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DECCAN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF NORTH AMERICA

ANNUAL REPORT 2021

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DAANA President Report

It's a privilege and honor to be our Alumni Association President in this challenging pandemic. As the global pandemic continues both to unfold and to recede from our daily view, its effect will linger long into the future. Careful attention to spiritual, emotional, and physical health will remain crucial to our own and others' capacity to flourish during the coming year. We intend to have more in person interactions including our upcoming DAAE First Reunion in Birmingham, UK in March and our own Global DAANA Reunion in Orlando, FL in July, 2022.

DAANA's mission is to provide volunteer medical services and other charitable efforts to benefit the needy irrespective of their caste, creed and religion. A special thanks to all our alumni across the globe for making 2021 another year of success. We are now a formidable name of credibility among all the alumni organizations across the globe. Seven new alumni joined our Board this year and our first DAANA Bylaws were ratified by our alumni. Please review this report and our website for all details on our current projects.

The other highlights of year 2021 include successful collaboration with Hyderabad based NGO Helping Hands Foundation to distribute COVID19 Relief in Hyderabad and surrounding districts. We managed and sponsored 'COVID19 Isolation Medical Center' in Hyderabad during the second wave of this pandemic with our sister alumni organizations under the able leadership of Dr Majid Adil'88, President, DAA. We continued to support Rohingya Refugees Projects (Bangladesh, COVA-Hyderabad), Hyderabad Flood Relief, Sponsor Medical Camps, Operate and manage Charitable Clinics in Hyderabad. During the pandemic, we had the opportunity of providing financial and medical needs for selected poor patients at Esra, OMRC, Durreshahwar, Muslim Maternity and other old city hospitals. We provided our alumni doctors and staff with much need PPE and N95 masks during first and second wave of this pandemic. We supported Afghan Refugees in Virginia from funds raised from our DAANA Service Day in November/December 2021. We have established DAANA Emergency Alumni Relief Fund (DEAR Fund) to support our alumni in need across the globe. We are collaborating with our sister alumni organizations: DAA, DAAME, DAAE to continue our volunteer and charitable projects in Hyderabad

Our Residency/Fellowship Mentorship Program had a successful year, mentored about 24 alumni for Residency Programs and had four alumni match to their desired fellowships. We are hosting Alumni Academic Video Live Lecture Series with DCMS Faculty at OMRC and continue our Scientific & Research partnership with DCMS Faculty & Students. I take this opportunity to personally thank our Principal Prof. Ashfaq Hasan for his continued support and guidance for our academic collaborations. We are working towards establishing Tele-Health Mentorship, Education and Medical Consultation Projects in 2022 and continue our mission of giving back to our communities both at home and here.

Our alumni are now admired by all for our willingness to serve, stand up to the health care and humanitarian challenges faced this COVID19 pandemic. Your selfless work, charitable donations, time, devotion, brotherhood and professional accomplishments will help us grow to a more formidable organization in the year 2022. Please continue to pray for our departed souls and help our grieving brothers and sisters who lost their loved ones during this Pandemic. As your President, I can assure you that all your concerns, suggestions and critique will be acknowledged with a goal to better serve our alumni now spread across the globe. May God help guide us to serve the needy and continue our noble work to better serve our alumni in this challenging times.

Warm Regards

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DAAE Presidential report 2021

It has been an incredible year 2021 for DAAE as for many others. The world has come together globally to fight the deadly Covid virus in 2020 and 2021 with continued efforts in the new year of 2022 as well. This virus has left many individuals bereaved and heart-stricken as scores of people died, many have been left crippled for the rest of their lives and many have seen the fabric of families and communities torn apart. At the same time Covid has re-taught us some of the life skills which we had taken for granted and have forgotten such as being kind to each other, valuing relationships, the attitude of giving, being humble and respectful to one another.

I am delighted to share with all of you some of the achievements and successes that DAAE has attained during the last year. As you would know DAAE is a new organisation that was launched in December 2020.

