

Original FOIA Number: 2003-0262-F

2nd FOIA Number:

3rd FOIA Number:

4th FOIA Number:

5th FOIA Number:

FOIA MARKER

**This is not a textual record. This is used as an
administrative marker by the George Bush Presidential
Library Staff.**

Record Group:	Bush Presidential Records
Office:	Records Management, White House Office of (WHORM)
Series:	Subject File - General
Scanned/Unscanned:	Scanned

WHORM Category Code:	ME002
WHORM Category Name:	Messages (Sent to Groups/Organizations)

Document Number:	245876
Alpha File Name:	

ID #

245876

ME002

WHITE HOUSE CORRESPONDENCE TRACKING WORKSHEET

☐ O - OUTGOING☐ H - INTERNAL☐ I - INCOMING

Date Correspondence Received (YY/MM/DD) 91/05/30

Name of Correspondent: Howard Parmet

☐ MI Mail Report

User Codes: (A) _____ (B) _____ (C) _____

Subject: Request a message stating Bush's support of ARMDI, Israel's red cross service October 13, 1991

ROUTE TO:

ACTION

DISPOSITION

Office/Agency	(Staff Name)	Action Code	Tracking Date YY/MM/DD	Type of Response	Code	Completion Date YY/MM/DD
pm DEHA		DJ	91/06/12	DJ	A	91/10/20
CO BELL		A	91/06/12	SMG-5 sent	A	91/09/20
			/ /			/ /
			/ /			/ /
			/ /			/ /
			/ /			/ /

ACTION CODES:

A - Appropriate Action
C - Comment/Recommendation
D - Draft Response
F - Furnish Fact Sheet
to be used as Enclosure

I - Info Copy Only/No Action Necessary
R - Direct Reply w/Copy
S - For Signature
X - Interim Reply

DISPOSITION CODES:

A - Answered
B - Non-Special Referral
C - Completed
S - Suspended

FOR OUTGOING CORRESPONDENCE:

Type of Response = Initials of Signer
Code = "A"
Completion Date = Date of Outgoing

Comments: _____

Keep this worksheet attached to the original incoming letter.
Send all routing updates to Central Reference (Room 75, OEOB).
Always return completed correspondence record to Central Files.
Refer questions about the correspondence tracking system to Central Reference, ext. 2590.

RECORDS MANAGEMENT ONLY

CLASSIFICATION SECTION

No. of Additional
Correspondents: _____ Media: _____ Individual Codes: _____

Prime
Subject Code: _____ - _____ Secondary
Subject Codes: _____ - _____
_____ - _____
_____ - _____

PRESIDENTIAL REPLY

Code	Date	Comment	Form
C _____	_____	Time: _____	P- _____
DSP _____	_____	Time: _____	Media: _____

SIGNATURE CODES:

CPn - Presidential Correspondence
n - 0 - Unknown
n - 1 - George Herbert Walker Bush
n - 2 - George Bush
n - 3 - George

CLn - First Lady's Correspondence
n - 1 - Barbara Bush
n - 2 - Barbara
n - 3 - Bar
n - 4 - Mrs. Barbara Bush

CBn - Presidential & First Lady's Correspondence
n - 1 - Barbara & George Bush
n - 2 - Barbara & George

MEDIA CODES:

B - Box/package
C - Copy
D - Official document
G - Message
H - Handcarried
L - Letter
M - Mailgram
O - Memo
P - Photo
R - Report
S - Sealed
T - Telegram
V - Telephone
X - Miscellaneous
Y - Study

Time for T.D.?

yes! SEP - 3 1991
cc



ARMDI

AMERICAN RED MAGEN DAVID for ISRAEL *

6404 Wilshire Boulevard
Suite 1240
Los Angeles, CA 90048
(213) 655-1582
(800) 323-2371
Fax: (213) 655-5692

Pacific Southwest Region

PRESIDENT

Adrienne Lassman

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Howard Parmet

May 30, 1991

The Honorable George Bush
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

RE: ARMDI's Year of the Humanitarian

Dear Mr. President:

American Red Magen David for Israel (ARMDI), the sole support arm in the United States of Magen David Adom (MDA), Israel's Red Cross Service, is launching an intensive, humanitarian awareness campaign this year. This effort, conducted largely through educational and community agencies, will focus on recognizing and promoting strength in humanitarianism. In the Fall, ARMDI will host a gala event in Los Angeles, highlighting the campaign in the entertainment community as well. The October 13th event will be entitled "Israel's Red Cross Service Salutes People Helping People."

