DIRECT AID PROGRAM (DAP) PROJECTS FUNDED IN 2021-2022

Al Moasat / **The Social Relief Welfare Association** - Australian DAP funding supported the equipping of a bakery with modern and safe machines to enable persons with special needs to produce pastries. This project provided new income generating skills to persons with special needs.

National Rehabilitation and Development Centre - Australian DAP funding supported the organisation's technical institute to purchase new sewing machines, which facilitated the production of new product lines. It also helped the students improve their skills on different machines.

Project Association for Culture and Development - Australian DAP funding supported the training of 25 women to become beekeepers and to establish a honey-making centre. This project provided women with new income-generating skills.

Charitable Association for Science and Development - Australian DAP funding supported the installation of a solar energy system for the centre. This project provided the centre with an uninterrupted power supply that improved its ability to provide ongoing medical care to their patients.

Rashet Kheir - Australian DAP funding facilitated wood-crafting workshops for youth affected by the 2020 Beirut port explosion. This project empowered youths with creative and practical skills and improved participants' communication skills.

Ray of Hope – Australian DAP funding supported the establishment of a dental clinic at the institute. This project provided students and their families with much needed dental care.

Metle Metlak – Australian DAP funding supported the training of juveniles of Roumieh Prison to learn music and a friendly and safe environment. This project provided juveniles with new skills, develop their social skills and reintegration abilities.

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The Development Coop Association for Olive Culture and Oil Production - Australian DAP funding supported the economic growth of farmers by introducing new equipment and improving oil production at the Coop.

Lebanese Medical Association for Sexual Health - Australian DAP funding supported the social campaign for dating with pride initiative and handbook. This project will empower the LGBTQ+ community to engage in safe dating practices.

Beib El Chouf - Australian DAP funding supported the Beib El Chouf Community Kitchen. This project provided over 20 women with new income-generating opportunities to improve their livelihoods.

Our Lady of Charity of the Good Shepherd - Australian DAP funding supported the upgrading of computers and study room at the shelter for women and girls victim of violence. This project with provide girls and women improve their computer skills, support their education and help in their insertion in the society.

Watad Association - Australian DAP funding supported the provision of medical equipment to their newly established dispensary. This will enable to Association to provide health care services and very low cost for low-income families and individuals.

L'Impossible – Australian DAP funding supported the restoration and equipping of washrooms for a recreation and leisure community area in Hissa, Akkar. This project will provide a safe and clean space for the community to enjoy a day out with their children.

Lebanese National Energy – Australian DAP funding supported the purchase of professional wheelchairs for the national basketball champions. This project will provided members of the Lebanese paralympic national basketball team new professional wheelchairs enabling them to compete internationally.