



Türkiye 2023 Earthquake Disaster

Donate-A-Container Classroom

Community Project



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BACKGROUND

During the horrendous earthquake that shook Türkiye in February this year, buildings and schools were destroyed, leaving families and children without shelter.

Mercy Relief, in commemoration of our 20th Anniversary, has donated 20 container homes valued at SGD 180,000, in support of the post-disaster community project.

THE NEXT PHASE: DONATE-A-CONTAINER CLASSROOM PROJECT ABOUT

This project aims to provide essential educational infrastructure by converting ten or more shipping containers into fully functional classrooms for children whose schools were destroyed during the earthquake. In supporting this initiative, donors will contribute to the long-term recovery and growth of the affected community.

INVESTMENT

Each container costs USD 6,500 and will house up to thirty children in a classroom setting. We are appealing to individual and corporate donors to fund the container classroom project, which will continue to provide education including classes on psychological support for children.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Donors contributing five or more containers will be acknowledged with a plaque bearing the donor's or organisation's name and logo in each classroom.

Donors of ten or more containers will have a plaque in each classroom bearing the donor's or organisation's name and logo, and will be invited to join our Mercy Overseas Volunteer Expedition to visit the classroom site, up to a maximum of five participants. As Mercy Relief is a not-for-profit organisation, airfare and accommodation expenses will be borne by donors.

TAX EXEMPTION

As laid down by Commissioner of Charities and IRAS, donations to support overseas humanitarian projects will not be eligible for tax exemption.

PAYMENT MODES

Donations may be made through our website at <https://www.mercyrelief.org> which accepts credit cards, bank transfers and PayNow

Cheques are to be made payable to Mercy Relief Limited (Please indicate Türkiye Container Classrooms Project and mailed to:

Mercy Relief Limited
160 Toa Payoh Lorong 1 #01-1568 Singapore 310160

Direct Bank Transfers to DBS 054-900741-2

Container Classroom



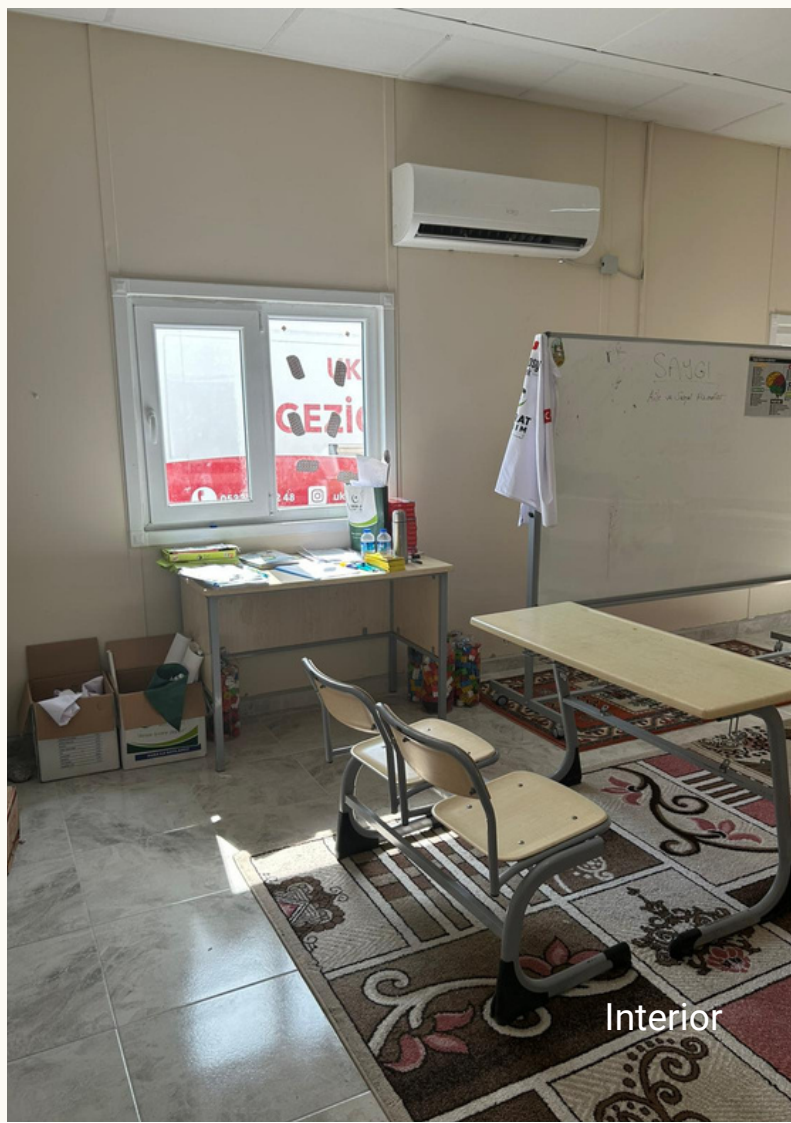
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MEDIA RELEASE

