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Application for Financial Support on constructing EBF Mother and Childcare Hospital with Emergency Medical Support to promote sustainable rural health in Bhederganj, Shariatpur, Bangladesh.

Dear Grant Committee,

With due respect, We Euro Bangla Foundation (EBF) writing this application to you for your kind financial support for our philanthropic project “EBF Mother and Childcare Hospital with Emergency Medical Support”. Your kind generosity and donation can save lives of 2.5 million rural inhabitants of Shariatpur area.

As per the World Bank 2019 Report Bangladesh is the seventh poorest country in the world with 166 million inhabitants as per 2019 (est. World Bank). Bangladesh is one of the most densely populated country in the world and it has an area of 147,570 SQ KM. Even though the country's economy is developing rapidly from the last two decades, still the development of livelihood accesses in rural areas of Bangladesh is still farfetched. Shariatpur district is the most backward and neglected in Bangladesh among the 64 districts. In this whole district there is no any good quality Hospital. That is the cause in this district Poor women, pregnant women and children are being deprived of treatment. Most of the people in the project area are illiterate and poor. Due to superstition & prejudice, lack of health & nutrition knowledge, illiteracy there is enhancement of population growth, ill health, malnutrition, high morbidity and mortality of women and children. A large number of women in the target area are deprived of their right to have access to basic health service that ensures safe motherhood. In the project areas the Government health care facilities are inadequate in proportion to dense population. During implementation of different activities in the community EBF identified numerous health problems of the target population. The current services in the district hospital are very poor and the target people do not have access to the government health facilities. There are many private clinics in the area but these are very expensive. From our observation in 2022 about twenty pregnant women died at the time of delivery during the same time frame which we considered as an alarming situation in the project area.

Under this project seeks to provide basic health care facilities such as, General Medicine, Pain Management, Hospital Admittance, ICU-CCU-HDU support. Apart from that the hospital will specialize on Mother and Child care, Respiratory, Transmitted diseases [HIV, Hepatitis B and C] and Cardio treatment to the rural population. The hospital is projected to serve roughly about 4,500 inpatients annually as well as 120,000 outpatients. The hospital is aimed at serving the need of the community and any profit or fund received will be re-invested to develop the infrastructure of hospital. In terms of medical fees, it will be segmented based on economic stability: Higher Class, Middle Class, Low earners. While we take a reasonable fee [market value minus the profit] from higher and middle class of the targeted area (85%), we allocated 15% of

our clients [Ultra Poor and Low Earners] will receive free treatment from our hospital. We EBF through our strong networking will ensure, that the physicians and specialist required to support this engagement will be available. They include full time salaried doctors, consultants on retainer ship basis and visiting consultants. The project involves construction of a 50 bed General Hospital in Bhederganj, Shariatpur which would also cover all nearby villages of this block where there are no primary health care centers. The hospital is estimated to have a built-up area of about 18,265 square feet on 1 acres of land, at an estimated total project cost of CHF 978,400.00 CHF that is to be funded by volunteers, supporters, grants and donations. The hospital will cater to the needs of the patients with 3 Out-Patient Consultation Rooms, 1 Operation Theatre, 1 Laboratory, 1 Radiology, 1 Chemists Shop, 3 ICU, 5 CCUS and 50 In-Patient Beds. This general hospital project is expected to be completed and ready for operations within 02 years from the commencement of the project. There is a need for a modern hospital providing affordable treatment to bridge the demand gap that is currently not addressed by the existing government, private and social sector hospital.

We already took some initiatives such as: Purchase of land, Soil Testing, Making the designated construction site climate resilient, Construction of modern road for transportation [construction truck, vehicles and ambulance] **but currently our project is on hold for the lack of finances. With your contribution, we will begin the construction of the hospital by June 2025 and open the hospital by the beginning of year 2027.** For that purpose, our construction budget is:

Target Population from the project:

The main focus of this project is to provide affordable medical services to the underprivileged pregnant women in the village targeting Women, Pregnant Women, Children including Paternal and Post-natal care and emergency medical services for Expectant Mothers, Infants, Newborn, Children and Adolescent Girls.

Besides Regular Patients including Elderly, Disabled, Patients with Chronic Disease and Regular Problems, Emergency Patients with Heart Disease, Heart attack, Stroke and other Health Problems have been targeted as part of general medical services.

