

A Medical Surplus Recovery Organisation Sharing Sustainable Healthcare Solutions  
with Developing Communities

## **ACCEPTABLE CONSUMABLES/EQUIPMENT AND THEIR SUITABILITY**

MediShare, an activity of Rotary Australia World Community Service Ltd. is a Medical Surplus Recovery Organisation accredited with MedSurplus Alliance, a program of the Task Force for Global Health. Working within the guidelines of the World Health Organisation our focus is to enhance the infrastructure of health systems in developing communities. MediShare works with recipients in identifying their specific needs making a positive impact on the delivery of health care for their communities.

### **Consumables:**

To ensure consumables are fit for purpose refer to the **“Use by/Expiry Date”**. All consumables must be within at least six (6) months expiry and sanitised goods must be in unopened, sealed packaging.

### **Medical Equipment:**

To ensure usefulness all equipment needs to be less than 15 years old and has been certified as functional. Equipment must have instruction manuals, available spare parts and a life expectancy of at least 5 years. Old and unsupported technology is not acceptable.

### **Unsuitable Equipment:**

Equipment that does not comply with Australian and/or overseas recipient country laws, or does not meet the required MediShare standards will not be accepted.

All shipped items have to be requested by the recipient country and must be for sustainable developmental aid or relief.

***If you wish to donate items please contact MediShare Manager to ensure that the items you have are acceptable.***

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# ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

## Health & Wellbeing – Medical Consumables and Equipment

*(This list is not all inclusive)*

### Medical Consumables

- Bandages / Wound Closure
- Dressings
- Bed Protection
- Bibs
- Continence Products
- Colostomy Products
- Examination Gloves
- First Aid
- Hollowware: Kidney Dishes; Trays
- Imaging Supplies
- Infusion & Injection
- Needles & Syringes
- Personal Protection: Aprons; Coverall Suits; Gowns; Face Shields; Masks; Surgery Scrubs
- Surgical Apparel
- Surgical Consumables
- Surgical gloves
- Sutures

### Diagnostic Pathology

- Blood Collection Systems: Vacutainers; Needles; Specimen Bags
- Lab Kits: Clinical Trial
- Serum Analysis Tubes; Aliquot
- Venous Blood Sampling Tubes
- Collection Containers

### Instruments

- Biopsy
- Curettes
- Disposable Instruments
- Dilators
- Dental Handpieces
- Forceps
- Hooks & Retractors
- Ligators
- Needle Holders
- Probes
- Scalpel & Handles
- Scissors
- Specula

### Medical Equipment

- Audiometers
- Autoclaves
- Blood Pressure Monitors & Accessories
- Cardiovascular Procedure
- Defibrillators & Accessories
- Dermatoscopes
- Digital Health
- Dopplers
- Ear Irrigation
- ECG Machines
- Electrosurgery
- Examination Lighting
- Headlights
- Hospital Beds & Mattresses
- Humidicribs
- Infusion & Injection
- Intensive Care
- Lifters: Patient
- Loupes
- Mobility Aids: Crutches; Walking Frames; Commodes
- Nebulisers
- Operating Room Equipment
- Procedure Lighting
- Pulse Oximeters
- Respirators
- Scales & Measurement
- Sterile Reprocessing
- Stethoscopes
- Suction
- Thermometry
- Training Equipment
- Ultrasound Machines
- Vital Signs Monitors
- Wheelchairs