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## Press Release

### “Together, for better health”: Alpha Bank donates medical and healthcare equipment to the Medical Center of Agathonissi

Alpha Bank, on Wednesday, July 22, donated medical devices and pharmaceutical material to the Medical Center of Agathonissi, the northern part of Dodecanese island group. The initiative is part of the Social Responsibility Program “**Together, for better health**”, through which the Bank supports the **Medical Units of Greek islands** with healthcare equipment.

With the **new donation** of Alpha Bank, the Medical Center of Agathonissi was equipped with **the necessary medical devices and pharmaceutical supplies** covering its registered shortages in medical equipment and thus reducing transport needs of local people to other islands for medical reasons. In addition, Alpha Bank donated healthcare material (antiseptics and FFP2 masks) to reinforce the Medical Center with supplies needed for the protection against Covid-19.

Agathonissi was the last “stop” of the program “**Together, for better health**” for 2020. Since the end of last June, Alpha Bank has delivered essential medical equipment and consumables to Koufonissia, Skopelos, Oinousses, Spetses, Rethymno, Chania, SIKINOS and Gavdos.

The “**Together, with better health**” program by Alpha Bank was initiated in **2014**, in collaboration with the “Agoni Grammi Gonimi” organization, to improve the quality of health services and to reinforce the sense of safety for the residents of Greek islands. Since the beginning of the Program and until today, approximately **240,000 units of medical equipment, devices and pharmaceutical supplies** have been delivered to **58 islands**, covering the needs of more than **800,000 residents**.