for immediate dissemination

Mercy Relief donates container homes to Türkiye's 2023 earthquake survivors

Singapore 29 August 2023 Mercy Relief, Singapore's leading humanitarian organization dedicated to providing disaster relief aid and, in commemoration of its 20th anniversary, is donating 20 container homes valued at S\$180,000 to the Türkiye earthquake 2023 disaster community.

The devastating earthquake that struck Türkiye earlier this year left communities shattered and in dire need of support. In keeping with its core mission of extending help to vulnerable communities in need, Mercy Relief will contribute the 20 safe and secure shelters purposed-built for affected families.

"Mercy Relief's 20th anniversary is not only a commemoration of the work we do but more importantly, a reaffirmation of our commitment to serving communities who are most vulnerable. The container homes we are donating are not only shelters, but a step towards rebuilding lives and communities. We remain steadfast in our efforts to stand with the people of Türkiye during their time of need," said Satwant Singh, Chairman of the Board, Mercy Relief who is in Türkiye for the handing over ceremony.

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ABOUT MERCY RELIEF

Inaugurated in 2003, Mercy Relief is Singapore's leading independent disaster relief agency with dedicated leadership, capacity building expertise, field experience and an affiliate network operating across the entire disaster management cycle.

Mercy Relief provides emergency aid within 72 hours of an appeal in the aftermath of a disaster. Our long-term programmes champion sustainability for vulnerable communities across Asia Pacific in five key areas: water and sanitation, healthcare, shelter, sustainable livelihoods, and education.

Over the last two decades, Mercy Relief has responded to 92 natural disasters across 27 countries, with more than \$46 million disbursed in relief operations, and implemented more than 6 post-disaster projects impacting an aggregate of over 2.7 million lives.

SOCIAL MEDIA CAMPAIGN



Mercy Relief Donates 20 Container Homes
Türkiye August 2023



[Click on link to watch video](#)



In Support Of The Türkiye Earthquake Disaster 2023 Community Project





On The Occasion of our 20th Anniversary



ABOUT US

Inaugurated in 2003, Mercy Relief is Singapore's leading disaster relief management organization, focused on delivering aid and sustainability programs to communities affected by natural disasters.

Our primary goal is to alleviate suffering and help such communities recover and rebuild in the aftermath of disasters. Our sustainability programs extend across Asia Pacific focusing on water and sanitation, healthcare, education, shelter, and sustainable livelihood programs.

Over the last two decades, Mercy Relief has earned a reputation for its effective disaster management programs. Through partnerships, donations, and volunteer efforts, we continue to work towards building a better and more sustainable future for vulnerable communities.

92
Relief
Operations

76
Post-Disaster
Projects

\$46.1 million
Disbursed

27
Beneficiary
Countries

2.7 Million
Lives Impacted

Accurate as at 21 July 2023

Accurate as at



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