



Johanniter Austria in 2022

COVID-Pandemia & Ukraine Crisis

Mastering the COVID-Pandemia was still a dominating task of Austrian Johanniter in 2022, beside the usual services of Johanniter.

Johanniter offered COVID and influenza vaccinations in 8 vaccination centres in Vienna; around 134.000 COVID-doses were vaccinated in locations such as office-buildings of the Community of Vienna, containers in central places or in one of the biggest shopping centres.

COVID-Testing was already since 2020 a major service: Johanniter ran antigen testing for different companies.

Beside the still lasting pandemic, another unforeseen challenge appeared – the war in Ukraine. Again, Johanniter provided fast support – with local deliveries of food and care products and also for the refugees arriving in Austria. In total, Johanniter offered more than 500 places for Ukrainian refugees in Vienna.

Rescue Services

The demand on patient transport grew again in 2022. Approx. 36.000 emergency patient transports and 95.500 patient transports were carried out.

First Aid Courses

Participants of first-aid-courses increased after the reduced COVID-years 2020 and 2021. In total, nearly 15.000 people attended one of the 1.200 first-aid-courses.

Research

The research department is growing steadily: Meanwhile 20 researchers are employed. Johanniter were involved in nearly 30 research projects in 2022. All projects are linked to services Johanniter are providing, disaster preparedness, virtual trainings, developing App to support care persons etc.

Homeless shelter

More than 560 homeless persons can stay in Johanniter shelters that cover basic needs of homeless (bed, basic food, support).

Care giving

In addition to the regular care giving services in Vienna and Tirol, Johanniter started two new fields of service. In May 2022, Johanniter started the Community Nurse service in one of our Johanniter regions in order to support the citizens in need of information on



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care. In November 2022, Johanniter Tirol opened the first living community for people suffering from dementia.

Volunteering

650 volunteers did 90.000 hours for the Johanniter. In addition, our volunteers took the chance of a JOIN swap and we were happy to host several JOIN-members in Austria.

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Since the very beginning of the cooperation of Johanniter International Johanniter Austria see no alternative to the cooperation between the partners, the exchange of ideas, sharing resources and supporting each other.