EXECUTIVE SUMMARY 2019

In the midst of the Lebanese economic & political turmoil and insecurity, the work of the Jinishian Memorial Program (JMP) in Lebanon (JMP-L) in 2019 was characterized by doing compassionate development work as well as collaborating with other NGOs to meet beneficiaries' needs and also to share in helping address some basic medical needs of Armenian Syrian refugees.

Based on its Strategic Planning conducted in April of 2015 and the budget for 2019, JMP-Lebanon continued to concentrate on Medical & Social Programs/Services, Friend Raising-Fund Raising, program-related Development projects, while the Community Development Program activities remained low priority.

JMP-L Administration, with the Beirut Advisory Committee (BAC), saw the realization of the purchase of the property, previously rented, of its offices taking a loan against its share in the micro-lending community institution. JMP-L Director joined JMP-Armenia director and JMP-USA, on May 2 & 3 in the global JMP Strategic Planning. Syria JMP Director could not attend. Each country will later plan its own.

The new auditing firm Grant Thornton was hired for the 2nd year by JMP-USA. The final audit report of the 2018 accounts was received on July 8, 2019.

During 2019, JMP-L was directly involved in the delivery of social services to Armenian individuals and families, and in encouraging development efforts. "Jinishian" continued to be particularly attuned to the socially vulnerable, the elderly who live without pension support, persons who have chronic illness and who have no medical or social security coverage, as well as families with multi-problems and whose income is below the poverty level. Employment placements and vocational training were also utilized.

The staff continued its dedicated service seeking to listen, understand, counsel clients, and assist them financially needed. and to guide them through referrals and networking. The two social workers continued to carry on providing social service to those in need of guidance and assistance, which was provided by 3 social workers in prior years. They saw the number of unemployed individuals seeking jobs increase while job opportunities decreased. 6 teen-aged girls in JMP's Self-development program graduated from 12th grade (BT3) of the technical school while 2 others passed the 9th grade governmental exams. 22 Teens in grades 7th to 12th followed the program in 2019 and 21 Teens are in the 2019-2020 program. Through JMP, health care was continued to be provided by a general physician, a cardiologist and an Endocrinologist of the JMP Dispensary. The Head of the department continued to seek out affordable and donated medications for its clients. JMP's id-code in YMCA #31 enables it to receive medications from the Ministry of Health through YMCA. Medication was dispensed to patients at symbolic payments.

In 2019 there were <u>8</u> active program categories or sub-categories; linked to these programs were <u>3</u> developmental projects or programs, <u>2</u> Community Development projects, and 1 micro-lending program through its partner AFED. JMP senior staff participated in the community social welfare and development partnerships and cooperation, such as Zvartnotz Center for the Special Needs and Mentally Challenged children, Zvartnotz, and the Union of Armenian Social Workers in Lebanon, Coordinating Committee of governmental and non-governmental organizations in Bourj Hammoud and Sin-El-Fil.

In addition, JMP-L followed up with families in the Housing project (phases I & II).

During 2019, $\underline{4}$ signed on Sale agreements to own their apartments. Remaining are $\underline{3}$ families (in phase I) ready to sign, and $\underline{4}$ families (in phase II) who are continuing their payments towards ownership.

For the <u>8</u>th consecutive year, Staff worked hard on the Fundraising raffle activity. Hermes Tourism & Travel, sister company to Credit Libanais bank, donated 2 travel tickets as the grand prize. 8,000 tickets were sold to result in a revenue of **LBP40,000,000**. Contributions and individual donations were also received. Some volunteerism was continued and encouraged.

