

MetLife Foundation donates US \$50,000 to America Nepal Medical Foundation's COVID-19 response



Kathmandu, 17 May, 2021 – MetLife Foundation is contributing US \$50,000 to [America Nepal Medical Foundation's](#) (ANMF) efforts to provide essential medical care to vulnerable people impacted by the worsening COVID-19 crisis in Nepal. ANMF is a non-profit organization founded by a group of Nepalese doctors which has been operating since 1997 with a vision of advancing healthcare in the country.

MetLife Foundation's funding will support ANMF in providing medical supplies including but not limited to oxygen concentrators, high flows and other essential equipment to healthcare facilities from isolation centers to different hospitals in various parts of Nepal. With high numbers of critical cases putting pressure on the country's healthcare system, the funding will aid ANMF to reduce the burden to the existing healthcare infrastructure.

MetLife Nepal's General Manager, Nirmal Kajee Shrestha, said, *"At this time of need we are all trying to do our very best to give necessary assistance to the health and wellbeing needs of the people affected by this pandemic. MetLife believes that we can all make a difference, and I'm proud that MetLife Foundation is providing meaningful support to ease the suffering of the people during this tough period."*

About MetLife Foundation

At MetLife Foundation, we are committed to expanding opportunities for low- and moderate-income people around the world. We partner with nonprofit organizations and social enterprises to create financial health solutions and build stronger communities, while engaging MetLife employee volunteers to help drive impact. MetLife Foundation was established in 1976 to continue MetLife's long tradition of corporate contributions and community involvement. From its founding through the end of 2020, MetLife Foundation provided more than \$900 million in grants and \$85 million in program-related investments to make a positive impact in the communities where MetLife operates. Our financial health work has reached more than 13.4 million low- and moderate-income individuals in 42 countries. To learn more about MetLife Foundation, visit metlife.org.

About America Nepal Medical Foundation:

America Nepal Medical Foundation (ANMF) promotes the advancement of medical training, research, and practice in Nepal. It is a USA based registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and has been working in Nepal since 1997. All members of ANMF are volunteers so monetary contributions are sent directly to organizations in Nepal. Projects in Nepal that have been funded by ANMF can be inspected at <https://www.anmf.org/projects>. The website www.anmf.org includes details of ANMF organizational structure, finance, events, and projects.