



ARAB HOSPITALS FEDERATION
إتحاد المستشفيات العربية

ARAB HOSPITALS FEDERATION LAUNCHES THE GOLD INITIATIVE CERTIFICATE FOR HEALTHCARE SECTOR IN RESPONSE TO COVID -19 PANDEMIC.

ABOUT THE "GOLD INITIATIVE"

In light of the crisis of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, the Arab Hospitals Federation launches the "Gold Initiative" to build trust in our Healthcare sector and acknowledge the efforts and procedures of Hospitals that were present to face this challenge and provided distinguished services for the patient.

These Healthcare Institutions (Hospitals, Primary Healthcare centers & Pharmaceuticals Companies) have faced the challenge efficiently despite all the difficult circumstances and mysteries that this pandemic has hidden, and have presented a distinctive performance that deserves appreciation from the Federation because they provided a remarkable response experience and set a distinct and innovative organizational procedures to face the pandemic of COVID-19 in their region or country.

Throughout the confrontation period, the Arab Hospitals Federation was concerned about the Healthcare sector and its resources, pursuing and attempting through its pioneering role in developing the Arab Healthcare workers to be supportive and available. Many Healthcare Institutions have demonstrated a rapid response and excellence in this confrontation, and we must highlight on their experiences so that we can all learn from them and be ready to face the future and provide the best.

The winning will receive a "Gold Initiative" certificate to appreciate the response of Health institutions to the emerging pandemic of Coronavirus (COVID-19), and the Federation will shed the light on these institutions through an extensive exposure for all leaders, Stakeholders, Healthcare workers, in addition to the community as a whole. A booklet for the project will be published at the end including all our partners, collaborators , supporters and winners...



DATE OF SUBMISSION

Submission of applications begins on August 10, 2020 and ends on October 1, 2020.

The finalists will be notified on 1 November 2020

For any information please contact us at: ahfonline@ahfonline.net

SUBMISSION OF ENTRIES

- Entries must be submitted to AHF Email: ahfonline@ahfonline.net indicating the country and Healthcare Institutions name by filling the requested form.
- The email should include basic information about the organization and supporting documents justifying why the organization is submitting.
- Entries submitted must be in English. Supporting documents can be in the national language.

ELIGIBILITY

- Healthcare Institutions (Hospitals, Primary Healthcare centers & Pharmaceuticals Companies) and Health service providers (public or private) are allowed to submit an entry.
- Each Institution is only allowed for one submission.
- The entry should be submitted officially by the Institution manager.
- All submissions must be for responses or actions that have been executed during the COVID-19 pandemic with concrete outcomes which can demonstrate innovation and excellence in the Healthcare sector.



CRITERIAS & GRADING

● TO BE WINNER:

- Each institution should present their plans and they have to answer to all categories mentioned by the Arab Hospitals Federation. The division of grading will be based on the below points:
- Institution history & Background : **5 points**
- Scope is clearly defined : **10 points**
- Goals are clearly defined : **10 points**
- Plan, Policies & Procedures articulated : **15 points**
- Interventions & Resources are well defined : **15 points**
- Improvement plan and strategy Clearly defined: **20 points**
- Results & Outcomes defined & Analysed : **20 points**
- Organization & Clarity: **5 points**

CATEGORIES

CATEGORY ONE: REGULATORY STAFF TO THE GOVERNMENT

The Healthcare Institution should prove in the time of crisis distinctive actions exceeding the standards and recommendations set by Health authorities

CATEGORY TWO: LEADERSHIP & GOVERNANCE

The Healthcare Institution Leaders were forward looking in setting procedures and initiatives to overcome this challenges and serve Covid -19 patients as well as other patient's needs, and has put in place new approaches to improve governance in time of crisis and implement new innovation to deliver quality services.

CATEGORY THREE: SAFETY OF STAFF, VISITORS & PATIENTS

The Healthcare Institution Managers have taken proactive actions to protect the Healthcare workers, patients and visitors...

CATEGORY FOUR: AWARENESS

The Healthcare Institution contributed in building Community Awareness to fight the pandemic.

CATEGORY FIVE: EFFICIENCY & SCARCE RESOURCES

The Healthcare Institution has taken tangible actions to use efficiently the scarce resources available (human, materials, financial, PPE).

CATEGORY SIX: RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

This category is dedicated to the Healthcare Institution that has worked on the research and development in the medical field.



