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President Joseph R. Biden Jr.  
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Dear President Biden,

I write to you with a heavy heart and urgent plea on behalf of the National Arab American Medical Association (NAAMA) regarding the dire humanitarian situation unfolding in Gaza. NAAMA is an organization committed to advancing healthcare and addressing medical needs, and we find it imperative to express our concerns and seek critical assistance from your office. As the President of NAAMA, I am compelled to bring to your attention the catastrophic conditions that demand immediate intervention.

Mr. President, the situation in Gaza has reached a critical juncture where the lives of innocent men, women, and children hang in the balance. With limited access to medical care and essential supplies, the people of Gaza are facing an unprecedented health crisis that necessitates urgent assistance.

The magnitude of this catastrophe cannot be overstated, and the consequences of inaction are gravely concerning. The lack of sufficient medical facilities poses an imminent threat to the health and well-being of the people in Gaza, extending beyond its borders. If swift intervention is not undertaken, we risk witnessing a devastating impact on human lives, and the reverberations of this crisis will be felt far and wide.

More than 28,000 Palestinians in Gaza have been killed, 70,000+ are seriously injured, with 11,000 in critical conditions requiring urgent treatment. Infectious diseases have spread to 700,000, with 8,000 cases of viral Hepatitis posing as an additional health threat. Severe health risks exist for 60,000 pregnant women, with a sharp rise in miscarriages and post-partum complications. There are 350,000 patients with chronic diseases and 10,000 cancer patients suffering from an intentional lack of medications. This catastrophic situation is becoming increasingly difficult for healthcare professionals to provide adequate care.

These are not just numbers, but real people suffering who need immediate help. Surgeons are performing amputations without anesthesia; medical personnel are treating the wounded without antiseptics. The critical urgency to aid those injured, infected, and vulnerable in Gaza cannot be emphasized enough. Immediate actions are needed by the international community, with the United States at the forefront. The urgent deployment of field hospitals or floating hospitals is necessary to meet immediate essential medical care.

The humanitarian toll is incredibly grim and severe in nature. The absence of adequate medical facilities and resources has left the population of Gaza vulnerable to unimaginable suffering and preventable loss of life. As medical professionals, we have taken an oath to serve and care for every human life, and it is incumbent upon us to uphold this sacred duty in the face of such adversity. It is with a deep sense of responsibility that we turn to the United States, a beacon of hope and compassion, to request the deployment of an American field hospital at the border of Gaza.

The United States, with its core values of compassion, justice, and commitment to humanity, has the power to make a profound difference in the lives of those who are most vulnerable. It is in time of crisis that the true character of a nation is revealed, and I implore you, Mr. President, to demonstrate the compassion and leadership that define our great nation. It is the time to present the U.S. as the global leader that it is, notably during times of humanitarian crisis.

Mr. President, the consequences of inaction are too dire to contemplate. Without immediate intervention, the health and well-being of the people of Gaza, and indeed beyond its borders, will continue to deteriorate, with devastating consequences for generations to come. My fellow colleagues and I, as medical professionals, have an oath to serve and care for every human, irrespective of their nationality or circumstance. This commitment resonates deeply with the essence of American values.

In the face of this unprecedented crisis, we urge the United States government to take immediate action by deploying a fully equipped field hospital to Gaza. Such a facility would play a crucial role in addressing the immediate medical needs of the affected population, providing essential healthcare services, and alleviating the strain on existing medical infrastructure. It will stand as a testament to our commitment to uphold the sanctity of life and alleviate the suffering of our fellow human beings. NAAMA stands ready to collaborate with the United States government, offering our expertise, resources, and unwavering support to ensure the success of this crucial mission. Together, we can manifest the compassionate ideals that define both our nation and the medical profession.

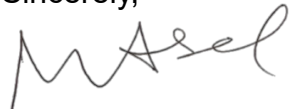
As a nation that cherishes every human life, we cannot stand idly by while our fellow human beings suffer. I urge you, Mr. President, to heed this pressing call for assistance and to mobilize the necessary resources to address this humanitarian catastrophe with the urgency and compassion it deserves.

Mr. President, the world is watching, and history will judge us by our actions in this moment of crisis. By acting now, we can uphold the values that make America a force for good in the world. Your intervention will not only save lives but also serve as a testament to the enduring spirit of humanity and exemplify the compassion and solidarity that define the values of the United States of America.

I respectfully urge you to consider this vital and life-saving request with the urgency it deserves. A decisive action to deploy a field hospital to Gaza without delay is needed. Time is of the essence as the lives of innocent men, women, and children hang in the balance. Your attention to this urgent matter is critical and we look forward to the possibility of working together to make a lifesaving intervention and positive difference in the lives of those affected by this crisis.

Thank you for your attention to this crucial matter and commitment to upholding the values of compassion, justice, and human dignity.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'MAQEL' in a cursive style.

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