



KEREN קרן
HAYESOD היסוד
For the People of Israel

OUR IMPACT 2024



Dear Friends,

The year 2024 was shaped by a war that has continued for over a year, marking a dark chapter for Israel and the Jewish people. The unrelenting violence and devastation brought by the October 7 attacks left scars that will forever be etched into the heart of our nation. Yet, through this pain, the resilient spirit of Israel has not only endured but shone brightly, a beacon of hope for our people and the world.

Your unwavering support through this harrowing time has been nothing short of extraordinary. Together with The Jewish Agency for Israel and other partners, we have mobilized resources to provide immediate relief to those who needed it most, from sheltering families to supporting survivors. But beyond responding to the crisis, you've empowered us to begin the vital work of rebuilding—not just community infrastructure, but the very soul of Israeli society. Take a look at the impact you've had and the lives you've changed—they are a testament to the power of your generosity.

As we reflect on this past year, we also look forward, inspired by the courage and unity that define our people. With your partnership, we are investing in the future, strengthening communities across Israel, and ensuring a brighter tomorrow for generations to come. Every act of generosity, every gesture of solidarity, brings us closer to restoring what was lost and building a stronger, more united nation.

On behalf of all of us at Keren Hayesod-UIA, we extend our deepest gratitude to you. Your commitment fuels the spirit of Israel and binds us together in a shared mission of hope and renewal. Now more than ever, your support is a lifeline for a resilient nation determined to rise again.

With heartfelt thanks,

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Former Chairman,
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World Board of Trustees

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World Chairman

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THIS IS OUR IMPACT 2024

Emergency War Relief

\$54.9M USD*

Emergency war relief
allocations

9,000 +

Households
supported

3,977

Grants distributed

173

Shelters provided/
constructed/
refurbished

79

Hospitals, medical
NGOs and healing
centers funded

*The above data is unaudited
and subject to change

Community Rebuilding

8,186

Masa participants
and volunteers

6,200+

Gaza-border
residents supported

208

NGOs and
municipalities
supported

90+

Community
infrastructure
projects funded
nationwide

Supporting the Vulnerable

42,000

Food baskets
delivered through
Amigour

15,000+

Children and families
supported

7,303

Elderly residents
cared for

800

Relief kits for
families distributed

Aliyah & Integration

32,281

Immigrants welcomed
in 2024

21,836

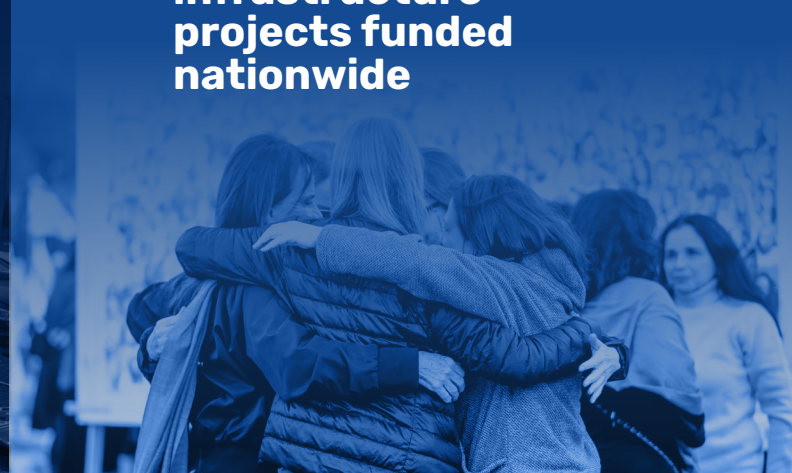
Olim with a profession

17,002

Olim with an academic
background

46

Countries



A LIFELINE FOR VICTIMS OF TERROR

In the aftermath of the October 7 massacre, The Jewish Agency's Fund for Victims of Terror, supported by Keren Hayesod, became a vital lifeline for thousands. Since the war began, Keren Hayesod has raised **US \$31 million**, with **US \$22 million** distributed in direct support in 2024, delivering critical aid at an unprecedented scale. Additionally, **US \$4.5 million*** were raised in 2024 to ensure continued support and future distribution.

