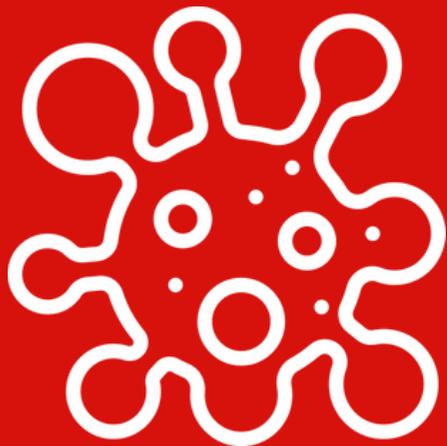


# ONCE FOUNDATION SOLIDARITY INITIATIVES



*ONCE Social Group Campaign*  
*“You are not alone”*



grupo social **ONCE**



## ONCE SOCIAL GROUP LAUNCHES AN EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN FOR BLIND PEOPLE AND PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES IN NEED.

**ONCE Social Group** is carrying out an urgent plan to provide attention to blind people and people with disabilities, especially those who are elderly, live alone and due to the coronavirus crisis are in need of greater attention.

**ONCE** has put in place primary attention teams in all their operational centres, consisting of social workers, psychologists and volunteers. In addition, the support service for blind people over 55 years of age who live alone is being reinforced. The aim is to have a follow up on their situation and to facilitate any kind of support they might need in these times of isolation, such as psychological assistance or provision of food or medicines.

**ILUNION GROUP** has put hotels from the Ilunion Hotels chain in the cities of Madrid, Sevilla, Barcelona, Zaragoza and Malaga at the disposal of the health authorities; and has provided the local authorities of Fuengirola and Mijas with furniture, mattresses and beds to enable them to install field hospitals in these cities.

In addition to all these actions, **ONCE Foundation** has been concentrating its efforts on responding to the requirements of associations of people with disabilities and their families regarding medical supplies, food, clothing, etc.

**Once Foundation's Volunteer Unit** has adapted its services to the current situation and is focusing on meeting the specific needs of individual users.

In short, a personal support network, to maintain people's level of independence and emotional well-being. In cases of face-to-face contact, extreme measures of hygiene and prevention are always taken, even while responding to the requests and necessities of those who most require company in these difficult times.

## PPE FOR HEALTH STAFF



Personal protection equipment for doctors, health personnel and patients. This PPE is made up of masks, shoe covers, hats, gloves and protective jumpsuits.

## URBAN ANGELS



ONCE Foundation collaborates with “**Ángeles Urbanos**” in the acquisition and distribution of food for people with disabilities and elderly people who live alone or who have impaired mobility. The necessity is to cover weekly food for 70 families, about 24 euros per family, around 1,400 euros per week for the total of these 70 families.

## CORONAVIRUS MAKERS



**ONCE Foundation** has joined the **#CoronavirusMakers** initiative, putting our 3D printers at the service of the community with the aim of manufacturing health care articles, and more specifically, printing visors that prevent contagion. We have already manufactured and distributed 900 visors to residences for people with disabilities and healthcare personnel. We need to buy more 3D printing material in order to continue manufacturing. We estimate an approximate cost of € 10 per mask / visor.

## VOLUNTEERS



From our Volunteer Unit, various support activities for people with disabilities and for their care givers are being coordinated, such as the delivery of food, medicines, psychological support, etc. Over 800 volunteers are participating.



## PRIORITY!

**PPE** for doctors, health workers and people suffering from coronavirus who are accommodated in ONCE College in Madrid; which in addition to serving more than 64 doctors and health workers from other Spanish Regions who have travelled to Madrid to help, is providing 56 more beds for coronavirus patients. This PPE is made up of masks, shoe covers, hats, gloves and protective jumpsuits.

**PPE** for associations of people with disabilities in the Spanish Regions, which can be used to replace medical supplies in care centres for people with disabilities. The urgent necessity is to deliver this essential medical equipment as soon as possible. We have already made deliveries to the Balearic and Canary Islands with the help of the Spanish army.

**PPE** for the health services of the Atrium and Alcala Suites hotels in Madrid, which are functioning as residences for doctors and nurses. For the ALCORA hotel in Seville, equipped as a hospital with an ICU for affected senior citizens living in residences. And for the Barcelona hotel in city of Barcelona, already equipped as a medicalized hotel.

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