# UKRAINE CRISIS

# RELIEF FUND

The FCA Ukraine Crisis Relief Fund has been created to provide vital emergency relief for FCA teammates and their families who are still in Ukraine and those who have been displaced to other countries. The Fund's purpose is to help with unforeseeable expenses that are beyond our teammates' control and are a result of this crisis.

The FCA ministry in Ukraine was founded in 2009 and has grown to 22 Ukrainian staff in addition to 6 staff in the FCA Divisional Office who serve both Europe and Eurasia. When the war on Ukraine began on February 24, 2022, 14 FCA Ukraine staff and 16 family members were in the U.S. at FCA's all-staff conference, and 14 staff were still in Ukraine. Five of the staff in Ukraine were able to travel to Germany, Poland and Slovakia, while the remaining 8 staff and their families are still in Ukraine. The Ukrainian staff and family members, who were in the U.S. when the war began, are being supported near the FCA Support Center in Kansas City, Missouri until they can return to their homes.

As we continue to pray for this developing situation, we understand that the families and individuals impacted will need assistance with housing and basic needs. Your funding support will help us meet their current, immediate needs in the following ways:

# **EUROPE NEEDS**

# 1. Housing

We need to rent 6 homes for staff to be able to host coaches and athletes who are evacuating from Ukraine. The plan is to have two locations in Germany and one location in each of these countries: Poland, Hungary, Romania and Spain. We want to rent each home for six months (\$3,000 each approx.). The total amount needed for 6 rental homes is \$108,000.

#### 2. Staff Living Expenses

We will work with each family to financially support the increase in living expenses required to live in their new circumstances. The total amount of additional support for 13 families is \$75,000 for next 6 months.

#### 3. Support Ukrainian Coaches and Volunteers

Many coaches and volunteers are suffering because of the war. Some of them were evacuated to neighboring countries. Others remain in Ukraine in their cities trying to survive. We want to give \$20,000 monthly to support 120 coaches and volunteers for 6 months, totaling \$120,000.

## **KANSAS CITY NEEDS**

1. Long-Term Housing

We need 7 houses/apartments for the families with at least 2-3 bedrooms and 1-2 bathrooms. Fully furnished is preferable. The 4 single adults would need a private basement area to serve as their private living space. Currently, FCA is partnering with local corporate partners to provide short-term housing.

## 2. Living Expenses

We will work with each family to help adjust their income to financially support the increase in living expenses required to live in the U.S. In addition, FCA has secured medical insurance to care for these families. The total amount needed is \$24,000 per month to support the families in Kansas City (\$800 per person). The total need for 6 months is \$144,000.

3. Meals and Activities

During the next months, we want to provide special opportunities for the Kansas City community to provide gift cards and activities for these families and individuals.

## Total cost of all projects for 6 months of support is \$447,000.

Together we will support Ukrainians' immediate, practical and spiritual needs throughout this crisis.

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