- 1. Organisational framework:** As soon as DAAE was launched we have completed the organisational framework and its functioning portfolio was developed with six main workstreams – charity, humanitarian, career development / educational, clinical / medical support, international collaboration, and social & networking.
- 2. Registered charity:** I am really delighted to share this news Internationally to all the alumni that DAAE is now a fully registered charitable organisation in the UK. We all feel very proud that this was accomplished in a very short time given the Covid constraints we had in the beginning of registration process.
- 3. Covid relief:** DAAE has played a pivotal role in supporting the cause for Covid relief in 2021 in India. There was a high demand of Oxygen concentrators in 2021 in India and DAAE was able to coordinate, collaborate and lead in raising significant amount of funds towards the purchase, procurement, supply, and logistics of the concentrators. This work was led by Dr Yousuf Sheikh and Dr Umair Khan and was supported by all the BOD of DAAE and all the alumni. Their work was also recognised by DAAME and were awarded 'Covid warrior' title. This project was also supported by all the sister Deccan Alumni organisations and other charitable organisations.
- 4. Establishment of Covid isolation and oxygen centres:** With the partnership of all the sister Deccan alumni organisations DAAE has played her role in setting up Covid isolation centres in the City of Hyderabad.

- 5. Covid awareness and Clinical programs:** During the pandemic there have been many awareness programs conducted jointly between DAAE, DAA and DAAME. These programs were held mostly via the zoom meetings and general population was the main focus to create awareness about the Covid and viral infection, precautions and awareness about the vaccination program.
- 6. Covid Psych Support:** In partnership of DAA we were able to launch a dedicated Covid psych support helpline. There was a significant demand in mid 2021 when several people were getting into the Covid phobia and were faced with depression, anxiety, apathy, and isolation. DAAE was able provide online consultation to help suffering of people during the time.
- 7. Career guidance and PLAB:** DAAE was able to launch a series of virtual career workshops for all medical students and specially alumni of DCMS to help, support and guide those who wish to pursue their medical careers in the UK or Europe. These were very popular among the Indian alumni and other medical students, but the participation was also from US and Middle East. These have been led by our career pathway lead Dr Mohammed Zackaria. DAAME and DAAE have also jointly launched similar sessions during 2021.
- 8. Annual Meet in March 2022:** Lastly, I wanted to share another piece of good news. DAAE is organising her first Annual Meet on 19th March 2022, in Birmingham UK and would like to invite all of you to attend the meeting. We have produced an excellent CME, teens program, children's activities, and social and cultural program. We will be delighted to welcome you all in Birmingham, UK.

Prof Farooq Khan

MBBS MD FRCPsych FIPS MSc Med Ed
President DAAE

DAA President Letter

Heartfelt greetings to our DCMS family.

The year 2021 was a year which gave us lessons like no other year before.

When we thought that the worst was behind us in 2020, 2021 brought with it the delta wave, especially in India where April/May saw a tsunami of infections crippling healthcare systems across India & Hyderabad. There was no person in the city who didn't lose a beloved acquaintance, friend or relative.

And as the pandemic snatched away our loved ones or made so many of us suffer, it gave us lessons like never before. It showed us the value, as well as the triviality of life at the same time. Detached us from love of worldly possessions & made us value family & friendships more than ever.

As it strengthened our resolve to 'help', to 'give' and to 'share', we the DCMS alumni from all over the globe came together to take the dreaded 'delta' head on...

I can never forget the numerous calls, messages on groups and offers of help from our Alumni from US, UK, Canada, Middle East, Australia & Hyderabad.

We express our deepest gratitude from DAA to all our DCMS family for the same.

We ran a 21-bed isolation center & vaccination center where over 500+ patients were served.

A DAA/ DAANA call center, 24/7, was established where free consultation and volunteer services for Covid Patients was provided.

More than a 100 Covid kits were distributed to Covid affected patients.

70 Oxygen cylinders and 80 Oxygen concentrators were given free for those needing oxygen supplementation at home.

A Medical Relief van was provided for funeral services of Covid related deaths.

My sincere appreciation and thanks to Dr Ahrar, Dr Aleemuddin, Dr Shaeq, Dr Faisal, Dr Parvez, Dr Naseer, Dr Shahana, Dr Ameenuddin Owaisi, Dr Qayum Qadri to name a few.

Presently we successfully run 3 Charitable Clinics with free consultation and free medicines (Masabtank, Old Malakpet & Jahanuma)

A new Clinic has been inaugurated on 4th Jan in MS Maqta area in lieu of the Masab Tank clinic.

