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## **Press Release**

### **Japan Supports URDA's Medical Centers in Mount Lebanon**

The Embassy of Japan provided ultrasound machines to URDA (Union of Relief and Development Associations)'s medical facilities in in Aramoun and Burj El Barajneh, in order to enhance the quality of medical services in the areas.

On the occasion of the project completion, on February 6 2018, H.E. Mr. Matahiro Yamaguchi, Ambassador of Japan to Lebanon, attended the inauguration ceremony organized by URDA, a local NGO that provides various support to Syrian refugees and vulnerable Lebanese.

During the ceremony, Ambassador Yamaguchi reiterated Japan's strong commitments to support Lebanese host communities and Syrian refugees, and applauded URDA's effort in helping people in need. Meanwhile, Dr. Abdullah Omari, General Manager for Medical Facilities of URDA, expressed his deep appreciation for Japanese support to the organization and Lebanese people.

With the new ultrasound machines provided to the medical centers through the Grant Assistance for Grass-roots Human Security Program (GGP), around 10,000 residents in Aramoun and Burj El Barajneh will receive the improved medical services.