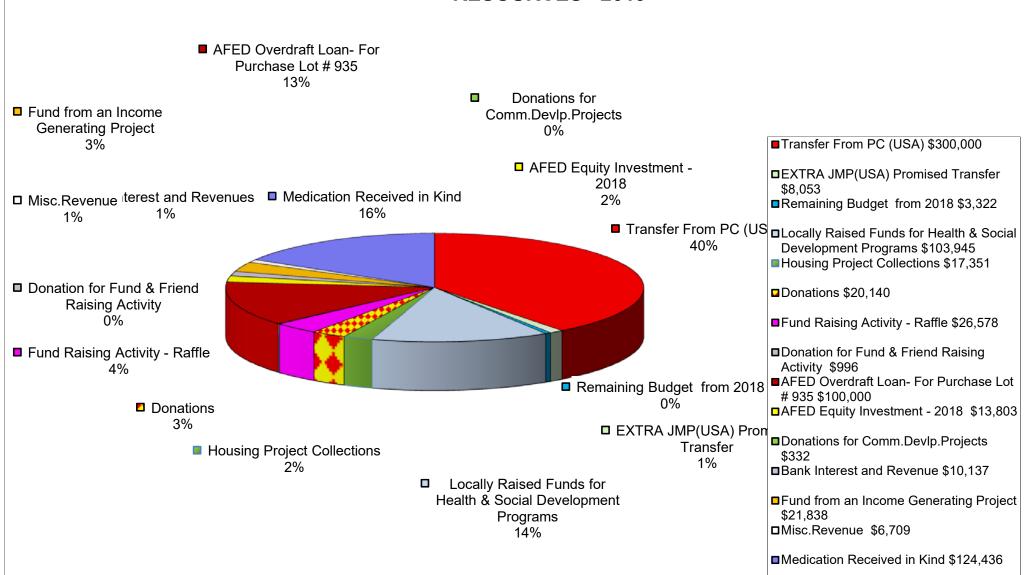
Total of <u>locally-raised funds</u> including income-generating activities amounted to \$212,884.

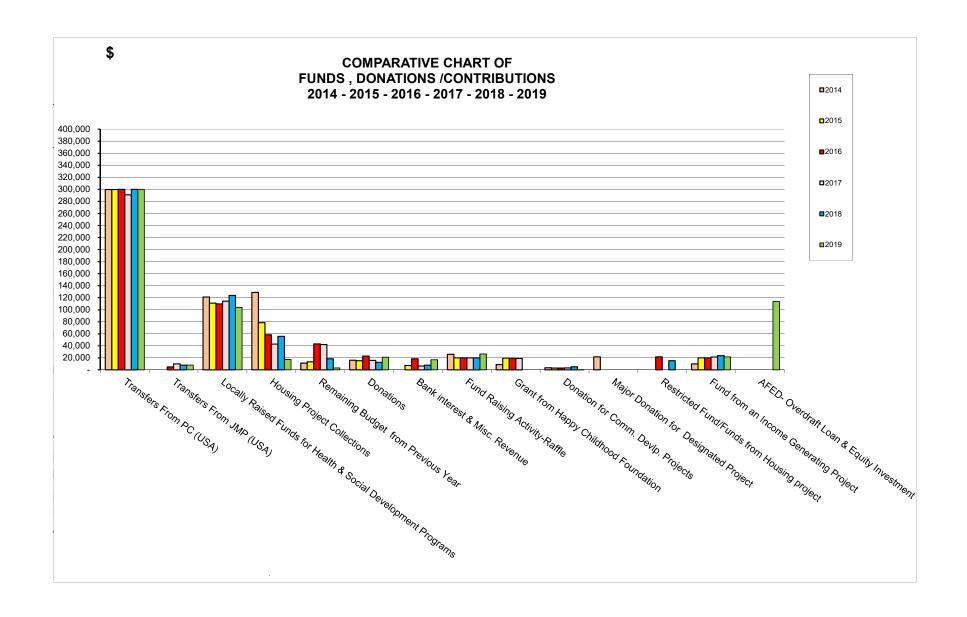
Included are funds received as grants or donations that amounted to \$19.232.

The value of medications received in-kind amounted to \$124,436.