As you are aware, even in these strained economic times, when relief agencies worldwide called repeatedly for emergency aid for Kurdish refugees, earthquake victims, and the sick and homeless survivors in Bangladesh, Americans from all walks of life rose to the occasion. As an apolitical, non-sectarian, humanitarian agency, MDA provides emergency relief not only in Israel, but joins with the many other international relief agencies to assist nations devastated by natural disasters and epidemics, or who simply cannot meet the needs of their people (see enclosed List of International Aid). This has included emergency earthquake relief to Turkey, Mexico City, Soviet Armenia and Georgia, and most recently, an unprecedented emergency effort on behalf of Kurdish refugees on the Turkish border with Iraq.

As our distinguished President, and champion of humanitarian values, we respectfully request your support of this campaign, joining with ARMDI in saluting the individuals who, through volunteerism and generosity, continue to make possible the miracles brought about by People Helping People. We would appreciate your participation in this campaign through a written communication stating your support and lending your name. This support, and any other involvement which you deem appropriate, will enhance the impact of the campaign, and motivate our young people to perpetuate the values of People Helping People for generations to come.



Honorable George Bush
May 30, 1991
Page Two

Enclosed please find an informational package for your review. In the meantime, we thank you for your consideration, and look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Howard Parmet
Executive Director

HP/lct
Encl.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
ORM OPTICAL DISK NETWORK

ID# 245876

_____ Hardcopy pages are in poor condition (too light or too dark)

_____ Remainder of case not scanned.

_____ Oversize attachment not scanned.

_____ Report not scanned.

✓ _____ Enclosure(s) not scanned.

_____ Proclamation not scanned.

_____ Incoming letters(s) not scanned.

_____ Proposal not scanned.

_____ Statement not scanned.

_____ Duplicate letters attached - not scanned.

_____ Only table of contents scanned.

_____ No incoming letter attached.

_____ Only tracking sheet scanned.

_____ Photo(s) not scanned.

_____ Bill not scanned.

Comments:

The background of the entire image consists of a series of parallel diagonal stripes in light gray and white. Overlaid on the upper left portion of this background is a large, stylized Magen David (Star of David). The star is composed of two overlapping triangles, with the central area being a solid red color. The outer points of the star are formed by the stripes of the background, creating a sense of depth and movement.

**AMERICAN
RED MAGEN
DAVID FOR
ISRAEL**

To save a human life is the most tangible of good works. In turn, tangible resources — ambulances, equipment, buildings, and money — must be where they're needed to save lives.

Since 1930, Magen David Adom (MDA) has been saving lives and improving health throughout Israel. Israel's emergency, blood, ambulance and disaster response organization has a comprehensive and growing mission in Israel and throughout the world.

**LIFESAVING HELP
WHERE IT'S NEEDED
WHEN IT'S NEEDED**

ARMDI — American Red Magen David for Israel — helps make it possible for MDA to fulfill this vital mission. ARMDI efficiently raises funds and resources here in the Pacific Southwest to save lives in Israel.

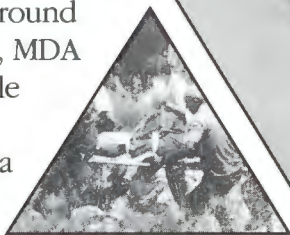
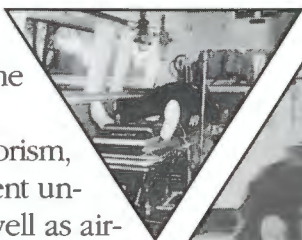


MDA — Israel's 'Second Line of Defense'

Israel's "second line of defense" is MDA's sophisticated emergency medical response capability.

MDA mobilizes in the event of war, terrorism, and violent unrest, as well as airport and natural disasters. Around the clock, MDA is available from Beersheba to Kiryat Shmona, and Tel Aviv to the West Bank.

