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Benjamin Netanyahu, the Prime Minister of Israel, arrived today (Tuesday) at the Magen David Adom vaccination drive in Acre, which operates as part of the national vaccination campaign - “Give a Shoulder”. During his visit, Netanyahu met with MDA Director General Eli Bin, MDA vaccinators staff and the citizens who came to be vaccinated.

The MDA Director General presented to the Prime Minister, Magen David Adom’s activities in the vaccination complexes open to the general public, the vaccination project in the workplace and the MDA special vaccination trailer through which MDA makes a great effort to make the vaccines accessible and allow as many people as possible to be vaccinated. In addition, he thanked the Prime Minister for the great trust that Magen David Adom receives from the government in the days of the Corona.

MDA Director General Eli Bin: “I congratulate the Prime Minister, Mr. Netanyahu, for dedicating his time and effort to visiting our vaccination complex in Acre. We are pleased with the support and assistance from Netanyahu and the Israeli government and will continue to fight the Coronavirus over the past year. In order to return to a blessed routine of life. I call on all Israeli citizens - come and get vaccinated soon.”

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu: “I would like to thank MDA Director General Eli Bin and the excellent team. Thank you very much. We must make the extra effort to vaccinate the 50+ age group first, but also the young people. We are about to defeat the pandemic but still in competition with the virus and the mutation. We will be the first country in the world to come out of the corona. An additional effort and we will come out of it together and come back to life. Go get vaccinated!”





Kiryat Motzkin Shows Appreciation for Magen David Adom

The mayor inaugurated Magen David Adom Square

On Sunday, an inauguration ceremony of Magen David Adom Square on Hasmonean Street near the MDA station in Kiryat Motzkin was held, in the presence of Deputy Health Minister MK Yoav Kish, Mayor Haim Tzuri, Mayor Yariv Gesser, MDA Director General Eli Bin and other dignitaries.

The Kiryat Motzkin Municipality initiated the special tribute, as a sign of appreciation for the organization's work during the coronavirus crisis to honor the Magen David Adom teams who have been at the forefront of the national fight against the pandemic for the past year. The MDA station in Kiryat Motzkin is the second largest in the Carmel region and serves all residents of the Kiryat Motzkin and surrounding areas.

Haim Tzuri, the mayor, said during the ceremony: "MDA is the organization that fights at the front, its people conduct Corona field tests at risk of infection, treatment of car accidents and patients and all during this challenging time and the most severe health crisis the country has seen. For this, the organization, its employees and volunteers deserve immense appreciation."

Deputy Health Minister MK Yoav Kish: "You could not find a better place for a square that really expresses appreciation and respect for MDA

than this square that is so close to the Magen David Adom station in the city. Let's stop for a moment to say thank you to MDA. I think this is definitely important and necessary. As someone who is involved in the management of the health system in the State of Israel, MDA's contribution to the fight against Corona and dedication to the health of the citizens of the State of Israel is something that is difficult to describe. MDA is an experienced and leading partner of the entire health system and you deserve applause from everyone for the day-to-day, ongoing, challenging work, including the risk of infection. If there is one organization in the State of Israel that needs to be taken on special missions, I know I can trust is Magen David Adom. Thank you very much for all the work you have been doing."

Eli Bin, MDA Director General: "On behalf of the entire organization, our employees and volunteers, I would like to thank Haim Tzuri and the people of the municipality, who chose this exciting gesture, I am sure that every MDA employee who walks around the square will feel proud. The public show of appreciation gives us strength and we will continue to stand strong before every challenge along the way. I sincerely hope that we are at the beginning of the end of the Corona crisis."





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Eli Bin, Director General of MDA: "I thank you for the honor and respect shown to Magen David Adom in this special event, and I thank the mayor, my friend Haim Tzuri, for his work for MDA, which ultimately leads to the best health services for Kiryat Motzkin and residents of the surrounding area.

