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## KARACHI, PAKISTAN

Karachi, a bustling metropolis in Pakistan, faces a significant challenge in providing adequate healthcare facilities to its residents. Over half the city's population struggles to access even basic medical services due to affordability issues. The downturn of the economy is making it worse.

## PAK NIGHT CLINIC

Pak Night Clinic (PNC), a Karachibased non-profit medical center with a 32-year legacy, offers subsidized and free medical care. They operate a with qualified medical center professionals and advanced equipment. Hundreds of underprivileged Shia, Muslims, and non-Muslims benefit from these facilities at subsidized rates. PNC even helps sponsor surgeries for those in need.

## THE NEED

In Karachi, a significant portion of the population, over 50%, struggles to access even basic healthcare. Furthermore, for those seeking cataract surgery, the existing options offered by NGOs often involve long wait times and questionable quality of care.

The Pak Night Clinic offers subsidized and free cataract surgery with high-quality lenses. They cater low-income to residents facing financial hardship. Unfortunately, their current funding restricts the number of patients they can help. Unaffordable cataract surgery leaves people visually impaired, hindering their ability to work and live a normal life. The clinic's goal is to expand its cataract surgery program, empowering more people in Karachi to regain their sight and independence



## **SUMMARY OF FUNDS UTILISED**

Kindly refer to the table below for a breakdown of fund utilization from October 2024 to January 2025, during which a total of 174 cataract surgeries were conducted at the cost of USD 57.47 per surgery. These surgeries were carried out to restore the eyesight of individuals from underserved communities, significantly improving their quality of life and enabling them to regain independence.

Month	Number of total Surgeries Conducted	Total Cost of Surgeries in USD
October 2024	47	\$ 2,701.15
November 2024	38	\$ 2,183.91
December 2024	40	\$ 2,298.85
January 2025	49	\$ 2,816.09
Total	174	\$ 10,000.00



Imam Jafar Sadiq (as) said:

"An act of charity given openly prevents seventy types of mishaps, and a secretly given charity cools the anger of our Lord Allah (S.W.T.)"

Bihar ul Anwar v93, p130r

