MATANEL FOUNDATION

ACTIVITY REPORT

Program: Matanel Care - Cervical cancer screening and treatment for women without medical insurance in Israel

Year: 2024

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Number of active participants in the program: 1000

Estimated number of impacted participants: 4000 (the family members of the women in the program)

Give the actually state of the program (where the program stands at the date of the activity report, no more than ten lines): 1/12/2024

The program is now running for the last 3 years due to the generous donation of MATANEL. The program enables us in Veahavta Center to give the best optimal medical care for women who are not eligible to have medical insurance in Israel. The estimated people in this status in the northern part of Israel is about fifty thousand men and women. During the program more than two thousand women were screened and treated for cervical cancer, which can be a devastating and fatal disease.

The main achievements during the last year of activity (main achievements, number of events, number of participants, etc.): The main achievement is the medical procedures which were made to 1000 women, among them 40 women were diagnosed as having different stages of cervical cancer. All of the received the best medical procedures and are now under routine annual follow up by our gynecologists.

Forty lives were saved.

The evaluation (methodology, results, comparisons with the precedent year, conclusions for the future...): The program runs now routinely for the last three

years. Every woman in checked by a specialist gynecologist and a PAPsmear is sent to the lab. In the cases were some findings were detected the woman is sent to the gospital for further procedure to eliminate the affected area. On an annual basis the woman is invited to be checked in Veahavta Clinic.

Provisional guide lines for the advancement of the program in the next year: there are still several thousand of women deserve check who were never screened and are in danger to develop cervical cancer. If we get a proper grant Veahavta will continue the program.

Please join the Evaluation Report, the Financial Report and the list of the participants to the program (as PDF documents) – attached

Please join photos – as **JPG files** – and any link or any other document connected to the program which will seems to you relevant – as **PDF document**.

Please join a 5 minutes movie which presents your institution and the particular project supported by the Matanel Foundation. The movie should be accessible to the philanthropic world and to other potential donors.