

# **PROVIDING MEDICAL AID**

IN HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE & DISASTER RELIEF OPERATIONS





# **CALL FOR MEDICAL VOLUNTEERS**

## ROHINGYA IN COX'S BAZAR, BANGLADESH

Relief Singapore (RSG) has been engaged in humanitarian assistance for the Rohingya in Cox's Bazar since May 2018. Its main activity is the installation of water filtration systems to provide safe water at primary health centres in camps, in collaboration with the Directorate General of Health Services, Swiss Red Cross, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society and Dhaka Community Hospital Trust.

On 26<sup>th</sup> September 2018, an RSG team visited the Malaysian Field Hospital (MFH), a Level 3 field hospital set up by the Malaysian Government to provide critical medical assistance to the Rohingya. The team met MFH Commander Colonel Dr Mohd Arshil Bin Moideen, who graciously showed them around the premises and briefed the team on the background and operations of the hospital. RSG is now the first non-Malaysian NGO to support the MFH by deploying medical volunteers to augment the hospital's medical roster; our first volunteer – an O&G specialist – was deployed at the MFH in January 2019.





# **SPECIALTIES REQUIRED**

While volunteers from all specialties (including Allied Health) are welcome, these are the roles that are of particular need at the MFH:

- Obstetricians
- Gynaecologists
- Paediatricians
- Neonatologists
- Pharmacists / Assistant Pharmacists
- General Medical Officers
- General Practitioners
- OT Scrub Nurses
- ICU Nurses
- Staff Nurses
- Midwives



## **TERMS OF DEPLOYMENT**

#### **DURATION**

The preferred period of deployment is **four weeks** or more; the minimum period is two weeks.

#### **FUNDING**

RSG Medical Volunteers serving at the MFH are to be self-funded for their mission. For those who seek to fundraise to cover expenses, RSG is able to assist them by providing advice and facilitating the process.

## **VOLUNTEER AT THE MFH**

If you would like to volunteer with RSG and be deployed at the MFH, or require more information, kindly contact Emma at emma.reliefsg@gmail.com and/or Jonathan at jon@relief.sg



# **JOIN THE ROSTER OF RSG MEDICAL VOLUNTEERS**

The recruitment of medical volunteers for RSG missions is ongoing. If you are keen to put your medical skills to use in refugee/disaster settings, please get in touch with us via contact@relief.sg



## **ABOUT RSG**

RSG is a homegrown social enterprise and NGO that provides healthcare, clean water, psychosocial support and other forms of humanitarian assistance for those forcibly displaced and affected by conflicts, calamities and climate change. Our mandate is to focus on humanitarian needs that are underserved and neglected, and render help regardless of race, religion, or political convictions. We are compelled by our faith in Jesus Christ to love our neighbours, who are defined more by identified needs, rather than just by geographical proximity alone. Past emergencies that we have responded to include Super Typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines, and three major disasters in 2015: Cyclone Pam in Vanuatu, Nepal Earthquake, and the Indonesia haze crisis. We have also gone as far as the Bekaa Valley in Lebanon to provide relief for Syrian refugees. To find out more about what makes us tick, please visit www.relief.sg and www.facebook.com/relief.sg