## Report

## 'AUDIOLOGY TRAINING PROGRAM 2019 - HASHIM WELFARE HOSPITAL'

## March 23, 2019

The AUDIOLOGY TRAINING PROGRAM, which was canceled in November 2018 due to the tense security situation, was held from 16-22 March 2019 at HASHIM WELFARE HOSPITAL.

The goal of the one-week training sessions to be carried out annualy in 2019-2021 is to train the staff of the hospital in theory and practice in such a way, that from 2022 the examination of the hearing impaired, the supply of hearing aids and the follow-up care will be performed by the hospital independently.





Maryam and Nadeem were first taught basic knowledge of the physics of sound and the anatomy of the hearing apparatus by Michael Eggers.





Then 'on a living object' - Michael Eggers bravely 'made his ears available' – taking an imprint of the external auditory canal was practiced.





In the next step, the theoretical basics were practically implemented in audiometry.

At the end of the week, HJ Gerber, after a theoretical and practical final exam, handed Maryam and Nadeem a diploma in basic knowledge and basic skills for a hearing care professional in recognition of their willingness to learn and the skills and abilities shown.





We expect the two young people, after working together during the next two free ear camps and the next two stages of the AUDIOMETRY TRAINING PROGRAM in 2020 and 2021, to be prepared for their independent work so that the hospital will make them responsible for auditing the hearing impaired, making earmolds, programming and customizing hearing aids and aftercare.

The week was also used by HJ Gerber to improve the conditions for cleanliness and hygiene in the hospital and the organization of the management of the hospital.





Additional cleaning staff was hired, the necessary cleaning materials purchased and procedures of careful cleaning shown and practiced.

## Visit to the SAYA SCHOOL MAIRA AKKU on March 16, 2019

During a visit to the SAYA SCHOOL MAIRA AKKU, another 6 of the 18 laptops provided by labdoo org were handed over tot he head of the Computer Lab.





Funded with donations and supported by Pelikan / Herlitz, writing utensils were purchased for all 720 students.



During the last visit the urgent need for the construction of 6 toilets for the now 720 students was determined. We were now able to make the decision fort he construction of the toilets. The first 1,000, - of the required 2,000, - Euro were handed over to Mr. and Mrs. Yamin.

In the meantime due to two generous donations from Lions Club Angeln (GERMANY) all the funds for the program are available.

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