NEGEV PREVAILS

Ben-Gurion University's Emergency Response

Ben-Gurion University of the Negev (BGU) is on the front lines of a country devastated by terror. Given its 22-mile proximity to the Gaza Envelope, BGU was disproportionately impacted by the atrocities that took place on October 7, 2023. In the aftermath, the University understands and embraces its role as the anchor institution in the Negev and as key to Israel's recovery and rebuilding for the future.

BGU relies on the support from the global philanthropic community to help it go from **strength to even greater strength** in the challenging months and years to come.





An \$18M Global Fundraising Initiative: \$10M Immediate, \$8M Evolving Needs

CONCENTRIC CIRCLES OF SUPPORT

100% of All Funds Raised Will Support This Emergency Effort

\$5.6M

Immediate Needs

- Financial Assistance and Support for Reservists
- Financial Assistance and Basic Necessities for Evacuees
- Counseling and Mental Health Support
- Emergency Infrastructure and Security Equipment
- Crisis Management
 Systems and Training
- Childcare Services

\$1M

Immediate Needs

Companies in the Startup Nation are struggling to stay afloat with so many employees serving in the military, and BGU is committed to preventing some of the most viable startups in the Negev from closing their doors. In addition, BGU continues to collaborate with many local partners to ensure a broad range of community support.

- · Soroka Medical Center
- Israel Defense Forces
- One-Heart Initiative
- Barzilai Medical Center
- Sapir College



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Private Industry and Partner Organizations

Organizations

Are Broader Negev Community

BGU Employees,

Students, and

Families

BGU IMPACT

84 Dead **6** Missina 12 Injured

1000 Evacuated

4000 Reservists \$3,4M

Immediate Needs

- Community-wide Psychological Support
- Shelter and Schooling for Displaced Families in Beer-Sheva and Eilat
- Expansion and Support of the Duet Center: Parenting in Duress
- Room and Board for Volunteers
- Supplies and Coordination for Logistical Hubs

Evolving Needs

After the war, BGU is anticipating many ongoing and evolving needs to bolster its infrastructure and support the surrounding community. These include housing and other rebuilding initiatives, tuition waivers for students and improving its redundant systems.