

## Get in touch

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**Katerini:** Social clinic

[http://www.kikaf.org/KIK\\_EN.html](http://www.kikaf.org/KIK_EN.html)

<http://www.kikaf.org>

[http://www.ecss2006.com/TOPOS/KIK/100/HOSPI\\_\\_01\\_MATERIAL.asp](http://www.ecss2006.com/TOPOS/KIK/100/HOSPI__01_MATERIAL.asp)

**Athens:** Metropolitan Community Clinic at  
Elliniko:

<https://www.facebook.com/GreekAusterityHealthCrisis/?fref=ts>

## Would you like to help?

### Donate medicine

Any medicine, bandages or orthopedic articles you no longer need can be taken to participating pharmacies and shops.

#### *Please note:*

- **NO** opened tubes/bottles
- **NO** expired medicine

### Donate money

Please send your donations to:

Förder- und Freundeskreis Elliniko e.V.

IBAN: DE88 2005 0550 1055 2167 31

BIC: HASPDEHHXXX

### Spread the word

You can tell your friends about us or invite us to your club, company or school to talk about the work of doctors and volunteers in Greek clinics and the work of our association in Hamburg and Brussels.

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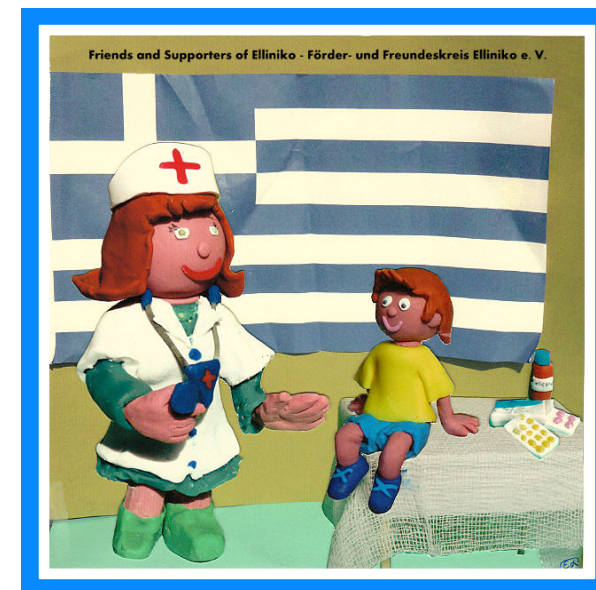
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Our statute and membership declaration can be found at:

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Engagement ohne Grenzen



## Supporters and Friends of Elliniko

(Förder- und Freundeskreis Elliniko e. V.,  
Brussels Branch)

## Helping Greek doctors and volunteers take care of people in need.

### Who are we?

The crisis and the austerity measures have greatly increased unemployment in Greece; health insurance is granted for a maximum of 12 months after redundancy. Sufferers of chronic or severe conditions find it virtually impossible to pay for their treatment.

In November 2011, Dr. Georgios Vichas and four other doctors founded the Elliniko Social Polyclinic in southern Athens. Today, more than 300 volunteers provide free care for the sick, many of which are in a desperate situation. Doctors from the Elliniko clinic also travel throughout Greece to provide urgent medical assistance to locals and refugees alike.

**The "Förder- und Freundeskreis Elliniko e. V." association (Supporters and Friends of Elliniko)** was founded in Hamburg in 2013 to support them. Since 2015 we also have an office in Brussels.

We are private citizens with personal ties with Greece by birth, by marriage or just because we love the country, the language and the people that have always treated us as their own.

We do not represent any official body or institution; we do not endorse any party or political agenda. We are committed solely to relieving the hardship that the Greek people is suffering.

### Who else do we help?

Since 2014 we also support other clinics and medical practices in Greece, particularly in the northern cities of Katerini and Thessaloniki. We also help out when public clinics cannot get vital medicines or are in urgent need of medical devices.

Unfortunately the medical situation in Greece is worsening, and as well as struggling to provide for its own citizens, the country is also trying to assist many refugees.

We will try to link up with as many organisations working in this area as we can. **That's why we need your help.**



Volunteers checking the donated medicine

### How do we help?

**On principle, the social polyclinics and other organisations we support do not accept any cash donations (only gifts in kind) and volunteers are not paid. Money raised is used to buy medicine and medical products and in Greece (thus helping the Greek economy). NO money is spent on administrative overheads – all in our association are unpaid volunteers too.**

Thanks to of many people, by November 2015 we had raised 250,000 € and donations in kind worth more than 300,000 €.

**We know for a fact that together we are saving lives. Please help us save many more!**



Donated medical equipment ready to embark to Greece