SELECTION PROCESS

The selection process of winners will be in two phases:

Phase one will be by the AHF Judging Panel composed by the Executive council of the federation. Each entry will be reviewed and scored independently. The Judging Panel will discuss and agree on the finalists list.

Phase two will be by a Judging Panel comprised of three members of the AHF Governing council and three members of the Executive council in addition to two members independent Healthcare experts. All finalists will be considered by the Phase 2 judges and the Winners will be selected for announcement.

Each Healthcare Institution can win in all categories and have the title of « Leading Institution» that applied all points in all categories or can win in one Category .

COLLABORATORS

The long reputation and reliable journey of the Arab Hospitals Federation made a good relationship with different trustful parties.

- The AHF partners will be:
 - World Health Organization
 - University of Washington
 - Hamad Medical Corporation
 - Universita Vita - Salute San Raffaele - Italy
 - Middle East & North Africa Health Policy Forum (MENA HPF)
 - Private Hospitals Association - Jordan
 - Arab Hospital Magazine
 - Others ...

All these parties worked hardly in the Healthcare sector to overcome and fight the pandemic with Distinction and extraordinary performance.



SPONSORS AND PARTNERS

Partnering and Sponsoring with the Arab Hospitals Federation in the Gold initiative is an exceptional opportunity to be seen as a leader in the Healthcare sector in the fight against the pandemic with Excellence and remarkable performance by creating new proactive methods and impactful responses in facing COVID-19 pandemic in their country.

WINNERS REQUIREMENTS & BENEFITS

The winning Institutions will receive the following benefits:

- "Gold Initiative" certificate
- Extensive exposure for all leaders, Stakeholders, Healthcare workers, community.
- Advertisement page inside the E- Official Winners souvenir Catalogue.
- One Profile Page about the winning Institutions in the E- Official Winners souvenir Catalogue.
- Banner on AHF Website
- One AHF membership for year 2020 - 2021

Each winning Institutions are requested to pay the Logistical fees for Announcement which is 1000USD.

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GUIDELINES

- You should follow the Eligibility ,criteria's and categories mentioned in the file and they are as follow:
 - All submissions must be for responses or actions that have been executed during the COVID-19 pandemic with concrete outcomes which can demonstrate innovation and excellence in the healthcare sector.
 - It is expected that the Healthcare Institution should prove in the time of crisis distinctive actions exceeding the standards and recommendations set by Health authorities, and has taken tangible actions to use efficiently the scarce resources available (human, materials, financial, PPE).
 - It is expected that the Healthcare Institution Leaders were forward looking in setting procedures and initiatives to overcome this challenges and serve Covid -19 patients as well as other patient's needs and have taken proactive actions to protect the Healthcare workers, patients and visitors...
 - It is expected that the Healthcare Institution contributed in building Community Awareness to fight the pandemic.
 - It is expected that the Healthcare Institution management has put in place new approaches to improve governance in time of crisis and implement new innovation to deliver quality services.
 - Each Healthcare Institution is only allowed for one submission.
 - Healthcare Institution and Health service providers (public or private) are allowed to submit an entry and should be submitted officially by the Hospital manager.
- The documents can be in PDF, word, PowerPoint or jpg file formats. Each documents should be Maximum 4 MB. And you can present also a video (optional) about your experience.



SURVEY

- In one Paragraph, Kindly write an overview about the Institution's experience and initiative with an outline about the specific goals achieved
- In Two Paragraph, kindly present the activity, service, or program demonstrate the Institution's Performance and the procedures of Institutions that were present to face this challenge and provided distinguished services for the patient.
- In one Paragraph, Kindly write how the Healthcare Institution management has put in place new approaches to improve governance in time of crisis and helped the government in confronting such pandemic.
- In one Paragraph, Kindly write how the Healthcare Institution implemented new innovation to deliver quality services.
- In Two Paragraph, Kindly write about the obstacles and challenges faced by the Healthcare Institution.
- In two Paragraph, Kindly write how the Healthcare Institution has taken tangible actions to use efficiently the scarce resources available (human, materials, financial, PPE)
- In two Paragraph, Write How the Management protected their staff and use all Accreditation Standards for the Safety of the Staff, Patient and Visitors, and applied an Infection Risk Management Program.
- In One paragraph, write how the Healthcare Institution contributed in building Community Awareness to fight the pandemic.
- Finally, in One paragraph, write how the Healthcare Institution contributed to the Researches & Development in the Medical Field.

You can send any Video relevant to your experience.