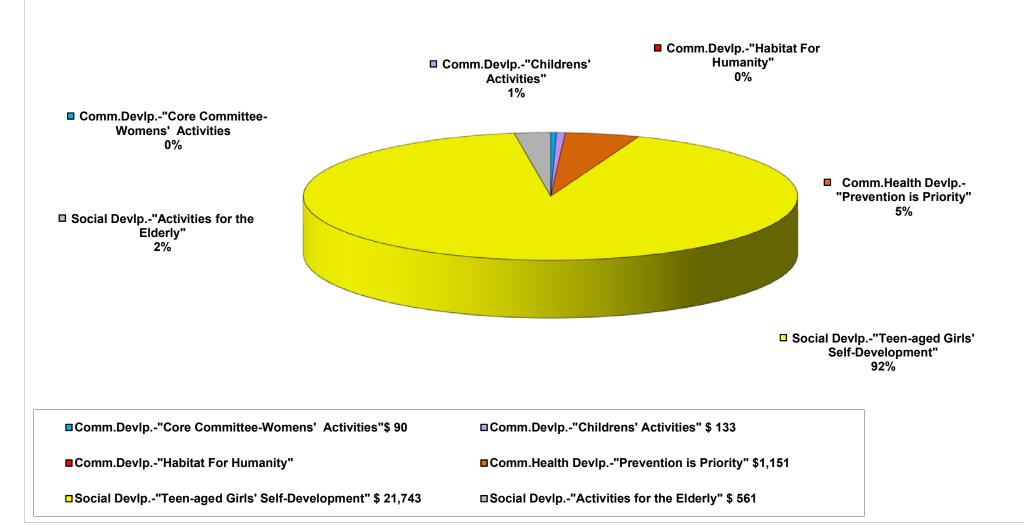
The Social Workers and Health Consultants received over 13,000 client-visits for over 2700 beneficiaries, impacting thousands of lives.

TOTAL ANNUAL FUNDS AND RESOURCES - 2019

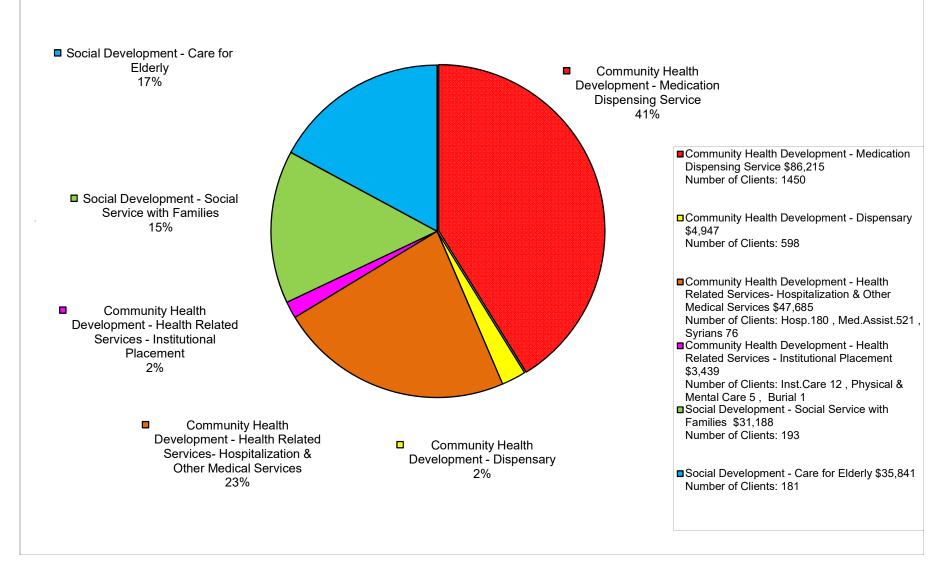


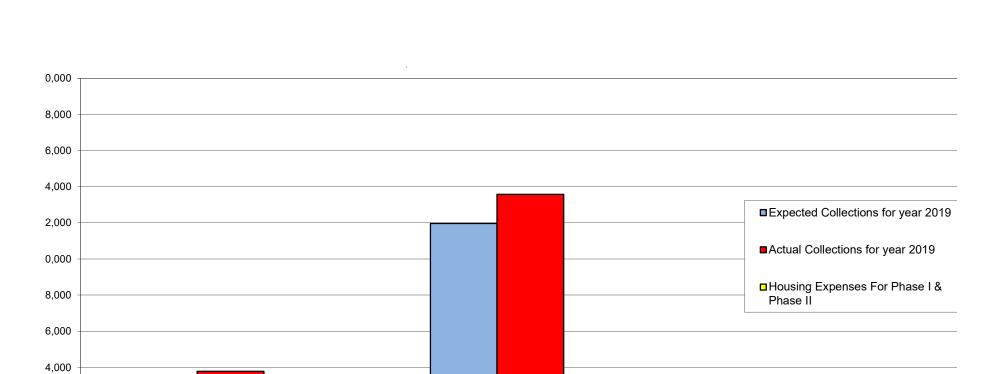






Annual Cost and Number Of Clients Financially Assisted in The HEALTH & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS





Phase II - Collections

Housing Expenses For Phase I & Phase II

Phase I - Collections

2,000