Over 3,977 grants were distributed in mere days, marking an unprecedented response in the Fund's 21-year history.

This vital initiative ensures rapid and effective relief. Grants of up to **\$6,300** have been provided to victims, covering essential needs such as **psychological counseling, financial assistance, and job retraining**. In response to the crisis, the Fund has also provided immediate aid to over **9,000 households**, demonstrating the power of your generosity in action.

This is not just aid—it's resilience in action. Together, we are restoring lives, strengthening communities, and ensuring that Israel's unwavering spirit endures.

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Tamara Blinder, beneficiary of the Fund for Victims of Terror

\$22M

**IN DIRECT
SUPPORT**

9,000+

**HOUSEHOLDS
SUPPORTED**

3,977

**GRANTS
DISTRIBUTED**

PROVIDING LIFE-SAVING BOMB SHELTERS

PROTECTING LIVES IN ISRAEL'S NORTH AND SOUTH

We are safeguarding lives in Israel's north and south—regions that are constantly under fire. In times of war and danger, these shelters are not just structures; they are lifelines, providing protection, security, and hope for all, offering a critical shield of safety against relentless rocket and drone attacks.

These shelters are providing thousands of families with life-saving protection and safety.

מתנת תורמי
קרן היסוד



קרן היסוד Keren Hayesod
UNITED ISRAEL APPEAL

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The unique impact of a mobile shelter is its ability to save lives. It enables us to keep moving forward—to keep learning, growing, and thriving.

”

Eyal Hajbi,
Security Officer, Sha'ar
Hanegev Regional Council

105

**MOBILE AND
STATIC
SHELTERS**

38

**CONVERSION
OF SHELTERS
INTO
CLASSROOMS**

30

**SHELTER
RENOVATIONS**

HEALING ISRAEL: YOUR SUPPORT, THEIR RECOVERY

Your support has been vital for Israel's hospitals and medical organizations, expanding their capacity to provide essential care and resilience in crisis. From trauma units saving lives to rehabilitation centers restoring strength, your contributions ensure vital medical services reach those in need.

Alongside hospitals, NGOs offer therapeutic programs, resilience centers, and mental health support, helping families heal from war's toll. **Each donation restores hope, rebuilds lives, and strengthens communities.**

59

HOSPITALS
AND MEDICAL
NGOS
SUPPORTED

20

HEALING
CENTERS
SUPPORTED

13

RECOVERY-
FOCUSED
ORGANIZATIONS
SUPPORTED



COMMUNITIES2GETHER

SUPPORTING GAZA BORDER COMMUNITIES

In the wake of the October 7 attack, Communities2Gether is delivering life-changing support to 10 communities in Israel's southern region. **This program provides psychological rehabilitation, trauma counseling, leadership development, and infrastructure rebuilding to help families recover and rebuild.**

Thanks to your generosity, children are regaining a sense of safety, families are finding support, and communities are revitalizing.

This initiative, a joint effort by Keren Hayesod-UIA and The Jewish Agency for Israel, ensures these areas receive the critical aid they need.

TOGETHER, we are helping these areas not just recover, but thrive.

6,212

RESIDENTS
SUPPORTED

100+

SUPPORT
PROJECTS
FUNDED

10

COMMUNITIES
SUPPORTED



STRENGTHENING ISRAEL THROUGH ALIYAH

For decades, The Jewish Agency for Israel and Keren Hayesod have been making the dream of Aliyah a reality, helping Jews worldwide return to their ancestral home. From the moment they arrive, immigrants receive the tools they need to succeed—help with housing, Hebrew classes, and career support—ensuring they build meaningful lives in Israel.

Aliyah not only transforms lives but also strengthens Israel—economically, culturally, and socially—enriching the nation and reinforcing its shared heritage.

Your support turns their journey into a story of resilience, belonging, and growth.

