

PCPM FOUNDATION PALESTINE



IRRIGATION OF THE LAND

We have been implementing projects in Palestine since 2010. Our presence in this area is based on close cooperation with local partners.

We are running a project in Palestine to promote alternative ways of irrigating farmland as well as to activate local people from rural areas. The innovative irrigation systems installed by the project team, using treated wastewater, allows for more effective and economical management of the country's water resources. New technologies increase the productivity of irrigated areas and change the approach of the local population to the use of available water resources. On the other hand, the construction of a local market, which is a place for the exchange of products and services, activates women and local youth, encouraging them to take up new local initiatives.

- **Thanks to the cooperation with Fairtrade, since 2018, the logo is used to brand three products of the Palestinian brands, supported by PCPM from Polish Aid funds: olive oil, za'atar spice and chilli sauce**



TRAINING

Since 2017, the PCPM Foundation has been participating in the preparation of a system of continuous education and uniform work guidelines for paramedics in the West Bank. In cooperation with the Palestinian Red Crescent Committee (PRCS), we train rescue instructors and prepare a training program to improve the qualifications of the rescuers. We are also working on the introduction of nationwide work rules for paramedics. In addition to training the medical staff, we made sure that the inhabitants of hard-to-reach zones could deal with emergencies themselves. Together with PRCS, we conducted first-aid training for residents of towns in zone C.

We also raised the qualifications of the members of the Palestinian Rapid Reaction and Rescue Team, which provides assistance abroad, and additionally equipped the PRCS ambulance equipment necessary to save lives, the emergency department in Ramallah and the Rapid Reaction and Rescue Team. As part of the project financed by Polish Aid, we cooperated - and we are still cooperating - with the Palestinian Committee of the Red Crescent (PRCS), the Palestinian Agency for International Cooperation (PICA), which coordinates the Rapid Reaction and Rescue Team, and the Ministry of Health of the Palestinian State.