth-grade student. Mojgan lives in an eight-person family. Her father is undergoing medical treatment and unable to work. Her mother works as a seasonal farm worker and does lots of little jobs for the rest of the year to provide for the family. With the current economic hardships, she is mostly unemployed. Mojgan's family is unable to pay their rent this month.”

“Nima is in the third grade of elementary school. Nima's mother is a young woman who separated from her husband due to his drug addiction. She has a cyst in both of her wrists, which has caused her a lot of pain and limited hand movement. Still, she is unable to follow up due to poor economic conditions. The family lives in the home of an elderly woman with a

**mental illness due to a lack of savings for mortgages and rents. The mother earns a living by working in houses to pay for food and other living expenses. Currently, she has no income. "**

The virus has caused so much pain for these families, not by attacking their lungs and respiratory system, but by taking away their health and well-being by putting the family under severe economic pressure. To get through this challenging time, they need kindness.

Together, we can provide essential food and basics. Please continue to keep our children and their mothers in mind.

Sincerely,

Navid Seyedali, President

**\$25 for 1 Care Package to Iran**

**\$50 for 1 Family's Food Basket**

### ***Child Foundation's Legal Means of Aid to Iran***

Child Foundation is proud to stand by the people of Iran despite how difficult it is to send aid. We are actively involved in all four of the below actions in Iran:

1. Under OFAC's General License E, Child Foundation can transfer funds in the case of a natural disaster such as the flood in Sistan and Baluchestan province.
2. Under OFAC's General License E, Child Foundation can transfer funds in the case of humanitarian aid such as the coronavirus outbreak and care packages.
3. Child Foundation's Iran Food Package Program for our over 6,000 students is needed more than ever and legal as importing food is not a sanctioned activity.
4. Child Foundation's efforts to secure medical supplies that are hard to come by inside of Iran are also legal as importing medical supplies is not a sanctioned activity.

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