

HAMUN 47

Role of NGOs in Aiding COVID
and Post-COVID Relief

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Houston Area Model United Nations

Dear Delegates,

Welcome to the 47th Houston Area Model United Nations Conference! The goal of the specialized committee of nongovernmental organizations is to find and use resources to help in the aid of COVID in post-COVID relief and underserved countries. This committee will take place during the modern era of 2021 and will be during an increased spread of the coronavirus. The focus will be in deciding which programs that aid in post-COVID rehabilitation and overall COVID treatment shall be the focus of the committee.

The NGO Specialized Committee is Chaired by,

Omama Ahmed, who is a current Sophomore at Lonestar college with plans to transfer to New York university. She is intending to study Human Biology and has been a delegate in her high school Model UN in the past three years. She has also participated in the collegiate National Model United Nations this past spring and hopes to bring her experiences and enjoyment to this year's conference. She has always loved the program and was thrilled when given the opportunity to be a part of the NGO specialized committee.

As a current collegiate delegate, and both a former delegate and current chair to the current HAMUN conference, I am beyond excited to be a part of your experience and embark on your journey towards greatness. I am excited for the undeniably good debate, discussion, and diplomacy that shall unfold within our committee.

It would be smiled upon if all delegates make sure to thoroughly research the economic, physical, and physiological impact of the pandemic has had and both developed an underdeveloped country. Focusing on the general effect that the pandemic has had on people is not specific enough to adequately contribute towards this committee. The committee will be discussing relevant topics and how we can use the limited governmental support and resources that we have to benefit all citizens as a whole

Best Regards,

Omama Ahmed

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Executive Summary

The Nongovernmental Organization specialized committee has been tasked with bringing in the resolutions and works of the United Nations since its development in 1946. The focus of the committee shall be to create an equal playing field in which all citizens are given equal resources in the prevention, and treatment of all covid 19 related side effects and illnesses.

Originally, nongovernmental organizations have tried focusing on community-based education to bridge the gap between the institutional guidelines a local reality is that under service communities may have regarding the spread of the COVID-19 Virus amidst the pandemic. However, that has proven to be inefficient due to the large and unstoppable increase of the virus in the same communities. The new role of the non-governmental organizations will be to decide on which factors regarding the COVID treatment and post COVID rehabilitation shall be of the highest importance to the committee. The issues shall be explored more in depth in the following background; however, age shall not be equally represented in all aspects.

Some key issues that will be discussed throughout this committee will be prefaced in this section. While the pandemic has proven to resurface many issues, the specialized committee of the Nongovernmental organizations can only focus on a small scope of them. The funding and allocation of financial support that governmental entities have provided to various agencies. Not all treatments are equal when it comes to the medication and resources allocated to various patients in various countries. It has been proven that many underdeveloped countries also do not have the same resources that their developed counterparts may have. The improvement of accessibility to prevention such as immunity boosters and vaccinations, and the decrease of waste of these products in the developed countries.

In addition, the underserved communities within the developed countries have been neglected and shall receive support from the nongovernmental organizations, in aid of procurement of the standard level of care that their more financially stable peers receive. The goal of this specialized committee shall be to outsource the waste from the developed countries and allocate and choose the locations to disperse it to within the underdeveloped countries. In addition, the committee would smile upon creating jobs and job security within the organization that directly benefits the underdeveloped countries and their deficit of resources.