32,281

OLIM
WELCOMED
IN 2024

21,836

OLIM WITH
A PROFESSION

17,002

OLIM WITH AN
ACADEMIC
BACKGROUND

46

DIFFERENT
COUNTRIES

AMIGOUR: STRENGTHENING THE MOST VULNERABLE

For thousands of elderly immigrants, including Holocaust survivors and war refugees, Amigour is more than housing—it's a lifeline. It offers safety, dignity, and a caring community for those who have endured so much.

Thanks to your support, residents find not just shelter, but connection and hope. Together, we are honoring their resilience, restoring their pride, and ensuring they live their later years in comfort and peace.

42,000

FOOD BASKETS DISTRIBUTED

7,303

RESIDENTS SUPPORTED

17

FACILITIES ACROSS THE COUNTRY



Tatiana Lomar, an Amigour resident receiving a food basket

PROTECTING AND EMPOWERING CHILDREN AT-RISK

Thousands of children in Israel face the daily struggles of socio-economic hardship, criminal records that burden their futures, broken families, and trauma, but your support is changing their story. Through programs like **Heartbeats (Peimot)**, **Youth Futures**, and **Youth Villages**, we are giving these children, and their families hope, safety, and the chance to thrive.

From mentorship and therapy to a nurturing environment, these initiatives are transforming lives.

Together, we are breaking the cycle of despair and building a future where every child has the opportunity to succeed.

Shilat Amrusi, beneficiary of the Heartbeats program

15,035

**BENEFICIARIES
SUPPORTED**

800

**RELIEF KITS
FOR CHILDREN
AND FAMILIES**

68

**LOCATIONS
SUPPORTED**

SUPPORT FOR THE HEROES WHO STAND ALONE

Thousands of young immigrants serve Israel with dedication, often far from their families. Your support helps them access housing assistance and emotional care, ensuring they feel supported and never alone. After they have concluded their service, your help enables them to successfully transition into civilian life, build their future in Israel, and become active members of society. **By investing in their journey, we strengthen the future of our country.**

Wings Program participants 2024

65%

STAY IN ISRAEL
AFTER THE
PROGRAM

5

DIFFERENT
CONTINENTS



MECHINOT: WHERE LEADERSHIP BEGINS

Mechinot programs shape Israel's future leaders, equipping young Israelis with resilience, purpose, and a **profound connection to their homeland**. These gap-year experiences empower participants to excel in military service and beyond, directly strengthening Israel's security and society. Your support transforms these young men and women into **confident leaders who carry Israel's values into every aspect of their lives**.



Mechinat Barak participants

99%

ENLISTMENT
RATE

70%

CONTINUE
VOLUNTEERING
IN ISRAEL

15

PROGRAMS
SUPPORTED

MASA: A LIFELONG BOND WITH ISRAEL

Masa transforms the lives of young Jews worldwide, **connecting them to their heritage and to Israel through powerful, immersive experiences.** Participants return home inspired and empowered, **serving as lifelong ambassadors for Israel and the Jewish people.** Masa programs enable them to build a deep, lasting bond with Israel, strengthening the global Jewish community and ensuring its future. **Together, we are creating a world where Israel remains a source of pride, connection, and hope for generations to come.**



Masa volunteer 2024

7,586

PARTICIPANTS
OVERALL

600

SHORT-TERM
VOLUNTEERS

67

DIFFERENT
COUNTRIES

30%

OF
PARTICIPANTS
MAKE ALIYAH

THANK YOU

WITH YOUR HELP,
OVER 2,000,000
LIVES HAVE BEEN
TOUCHED.

Through your generosity, over 90 projects have been funded across Israel, bringing hope, resilience, and strength to those who need it most.

In the face of war and uncertainty, your support has united communities, protected families, and provided a beacon of light during Israel's most challenging times.

Together, we are shaping a brighter, stronger future for Israel. Thank you for standing with us and being a part of this incredible impact.

**YOU ARE BUILDING
A BETTER TOMORROW**





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