As we enter the new year with a 3rd Omicron wave, which appears much less lethal in India than the earlier ones, we pray to Almighty that we shall see the end of the pandemic this year.

As a future project, we at DAA with the help of overseas Alumni wish to start a Medical facility free of cost, initially as 'Daycare' and move ahead from there, a goal that should materialize soon, inshallah.

We sincerely hope that our FCRA permission comes through this year & help us improve in channeling our resources for better services for those who need medical care & the needy.

Wishing all my DCMS alumni family a healthy, happy & fruitful year ahead.

Dr M A Majid Adil
President, DAA

DAAME President Letter 2021

I, Dr. Syed Obaidullah Junaid (86 batch) an alumni serving the medical fraternity and the community as the president of Deccan Alumni Association of Middle East (DAAME) would like to thank the DAANA BOD for giving me this opportunity to pen this note for their annual report.

The objective of this note is to motivate each other about serving the humanity. The basic motto of DAAME is to serve the community in Middle East and back home in India in the fields of health and education. To reach these goals there were many projects taken up.

- » Lectures and seminars on common and current topics were conducted on DAAME platform to connect the juniors with the other medical fraternity
- » DAAME successfully conducted a 3 days webinar on COVID management during its early outbreak with national and international participants and esteemed speakers across the globe from DAA, DAANA, DAAE, CANADA etc.
- » To enrich doctors regarding international examination like MRCP, DAAME in coordination with DAAE conducted an activity for guidance
- » An isolation center for COVID-19 patients was set up in Hyderabad which was organized by DAA with the support from DAAME
- » Health education and awareness among the masses has been the theme of many activities of DAAME
- » DAAME, DAA and MAAHIM are coordinating in running a charity based family clinic in Hyderabad, catering a large group of needy people
- » We hope to build MAAHIM Family clinic by the international standards of primary health care – a vision with an innovative concept of PHC with all services under one roof
- » DAAME 2022 vision includes promoting research activities (DAAME research award and scholarship for needy graduates)

Success of any project can be accomplished by joining hands and working together.

My humble suggestion to all is a 5 minutes formula for success of all Deccan Alumni Associations, the community needs our 5 minutes of each day



A mere suggestion by anybody, explored by someone can benefit many.

Respectfully,

Dr. Syed Obaidullah Junaid (86 batch)

DAAME President

DAANA Newsletter - Editors' Annual report 2021-2022

With a lot of information being shared on WhatsApp in recent years, it was incumbent upon us to archive all the joys and excitement in a permanent format. The DAANA newsletter has been a great channel to document reunions, weddings, new beginnings, success and a great opportunity to highlight and know our alumni through it. It is a newsletter only if people contribute; initially it was challenging with people's hesitancy, but as we grew, it turned into a delightful experience as more alumni started sharing their experiences and thoughts. To all this we say, please keep them coming!

The editors of the DAANA newsletter wish to take this opportunity to celebrate a full year of publication of the DAANA newsletter (2021) and thank our alumni for making it a truly welcome relief during a tough time of our lives. We were able to publish 9 editions, spread over 59 pages and spanning over 100 segments in English, Urdu, transliterated Telugu as well as audio-visual components for our readers to enjoy. With 6 articles on getting to know the inspiring stories of some of our alumni to the 34 poems, ghazals, stories and insightful posts from some of our most talented friends, we cherish them all. The articles on the global humanitarian missions and charitable activities of our association and DCMS alumni have been both inspiring and humbling. They remind us of our privileged position to do so much good in this world!

The 19 very insightful, mature contributions from the alumni children have been a joy and an honor to present. It has also been a matter of pride to display the achievements and 34 articles, poems and artwork of the present DCMS students in the student section led by student correspondent Hunaina Manfusa of 2017 batch. We have also shared heartwarming stories of joyous celebrations and heartbreaking sorrow of losses, of our alumni community brothers and sisters, through this medium of expression of solidarity.

Newsletters are a strong social media and they aim to connect people and provide information and resources worldwide. Aiman Muneer and Afshan Khan (96 batch alumni) pioneered this vision for DAANA and successfully launched the DAANA newsletter in January 2021. Hema Dantuluri (89 batch alumna) joined the team in June 2021 and has further enhanced its quality and Aparna R Mahakala (89 batch alumna and BOD member for DAANA) was assigned to work with the team.