MDA, never selective about the people it helps, is *strictly* humanitarian, non-sectarian, and apolitical. It provides services without regard to race, creed or ethnic background.



MAGEN DAVID ADOM



Many Needs To Be Met

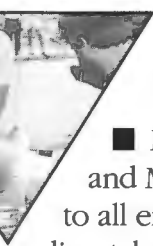
MDA meets urgent needs in Israel:

- MDA's blood services supply 85% of the blood required by all of



Israel's hospitals, and 100% of the blood for the Israel Defense Forces. This includes collecting voluntary blood donations with MDA bloodmobiles, and efficient processing and distribution by

MDA's state-of-the-art National Blood Service Center in Ramat Gan.

- 
- More than 600 MDA ambulances and Mobile Intensive Care Units respond to all emergency calls throughout Israel, dispatched from nearly 250 MDA Pre-Hospital Emergency Care Centers and sub-stations. A growing emergency communications network throughout Israel allows MDA to rapidly respond when and where needed.

MDA - PROVIDING ISRAEL'S EMERGENCY



■ More than 50,000 people, including all high school students, taxi and bus drivers, learn first aid from MDA every year in Israel.

■ Thousands of mothers-to-be are transported to hospitals by MDA ambulances, and more than a few mothers safely deliver their babies en route.

■ Elderly shut-ins and the homebound can immediately summon aid with MDA's state-of-the-art emergency push-button service, KESHEV.

■ MDA's YTTAV program maintains regular contact with elderly shut-ins to assure they receive proper care.

■ MDA provides emergency medical services to travelers and visitors in Israel.

■ Swimmers enjoy Israel's beaches under the watchful eye of MDA lifeguards.

■ A strong sense of responsibility has led MDA to send aid and personnel to more than 44 other nations in need of medicine, equipment, supplies and training during natural disasters.



Efficient structures

Of necessity, MDA relies largely on volunteers of all ages to augment its paid staff. More than 5,000 of these, including physicians, nurses and drivers, assist to form MDA's support system.

The Pacific Southwest Region of ARMDI matches MDA's efficiency with its own sensible structure. The vast majority of resources raised by ARMDI in Southern California, Nevada and Arizona are rushed directly where they're needed — Israel.

In fact, ARMDI, a national organization operating throughout the U.S., is MDA's sole source of support in America.

No other organization in Israel has a more clear or compelling mission than Magen David Adom. No act of *tzedakah* is more compelling than your support of the organization that saves lives in Israel.

**AMERICAN RED
FOR ISRAEL – SO
SUPPORT IN
MAGEN DA**



How You Can Help

You can select from a number of ways to make your commitment, such as donating cash or securities, or by including ARMDI in bequests, living trusts, and insurance policies.

**SOLE SOURCE OF
THE U.S. FOR
MAGEN DAVID ADOM**

Tangible Gifts

You may also choose a more tangible manner in which to help MDA.

Your purchase of an ambulance, mobile intensive care unit (MICU), bloodmobile or other specialized equipment in honor or memory of a loved one is needed to better respond to Israel's growing needs. (Our Regional Office maintains a current list of the most needed items).

All donations are tax deductible.

Help Magen David Adom deliver urgently needed emergency medical help to Israel. We invite you to become involved with the region's Board of Directors, or in an ARMDI chapter near you. Please call the Pacific Southwest Region of ARMDI at (213) 655-1582 or (800) 323-2371 today.



**AMERICAN RED
MAGEN DAVID
FOR ISRAEL**

Pacific Southwest Region

6404 Wilshire Boulevard

Suite 1240

Los Angeles, CA 90048

213/655-1582

800/323-2371

FAX 213/655-5692



6404 Wilshire Boulevard
Suite 1240
Los Angeles, CA 90048
(213) 655-1582
(800) 323-2371
Fax: (213) 655-5692

AMERICAN RED MAGEN DAVID for ISRAEL*

Pacific Southwest Region

FACT SHEET

MAGEN DAVID ADOM

AMERICAN RED MAGEN DAVID FOR ISRAEL (ARMDI)

Organization Name: Magen David Adom (MDA) pronounced "mah-GHEN da-VEED a-DOME"

English Translation: "Red Shield of David"

Support Organization in United States:

