

1.4 Community anti-poverty programmes

1.4.3 Cairo University is organizing training or programmes to improve access to basic services

Cairo University organizes various programs and initiatives, primarily through its Community Service and Environmental Development Sector and its faculties, to improve access to basic services for the community.

These efforts include:

- **Medical Convoys:** The Faculty of Medicine and Pharmacy regularly organizes medical convoys to provide medical and therapeutic services to needy areas across Egypt, including remote locations like Halayeb and Shalateen. These convoys also serve to spread medical and community awareness.
- **Healthcare Initiatives:** The university participates in national health campaigns, such as the "100 Million Health" initiative, aimed at general public well-being.
- **Training Programs for Community Members:** Specific faculties and centers, such as the Career and Entrepreneurship Center "FEPS Business incubator", "Faculty of Pharmacy Career Center", "Cairo University Center for Foreign Languages and Specialized Translation" and others, offer training, workshops, and courses not only for students but also for a broad category of society, including those in the field of primary healthcare and communication skills.
- **Infrastructure and Environmental Projects:** The university engages in projects aimed at improving local infrastructure and access to basic services, such as water and sanitation in surrounding areas, in cooperation with government entities like the Giza Governorate.
- **Illiteracy Eradication:** Cairo University has implemented programs where students and staff work to combat illiteracy in local villages and among university workers.
- **Access to Educational Resources:** The university is involved in projects that promote access to educational programs and open educational resources (OER) to serve the community and meet labor market needs.

These programs demonstrate the university's commitment to community engagement and addressing societal needs beyond its core academic functions.

Serial	Year	Evidence	Link
1	2023-2024	Medical Convoys	https://cu.edu.eg/userfiles/REPORT29-1-2025.pdf https://www.facebook.com/143192175789082 https://cu.edu.eg/ar/page.php?pg=contentFront/SubSectionData.php&SubSectionId=578
2	2023-2024	Healthcare Initiatives	https://cu.edu.eg/userfiles/REPORT29-1-2025.pdf https://medicine.cu.edu.eg/community/#:~:text=Welcome%20to%20the%20Community%20and,to%20increase%20future%20employment%20opportunities. https://cu.edu.eg/ar/page.php?pg=contentFront/SubSectionData.php&SubSectionId=578
3	2023-2024	Training Programs for Community Members	https://cu.edu.eg/userfiles/REPORT29-1-2025.pdf https://cu.edu.eg/ar/Centers_of_Excellence# http://clt.cu.edu.eg/ar/about https://cu.edu.eg/ar/page.php?pg=contentFront/SubSectionData.php&SubSectionId=704 https://cu.edu.eg/ar/page.php?pg=contentFront/SubSectionData.php&SubSectionId=794 https://cu.edu.eg/ar/page.php?pg=contentFront/SubSectionData.php&SubSectionId=788 https://cu.edu.eg/ar/Cairo-University-News-15395.html

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4	Permanent	Infrastructure and Environmental Projects	https://drtpc.org/
5	2019 – now	Illiteracy Eradication	https://cu.edu.eg/userfiles/Literacy2019tonow.pdf
6	Permanent	Access to Educational Resources	https://cl.cu.edu.eg/