We appreciate all the alumni for their contributions and are grateful for their encouragement to our newsletter. We will strive to continue to serve DAANA through this medium.

~ DAANA Newsletter Editorial Team (Afshan, Aiman, Hema & Aparna)

Projects undertaken in Hyderabad by DAANA/DAA/DAAE/DAAME

1. 20 bedded Isolation Center and vaccination center set up where 500+ patients were seen.
2. DAA/DAANA call center 24/7 where free consultation and volunteer services for Covid Patients
3. 70 Oxygen cylinders and 80 Oxygen concentrators distributed free of cost for Covid Patients
4. Medical Relief van was provided for funeral services of Covid death.
5. Hyderabad Floods- 2 Mobile Clinics were running where 6000+ flood affected victims were treated and given free medicines and free dressing
6. 40+ homes painting and cleaning was done in Hyderabad flood affected areas.
7. 3 Charitable Clinics established- free consultation and free medicines (Masabtank, Old Malakpet, Jahanuma)
8. New Clinic inaugurated on 4 th Jan in MS Maqta area.
9. 100 Covit kits were distributed to Covid patients.
10. 100+ mega medical camps conducted in different areas of Telangana, orphanages and old age homes.







DAANA Youth Service Day Project helping Afghan Refugees





AFGHAN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
NORTH AMERICA

FREE FOR KIDS

Thursday November 25
10:30 AM

**Park View
Apartment
Parking Lot**

6505 64th Ave. Riverdale, MD
20737

202 603 4992

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY
Answer us With
Community Services

COME SUPPORT THE VULNERABLE IN OUR COMMUNITY: AFGHAN
REFUGEES + DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS

VOLLEYBALL CHARITY GAME

All funds will be used to provide urgent necessities to
Afghan refugees. In addition, there will be a bake sale
at the event. These funds will be used to provide
comfort to domestic violence victims.
NOTE- this is a female event only

**ISLAMIC FOUNDATION NEW GYM DOOR 12-
NOVEMBER 19TH- 6PM TO 8PM**

\$10 per ticket- contact on Instagram if you would like to sign up
@rehmaqazi & @husna.qazi
Hosted by Rehma & Husna Qazi



DAAE Activities



DAAE ANNUAL MEET

19TH MARCH 2022

BIRMINGHAM U.K

A FULL DAY EVENT NOT TO BE MISSED


Registration now extended till 31st Jan 2022


CME PROGRAMME
CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES
TEEN TALK
SOCIALISING & NETWORKING
FUN AND EXCITING MAIN PROGRAMME
EXQUISITE 3 COURSE SIT DOWN DINNER
LIVE EVENING ENTERTAINMENT



Come and enjoy spending an entire spring day with Deccan Alumni and family book now...








PSYCH SUPPORT FOR INDIA
A free Psychological support service to Indians in the Covid-19 Pandemic.
"Sessions provided do not come under routine physician patient relationship"

HELP LINE : 7330867222 | 7306600600

DOCTOR AT YOUR SERVICE:
 Dr Farooq Khan | Dr Zia Nadeem | Dr Mahmood Nasiri | Dr Minhaj Nasirabadi
 Dr Mujahed Syed | Dr Shujat Ali | Dr Akhtar Noorani | Dr Sohail Mohammed

MAJLIS CHARITY EDUCATIONAL & RELIEF TRUST AND ACCESS FOUNDATION



DAAME and DAAME
 Deccan College of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad, India, Alumni Association invite you to attend the timely call for creating awareness of psychological health in the community. Suicidal behaviours, depression and societal demands can leave the community in a devastating situation.

TOPIC: IS SUICIDE THE SOLUTION? UNDERSTANDING LEARNED HELPLESSNESS

Chairperson : Dr. Syed Obaidullah Junaid, Consultant Pulmonologist, Riyadh.

Speaker : Dr. Farooq Khan, Clinical Director & Consultant Psychiatrist Psychiatric Specialties, Clinical Lead Dementia Midlands NHS England.

Panel discussion: Societal demands, psychological pressures and role of the community

Moderator: Dr. Syed Zubair, Internist & Hematologist, Riyadh.