American Red Magen David for Israel (ARMDI)

MDA Established: June 7, 1930

"Whoever Saves One Life Is Said To Have Saved The Entire World"

(Talmud, Sanhedrin 70)

MDA Description:

- ☐ MDA is strictly humanitarian, non-sectarian, and apolitical, providing services without regard to race, creed or ethnic background.
- ☐ MDA is Israel's emergency, blood, ambulance and medical/disaster response service.
- ☐ MDA sends aid and personnel to other nations in need of medicine, equipment, supplies and training during natural disasters (more than 44 other nations have been assisted by MDA).
- ☐ About 5,000 physicians, nurses, drivers and other volunteers augment MDA's small paid staff.
- ☐ MDA mobilizes in the event of war, terrorism, and violent unrest, as well as airport and natural disasters.

ARMDI Description:

- ☐ ARMDI is MDA's sole source of support in the U.S.A.
- ☐ ARMDI is a tax exempt organization as specified under Section 501 (c) 3 of the Internal Revenue Code. All donations to ARMDI are tax deductible, as provided by Section 170 (b) (1) (A).
- ☐ ARMDI in U.S.A. is divided into regions.

MDA and the World:

MDA has had a long term working relationship with both the International Committee of the Red Cross, and the American Red Cross.

MDA Services in Israel:

- ☐ operates more than 500 ambulances and mobile intensive care units (MICUs) that respond to all emergency calls throughout Israel
- ☐ operates 47 Pre-Hospital Emergency Care Centers and sub-stations
- ☐ operates a growing emergency communications network throughout Israel
- ☐ processes and furnishes 100% of blood needed by Israel Defense Forces
- ☐ processes and furnishes 85% of blood needed by all of Israel's hospitals
- ☐ provides first aid training to high school students, taxi, bus drivers and fire brigade units
- ☐ transports mothers-to-be to hospitals, safely delivers some babies en route
- ☐ operates state-of-the-art emergency push-button service, allowing elderly shut-ins and the homebound to immediately summon aid
- ☐ trains lifeguards at Israeli beaches

Total MDA Vehicles:

Standard Ambulances	417
MICUs	41
Mobile First Aid Field Units	23
Bloodmobiles	20
Total	531

Total Patients Transported in 1990: 241,360

Total Miles Covered by Lifesaving Fleet per Year: approx. 4 million miles
Total Units of Blood, Fresh Blood Components Supplied to Hospitals & IDF 1990: 338,359
MDA Headquarters: Tel Aviv, Israel
MDA National Blood Service Center: Ramat Gan, Israel (near Tel Aviv)
Sources of MDA Development Funds: Primarily donations collected by voluntary support organizations around the world

Pacific Southwest Region: Headquarters: 6404 Wilshire Blvd.,
Suite 1240
Los Angeles, CA 90048
213/655-1582
FAX 213/655-5692

ARMDI Pacific Southwest Region: Officials: Howard Parmet,
Executive Director
Adrienne Lassman,
President

Pacific Southwest Region: Southern California,
Nevada and Arizona

Other MDA Friends Societies:

Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Colombia, Ecuador, Finland, France, Great Britain, Holland, Italy, New Zealand, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland, Uruguay, Venezuela, W. Germany.

Kurdish relief donations sought

By Lori Moody
Daily News Staff Writer

The American Red Cross and other relief agencies are accepting donations to help Kurdish refugees fleeing Iraqi President Saddam Hussein's army.

The money collected by the Red Cross will be used to buy food, tents, blankets and medical supplies, representatives said.

"We are working with the Department of Defense to get things there," said Steve Baird, a spokesman with the American Red Cross national headquarters in Washington, D.C.

Relief agencies estimate that thousand of refugees have died, many from preventable diseases, in their attempts to escape Iraq, according to published reports. Refugees began fleeing the country when Hussein's forces moved to reclaim control over the Kurdish region after the Persian Gulf War.

The United Nations, the Red Cross and its Islamic counterpart, the Red Crescent, have appealed for \$700 million in aid. The International Red Cross at the Turkish and Iranian border is setting up camps to care for the refugees, Baird said.

