

# JAFFNA MEDICAL FACULTY OVERSEAS ALUMNI



## MISSION

- The mission of JMFOA is to improve medical education and the quality of health care in Sri Lanka

## GOALS

- Support our Alma Mater to Improve the ranking and reputation.
- Financial support to improve the infrastructures and facilities.
- Networking between Alumni
- Projects to enhance the health care of the community.

# JMFOA PROJECT FUNDING AND ACTIVITIES

## Current Projects and Funding

- Initiated and continued a scholarship program for 15 years for low income medical students - **\$8,000 to \$10,000/yr.** Phasing out at the end of 2019
- Seed money for Cancer Surveillance in Jaffna by Cancer Care Manitoba. - **CAN\$ 9,500**
- Fundamentals of Critical Care Support (FCCS) certification – **\$ 3,000**

## Past Projects and Activities

### Jaffna Medical Faculty and Jaffna Teaching Hospital

- Supported displaced students from Vanni during the war - **\$7,500**
- Subsidized meal program for needy students
- Supported Dean's fund for emergency expense
- NICU project
- Donated laptop, projectors, stethoscope and anatomy models
- Helped to create website for JMF and MSU
- Purchased spirometer and calibration syringes for Dept. of Medicine and Physiology
- Contributed to Nursing Library
- Sponsored med. students for the International Physiology Quiz contest.
- Lecture hall Air Conditioning project - **\$20,000**
- Landscaping for Hoover auditorium grounds
- Contributed towards purchase of land for medical student hostel - **\$21,000**
- Contributed to Yarl Med Ex 2018 (medical exhibition) - **\$5,000**
- Contributed to JUICe 2018 - Jaffna University Int. Research Conference

### Joined Projects with other chapters

- Contributed to hospital resuscitation program - (Jointly w/ UK) **\$11,000**
- Provided lecture hall with state-of-the-art equipment - (w/ NZ) **\$15,000**

### Community Projects and Funding

#### Sri Lanka:

- Kidney transplant fund - **US \$7,480**
- Artificial limb project in Mannar - **US \$17,000**
- Dengue project
- Hari Children's Home in Batticaloa - **US \$5,000**

#### International:

- Autism speaks in US
- Nepal earthquake charity
- Flood relief fund for Tamil Nadu

## Places We've Been

Alaska, Australia, Bahamas, Banff, Belgium, Caribbean, Cozumel, Fiji, Florida, France, Germany, Italy, Los Angeles, New Jersey, New York, New Zealand, Spain, Sri Lanka, Switzerland, Toronto, United Kingdom