On Sunday morning MDA Director General was awarded the Distinguished Citizen Award for the organization's activities during the Coronavirus crisis. The award was presented during the dedication of Magen David Adom Square in Kiryat Motzkin in the presence of Deputy Health Minister MK Yoav Kish, Mayor Haim Tzuri and other dignitaries.



175 Emissaries and Employees of the Israeli Embassies in Europe were Vaccinated by MDA Teams as Part of a Special Vaccine Operation by the Ministries of Defense, Foreign Affairs and Health

As part of the national fight against the Corona virus, MDA EMTs and paramedics vaccinated 175 emissaries and embassy workers from Europe who arrived in Israel on a special flight to Ben Gurion Airport and immediately returned to the countries where they are stationed.



is a special operation to fly the embassies' employees to Israel and that my sister arrives so I asked to be among the vaccinators and her friends who contribute a lot to the country, this is the small donation I can give them." **She added**

and concluded "Go get vaccinated!"

MDA EMT Yifat Glasman, who vaccinated the emissaries: "This is the third flight of embassy employees from all over the world. MDA, as the national emergency medical and blood services organization, vaccinates here at Ben Gurion Airport. Taking part in this important vaccination campaign is exciting for both us and them."

MDA paramedic Rami Meushar, who is in charge of MDA's vaccination complex at Ben Gurion Airport: "We soon vaccinated all the passengers who arrived on the plane. It is an exciting experience and we are proud to be part of the national mission to vaccinate the emissaries of the State of Israel around the world."

Among the vaccinated was Noa Hakim, a spokesperson for the Israeli embassy in Madrid who was vaccinated by her sister, MDA volunteer Dr. Roni Hakim MD: "I arrived in Israel today to get vaccinated together with other emissaries from European countries. It is known in Spain and other European countries that Israel is a world leader in the vaccination campaign, doing so quickly and efficiently. It's a very exciting moment for me and I'm proud to be a part of it and finally get vaccinated."

MDA volunteer, Dr. Roni Hakim MD, who vaccinated her sister Noa: I heard that there



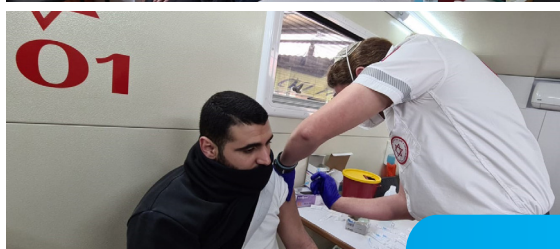
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About 500 people were vaccinated in MDA's special vaccine trailer placed at the Jerusalem "Mahane Yehuda" market.

MDA personnel vaccinated passers-by aged 16 and older, including the elderly, who were vaccinated while doing their

grocery shopping, without having to make an appointment.

MDA Director General, Eli Bin: "Together, with mutual commitment and a joint project for the whole community, we will succeed in eradicating the plague and returning to a routine of life."





Marching All the Way to the Sample The couple who met and got engaged at the Magen David Adom station

Walla Tamimi and Ahmad Karut, MDA volunteers at the Jerusalem station, found themselves - without prior acquaintance - sharing several shifts at the Corona-sampling complex at the beginning of the crisis. At first, the relationship was purely professional, but a few weeks later Ahmed made the first move. About a week ago, at the exact same station where we first met, the two got engaged.

Before the Corona crisis, Walla and Ahmad, 26, used to volunteer as EMTs in MDA ambulances. During the Corona crisis, the organization's medical staffs were required to perform, in addition to routine activities, Coronary virus identification samples, as part of the organization's national fight against the pandemic. Together Walla and Ahmad - and within a few weeks as mentioned became a couple.