Checks and money orders can be sent to local chapters of the American Red Cross in care of the Kurdistan Relief. The San Fernando Valley office is located at 14717 Sherman Way, Van Nuys, 91405. Further information is available by calling (818) 376-1700.

Monetary donations also can be sent to the Red Cross national headquarters at P.O. Box 37243, Washington, D.C. 20013.

A toll-free number has been set up to accept donations by credit card, said Pamela Corante, spokeswoman for the agency's Los Angeles chapter. Those who wish to use



Thousands of Kurdish refugees reportedly have died, many from preventable diseases, while attempting to escape Iraq.

MasterCard, Visa or American Express can call (800) 842-2200.

Magen David Adom, Israel's Red Cross Service, also is providing aid to refugees, said Howard Parmet, executive director of the Pacific Southwest region of the American Red Magen David for Israel (ARMDI), the organization's fund-raising group.

"Jews born of the Holocaust are assisting Kurds to prevent another holocaust," he said.

Checks can be made out to ARMDI and sent to 6404 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1240, Los Angeles, CA 90048. The envelope should be directed to Kurdish Emergency c/o ARMDI.

The Salvation Army is collecting 10,000 blankets nationwide to be air-dropped by the U.S. Air Force. New or clean and folded blankets can be taken to any Salvation Army facility or Los Angeles city or county fire stations.

Salvation Army facilities, including the downtown collection site at 927 Francisco St., will be open to receive all blankets from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Friday.

Cash donations should be made out to the Salvation Army and mailed to 900 W. Ninth St., Los Angeles, CA 90015.

The Salvation Army collection effort for Kurdish refugees began Tuesday and will continue for approximately seven days.

Associated Press



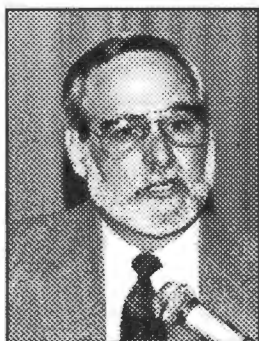
6404 Wilshire Boulevard
Suite 1240
Los Angeles, CA 90048
(213) 655-1582
(800) 323-2371
Fax: (213) 655-5692

AMERICAN RED MAGEN DAVID for ISRAEL *

Pacific Southwest Region

BIOGRAPHY

HOWARD PARMET



Howard Parmet has been the Executive Director of the Pacific Southwest Region of American Red Magen David For Israel (ARMDI) since May, 1989. For the 18 years prior to joining ARMDI, Parmet held various executive positions with American Jewish institutions and organizations in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Parmet is a frequent speaker at many synagogues, Jewish community federations and college campuses.

He received his Bachelors degree in International Relations from the University of Minnesota, and his Masters degree in Social Work from Yeshiva University in New York.

Parmet lives in Culver City, CA, with his wife of 23 years, Corky, and their two children, Barry and Dana.



MAGEN DAVID ADOM

ISRAEL'S RED CROSS SERVICE IN ACTION



Courtesy Reuters/Reitmann

The tragic plight of Kurdish refugees fleeing Saddam Hussein's regime after Iraq suffered defeat in the Gulf War, was the focus of international attention. Many thousands perished in the mountains near the Turkish and Iranian borders before relief services were able to reach them.



MDA responded to the emergency by sending millions of dollars in medical and humanitarian supplies to be distributed to the Kurdish refugees by the Turkish Red Crescent Society. MDA teams loaded supplies onto an Israeli Air Force jet to facilitate delivery to those in need. ARMDI, the American support arm of MDA, worked closely with the Kurdish community in Los Angeles and MDA in Israel to coordinate this effort.

American Red Magen David for Israel (ARMDI): MDA's sole source of support in the United States.



MAGEN DAVID ADOM

ISRAEL'S RED CROSS SERVICE IN ACTION



MDA offers expert training in emergency survival techniques to both volunteers and civilians in Israel. MDA teams are pictured at a briefing using gas masks and other special equipment.



MDA, Israel's sole emergency response organization, dispatched rescue teams to the sites of Iraqi Scud attacks in Israel during the Gulf War. With ambulances and immediate emergency medical services, MDA saved lives and assisted the injured and homeless.

American Red Magen David for Israel (ARMDI): MDA's sole source of support in the United States.