In total 2.5 million local people of Shariatpur and surrounding districts (Preferably Shariatpur, Madaripur, Gopalganj, Munshiganj, Faridpur) will be directly benefitted from this project.

Construction Cost of the Project: Year 2025 and 2026 (First Floor and Second Floor)

SL	Budget Type	Discription of Materials	Qty	Amount CHF
1	Material Cost for Construction			
1.1		Land purchase and earth filling completed		
1.2		Brick (40,000 pcs) per Floor 1 thousand = CHF 120.-	80,000 Pcs	9,600.00
1.3		Iron Rod (40 Tonnen) per Floor 1 Ton = CHF 900.-	80 Tons (Rod) 1 Ton = 1000 KG	72,000.00
1.4		Cement (3500 bags) per Floor 1 bag = CHF 6.-	7000 Bags (Cement)	42,000.00
1.5		Sand Local (6000 feet) per Floor 1000 feet = CHF 450.-	12000 Feet (Local Sand)	5,400.00
1.6		Stone Sand (4000 feet) per Floor 1000 feet = CHF 800.-	8000 Feet (Stone Sand)	6,400.00
1.7		Small stone for Roof, Pillar & Vim (5000 feet) per Floor 1 feet = CHF 2.-	10000 Feet (Small stone)	20,000.00
1.8		Wooden work and Greel (1st and 2nd Floor)	(1st and 2nd Floor)	25,000.00
1.9		Safety Tanki & Sanitary work	(1st and 2nd Floor)	18,000.00
2.	Material Cost for Furnishing Hospital Building			
2.1		Electrical Goods and Watering system	(1st and 2nd Floor)	22,000.00
2.2		Distemper and others	(1st and 2nd Floor)	10,000.00
3	Personal Cost			
3.1		Labour Cost for Building and Engineer/Supervisor cost etc.	(1st and 2nd Floor)	67,000.00
	Total Cost of Construction			297,400.00

Requesting Budget for the Project: CHF 297,400.00 (For the Year 2025/26)

The detailed budget can be found in the project profile budget section, pages 34 – 36

Euro Bangla Foundations Progress so far regarding “EBF Mother and Child Care Hospital”

Architectural Design:

We already developed the final architectural design with collaboration of VENNA Architectural Company. Some pictures of the proposed final design given the following. With expert architects we envision to build modern hospital which can be seen around Europe. We believe with modern equipment and architectural design; this hospital will motivate the rural population to avoid medical malpractices and come take our quality medical services in cheap price.



Proposed and Finalized Design for Euro Bangla Mother and Childcare Hospital

Climate Resilient Steps:

The geographical location of Shariatpur makes it prone to many disasters mainly flood during the monsoon season. To prevent water clogging situation and making easy access to our patients, we made the construction area higher, construct modern and strong road for easy access. To ensure our project is not harming the environment we already conducted soil test and it has given us positive results. We can submit the documents of the soil test if it is necessary for clarification purposes. With funding from our respected Donors/Benefactors, we are confident that we can start our construction procedure in the upcoming Month of June, 2025

Purchasing Of the Land:

Euro Bangla Foundation has already purchased the land for the construction of their EBF Specialized Hospital. Attempts are being made to authorize funds for land repairs, soil tests and further initials.



Purchased Land for EBF Specialized Hospital

Road Construction:

Under the supervision of Euro Bangla Foundation, the construction of the road in front of the hospital is going on so that there are no obstacles in the construction of the hospital and safe movement of ambulances and patients can be ensured after the construction of the hospital.



Current Project Expenditure by Euro Bangla Foundation:

SI No	Description	Amount	Remarks
01	Purchase of Land, Soil Testing, Climate resilience approaches	30,000 CHF	Completed
02	Architectural Design, Community Awareness, Research, Consultants for Project, Formulation of Proposal and Strategies, Documentation Cost	15,000 CHF	Completed
03	Road Construction for Hospital Entry	27,000 CHF	Completed
04	Total Amount	72,000 CHF	Funds Generated by Chairman, Previous Partners and Profits generated from other projects

We would like to request your financial assistance in providing this opportunity to initiate EBF Mother and Child Care Hospital with Emergency Support: Development and Implementation of Rural Public Health: Program. Your kind contribution and active participation would be greatly appreciated.

I would be very happy to have a personal conversation about the project and our organizations.

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