Panelists:
 Dr Mahmood Nasiri, UK
 Dr Mohammed Shaffiullah. UK
 Dr Shujaath Ali. UK.
 Dr Mujahid Ali Syed. Vancouver, Canada

Date: 13th March 2021
 Time:
 18:30 KSA
 15:30 U.K.
 10:30 US
 23:00 India
 Venue: Zoom

Profit & Loss

12:25 PM

Deccan Alumni Association of North America

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Profit & Loss

Accrual Basis

January through December 2021

	Jan - Dec 21
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
Amazon Matching Donation	34.52
DAANA Collections	120,663.18
DAANA Grant	150.00
General Contribution	107,287.84
General Donation	
Alumni Welfare	5,925.00
Corona - Donation	9,376.00
Dar us Suffa - General Donation	600.00
Hyderabad Flood	7,350.00
Matrimony - General Donation	650.00
Prabhata-Sindhuri- Contribution	350.00
Rohingya- General Donation	15,509.00
Teacher's Clinic - General Dona	21,464.00
Zakat - General Donation	905.00
General Donation - Other	3,862.62
Total General Donation	65,991.62
LA 2020 Collections	1,000.00
Other Types of Income	450.00
Paypal	20,951.82
Total Income	316,528.98
Expense	
Afghan Kids School Supplies	1,104.00
Annual Event expenses	11,500.00
Bank & Paypal fees	
Paypal Commission	4,125.20
Bank & Paypal fees - Other	50.75
Total Bank & Paypal fees	4,175.95
CME	1,500.00
Communication expenses	
Survey Monkey	483.00
Zoom	1,561.40
Total Communication expenses	2,044.40
Donation Education	
DAANA Donation	825.00
Total Donation Education	825.00
Donations	
Afghan Donations	13,499.06
COVA Donation	23,529.00
Donations - Covid 19	29,642.30
Educational Social Cultural Org	14,286.00
HAYAT - Donation	30,700.00
Helping Hand	68,944.74
HOPE Hospital- Donation	2,500.00
HOPE Humanitarian	10,000.00
Hyderabad Flood	2,200.00
Muslim CF	150.00
Prabhata Sindhuri Donation	6,259.74
Step to Humanity	4,884.40
Donations - Other	5,248.27
Total Donations	211,843.51
Insurance	1,115.00

Profit & Loss Cont'd

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Profit & Loss

Accrual Basis

January through December 2021

	Jan - Dec 21
Operations	
Postage, Mailing Service	118.00
Software & Computer expenses	950.66
Supplies	308.34
Total Operations	1,377.00
Orlando Reunion Payments	500.00
Payroll Expenses	3,934.79
Payroll Taxes	454.91
Professional Fees	2,937.00
Reconciliation	0.00
Reunion Expenses	18,589.36
Volunteer Expenses	2,628.76
Website Expenses	2,881.28
Total Expense	267,410.96
Net Ordinary Income	49,118.02
Net Income	49,118.02

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DAANA Global Reunion Orlando, FL July 23-24 2022

DAANA Global Reunion
ORLANDO 2022
July 23- July 24 2022
Rosen Centre Hotel, 9840
International Drive, Orlando,
Florida USA 32819



ORLANDO 2022

Registration link

<https://daanadcms.org/daana-orlando-global-reunion-2022/>



A very warm welcome from Team Florida to our Alumni around the world

-As the pandemic has stretched from months to years, your spirit has remained strong
-As we sacrificed and dedicated ourselves on the front lines day after day, we kept moving on

-Even though uncertainty exist all the time as no one knows what the future holds
-It is even more important to cherish the bonds we all hold

-We share a common past and common roots
-Now we are spread far and wide, however our meeting will provide a boost

-Reminding us of the good and bad that shaped our mold
-Old friends are the best kind of antiques to behold

-We in Florida, Anxiously await
-Your arrival to our sunny state

-We welcome you with humility and grace
-We long for the connection and our friends embrace

-We hope to make this fun and memorable
-your families will enjoy orlando, its inevitable

-Time endears but cannot fade
-the memories that friends have made

-Life gives us opportunities to spend brief moments together
-maximize the opportunity, not regretting waiting for another

-we have shown the world what we can do
-we are deccanites through and through

-we hope to see you this July
-please don't let this opportunity go by

-celebrating "health care heroes" is our theme
-a very Warm welcome from the Florida Team!

DAANA Annual Report
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DAANA Secretary