MAGEN DAVID ADOM

ISRAEL'S RED CROSS SERVICE IN ACTION



In the aftermath of Rumania's bloody December 1989 revolution which brought down the brutal regime of President Ceaucescu, hospitals were filled with the wounded, and with sick and dying orphaned children. MDA emergency assistance to the Rumanian people included medical and other relief supplies.



Courtesy Reuters/Bellmann

When a catastrophic earthquake devastated Mexico City in 1985, MDA responded with medical teams, blood, electronic search equipment, search dogs, field hospitals and labs, and medicine.

American Red Magen David for Israel (ARMDI): MDA's sole source of support in the United States.



ARMADI AMERICAN RED MAGEN DAVID for ISRAEL *

6404 Wilshire Boulevard
Suite 1240
Los Angeles, CA 90048
(213) 655-1582
(800) 323-2371
Fax: (213) 655-5692

Pacific Southwest Region

CHRONOLOGY OF INTERNATIONAL AID BY MAGEN DAVID ADOM

Date	Country	Event/Disaster	MDA Relief Sent
1991	Turkey	Kurdish refugees	clothing, blankets, medicine
1989	Rumania	Revolution	emergency medical care
1988	Armenia	Earthquake	emergency medical teams, blood, electronic search equipment, search dogs, field hospital, field lab, medicine
1985	Mexico City	Earthquake	same as above
1985	Kenya	Famine	food, medicine, field kitchens
	Columbia	Volcanic Eruption	medicine, surgical dressings
1984	Swaziland	Floods	medicine
1983	Ecuador	Floods	antibiotics, medical supplies
	Paraguay	Floods	medicine
1982	Bolivia	Floods	medicine, IV fluids
1981	Greece	Earthquake	tents, blankets, medicine
1980	Italy	Earthquake	tents, beds, blankets, clothing, medicine, food, first aid kits
	Nepal	Earthquake	medicine
	Haiti	Hurricane	antibiotics
1979	Thailand	Cambodian	medical team, refugees medicine, medical equipment
1977	Rumania	Earthquake	1.5 tons of antibiotics, vitamins, medical supplies
1976	Turkey	Earthquake	food, blankets
	Ecuador	Earthquake	antibiotics, medical equipment
	Philippines	Floods	medicine

Date	Country	Event/Disaster	MDA Relief Sent
	Italy	Earthquake	tents, beds, blankets
	Guatemala	Earthquake	medicine, food
1975	India/Thailand	on request of Thai Red Cross	soya, vitamins, antibiotics, anti-DPT vaccine
1974	Nepal	Floods	vitamins, antibiotics
	Honduras	Hurricane	financial aid
	Cyprus	Civil War	15 tons of food, 5.5 tons medical equipment, medicine, blood, plasma
	Brazil	Floods	medicine, vitamins
	Paraguay	Floods	medicine, vitamins
	Bolivia	Floods	medicine, vitamins
1973	Upper Volta	Drought	financial aid
	Madagascar	Flood	medical equipment
1972	Nicaragua	Earthquake	antibiotics
	Cambodia	War	medicine, vitamins
	Philippines	Floods	medicine
	Haiti	Floods	financial aid
	Philippines	Floods	antibiotics, medicine, protein food
	Dahomey	Cholera epidemic	antibiotics, sera, transfusion sets
	Indonesia	Health project of Medical Students Society	medical supplies
	Ethiopia	Plane crash	plasma
1971	Bangladesh	Refugees	medicine, vitamins
	India	Refugees/Flood	food
	India	Cholera epidemic	anti-cholera vaccine, antibiotics
	Turkey	Earthquake	medicine, vitamins, food, blankets
	Dahomey	Cholera epidemic	medicine, sera, transfusion sets
1970	Costa Rica	Floods	medicine, vitamins, milk, blankets
	Columbia	Floods	same
	Nepal	Floods	medicine, vitamins
	Cambodia	War	antibiotics
	Indonesia	for Medical Students Society	medicine
	Peru	Earthquake	medicine
	Rumania	Floods	food, vitamins, medicine
	Cameroon	Political turmoil	medicine