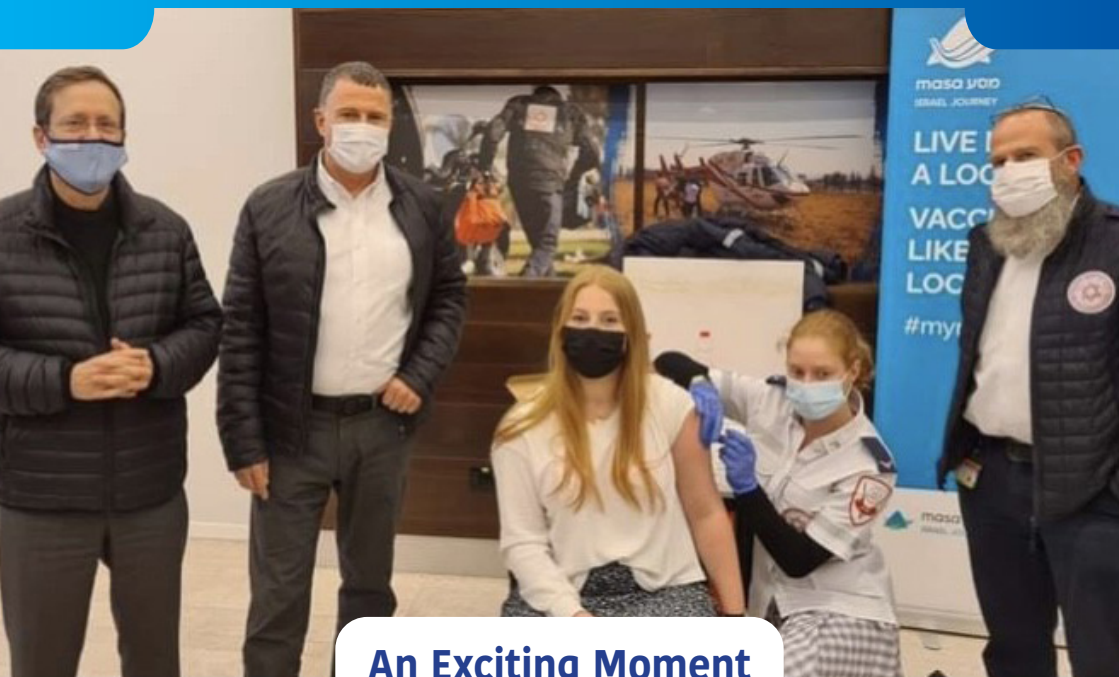
This week, after months of a happy relationship full of swabs and samples, Ahmed decided to propose marriage to Walla in the exact same place where they first met, at MDA station in Jerusalem. Walla accepted the proposal, and now the engaged couple began planning the happy day, which will probably take place outside MDA Station. "

Walla Tamimi, the newly engaged, said

excitedly: "We met at the sampling site, at first we did not have a close relationship but slowly I noticed that he was trying to approach me and buy me chocolates and gifts. A mutual friend at work hinted that Ahmed likes me and I decided to give him a chance. It really worked. "

On the common fate and significant step, Ahmad Karut added: "For me MDA is a very important body. Ever since I was a child, every ambulance that has passed on the street has moved me and I knew my goal was to help others and save lives. I never dreamed I would find my future wife on duty. I decided to close the circle and propose marriage in the same framework in which we knew, in order to create a special and exciting memory for a lifetime - which includes our important role. "





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MDA volunteer, new immigrant Avital Kref, vaccinated her sister, Elisheva, a participant on the MASA project that brings young Jews to Israel to learn about Israel and specialize in a specific field of interest. Elisheva has been a participant on the program for a few months and she also volunteers at MDA.

She joins the approximately 6,000 Jewish young men and women from around the world who came to Israel during the corona pandemic, through the MASA programs. In recent days, MDA has vaccinated participants in a large-scale operation coordinated by the Ministry of Health.

Isaac Herzog, chairperson of the Jewish Agency, congratulated "the Ministry of Health, headed by Minister Yuli Edelstein, and MDA for raising the burden of vaccinating the participants of MASA programs in Israel."

Facebook- Isaac Herzog, chairperson of the Jewish Agency