Date	Country	Event/Disaster	MDA Relief Sent
1970	Turkey	Earthquake	plasma, transfusion sets, blankets, milk, vitamins, antibiotics
	Niger	Meningitis Epidemic	first aid, medical epidemic equipment, antibiotics
	Ethiopia		blood grouping equipment for Jewish community
	Nicaragua	Fire	medicine, vitamins
	Togo	Ghanaian refugees	medicine
1969	Nigeria	Political turmoil	medicine, vitamins, plasma, transfusion sets
	Nigeria	Political turmoil	antibiotics
	S. Africa	Earthquake	financial aid
	Nigeria	Political turmoil	textiles, clothing
	Honduras/El Salvador	War	vitamins, antibiotics, surgical instruments
1968	Guatemala	Landslide, Floods	plasma, antibiotics
	Madagascar	Cyclone	food, vitamins, medicine
	Biafra	Famine	food, medical supplies
	Ghana	Floods	medicine, medical instruments
	Biafra	Famine/Epidemics	plasma, transfusion sets, gamma globulin, Camoquin tablets, medical team
1967	Iran	Earthquake	plasma, transfusion sets, blankets, food, medical supplies
	Costa Rica	Volcanic Eruption	same
	Biafra	Famine/Epidemics	children's clothing, 13 tons medicine, protein & food, gamma globulin, plasma, transfusion sets
	Biafra	Famine/Epidemics	5 tons food, medicine, gamma globulin, transfusion sets
	Bolivia	Floods	medicine, vitamins
	Mauritius	Hurricane	baby food
	Italy	Earthquake	clothing, blankets, food, medical supplies
	Venezuela	Earthquake	plasma, transfusion sets
	Turkey	Earthquake	same
	Columbia	Earthquake	same
1966	Italy	Floods	same, blankets, clothing, food
	Turkey	Earthquake	plasma, transfusion sets, blankets
	Brazil	Tropical storm	plasma, transfusion sets
	Yugoslavia	Refugees	blankets

Date	Country	Event/Disaster	MDA Relief Sent
1965	Turkey	Measles epidemic	gamma globulin
1964	Zanzibar	Political turmoil	plasma, transfusion sets
1963	Cuba	Hurricane	same
	Brazil	Fire	same
	Yugoslavia	Earthquake	same
1962	India	Border incident	same
	Thailand	Storms	medicine
	Iran	Earthquake	blankets, plasma, transfusion sets, vitamins, medicine
	Yugoslavia	Earthquake	blankets
	Somalia	Floods	vitamins
1961	India	Floods	medicine
	Nepal	Political turmoil	same
	Laos	Political turmoil	same
	Burma	Floods	blankets
	Turkey	Children's Hospital Fire	various articles
	Congo	Refugees	vitamins, medicine
1960	Chile	Earthquake	plasma, transfusion sets, blankets
	Brazil	Floods	children's clothing, antibiotics
1959	France	Floods	financial aid
	Japan	Typhoon	medical supplies, antibiotics
	Argentina	Floods	financial aid
	Madagascar	Floods	medical supplies
	Brazil	Floods	financial aid
	Uruguay	Floods	antibiotics, milk, blankets
	Cuba	Civil War	plasma
1958	Ceylon	Floods	medical supplies
1957	Iran	Floods	tents, blankets, plasma, transfusion sets
	Japan	Floods	blankets
1956	Hungary	Uprising	medicine, first aid supplies
	Australia	Floods	financial aid
	Mexico	Floods	same
1955	Algeria	Earthquake	medicine, blankets

Date	Country	Event/Disaster	MDA Relief Sent
1954	Greece	Earthquake	medicine, blankets, clothing
1953	Greece	Earthquake	same
	Holland	Floods	same
1952	Philippines	Volcanic eruption	financial aid
	Italy	Floods	same
1950	Shanghai	Jewish refugees	food, clothing, money
1949	Cyprus	Jewish refugees	relief mission
1945	Germany/Poland	Jewish displaced persons	medicine, first aid supplies
	Greece	Refugees	medical mission, ambulances & equipment
World War II	Germany	Allied POWs	clothing, food, money
World War II	U.S.S.R.		two mobile operating units
1941-42	Yugoslavia	Allied POWs	medicine, first aid supplies
1939	Turkey	Earthquake	medicine, first aid supplies, blankets