



International Medical Public Fund

# **SEVERANCE - KZ**

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Almaty, 2018

# About the International Medical Fund

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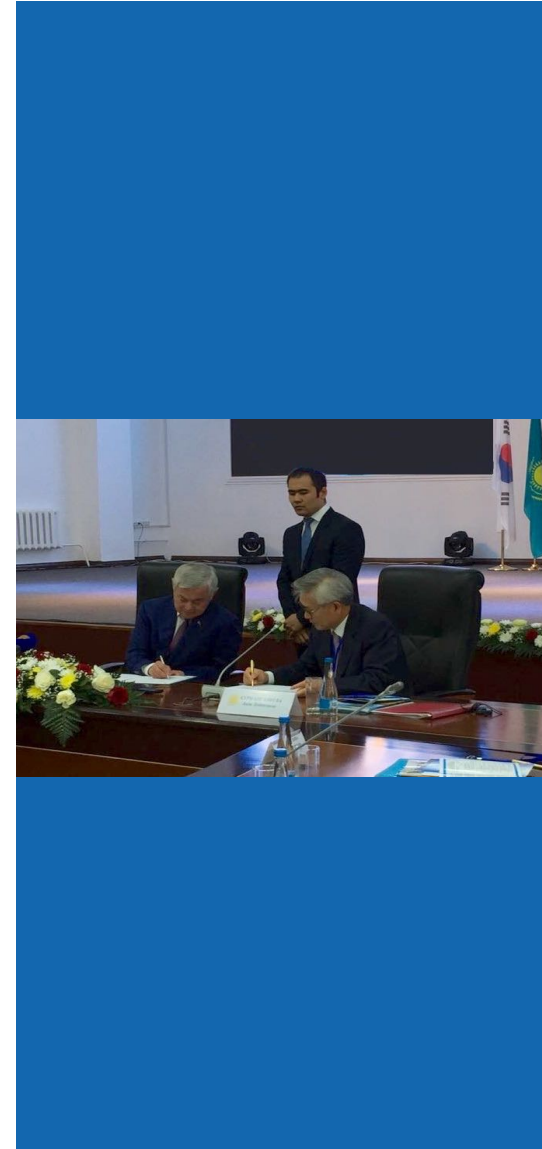
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The activities of SEVERANCE-KZ International Medical Public Fund aims at uniting intellectual, financial, and organizational efforts of the leading Korean and Kazakhstani organizations with a view to the effective development of medicine in Kazakhstan.

SEVERANCE-KZ IMPF was registered on August 16, 2017.

The initiative to create the Fund was first announced at the Kazakhstani-Korean Business Forum, held during the state visit of the President of Kazakhstan N. Nazarbayev to the Republic of Korea in November, 2016.

On November 10, 2016, within the framework of expansion of strategic cooperation between the Republic of Korea and the Republic of Kazakhstan in healthcare and medicine, the Severance Hospital at the Yonsei University, represented by the General Director Mr. Lee Byung Seok, and the Head of Aktobe region Mr. B.M. Saparbayev reached an agreement on the establishment of the Severance-KZ International Medical Public Fund, and signed a Memorandum of Understanding and Cooperation.



# Management of the IMPF

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President

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**Larissa An,**  
Honorary Ambassador of  
Yonsei University Severance  
Hospital



Honorary President

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**Ban Ki-Moon,**  
Honorary Chair, Institute for  
Global Engagement and  
Empowerment, Yonsei University,  
8<sup>th</sup> Secretary-General of the UN



Chairman of the Board of Trustees

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**Ussen Zhetenov,**  
Ex-head of the Administration  
of the Mazhilis of the Republic  
of Kazakhstan



# Letter from Mr. Ban Ki-moon on his consent to become an Honorary President of the Fund and to assist in the development of the Fund.

An Larissa  
President  
Severance-KZ International Medical Public Fund

November 20, 2017

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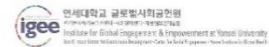
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With respect and a wish of success,

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A key member of the Fund is the Severance Hospital, a leading medical organization in Korea with 130 years of history:

- The most reliable medical institution in Korea.
- Leading medical institution for development of medical technologies.
- The first Korean clinic to receive the JCI international accreditation and to confirm its qualification for the second time.
- The first Korean clinic, which introduced the da Vinci robotic surgery system in 2005.

Since 2012, Severance Hospital has been implementing a program for the transfer of the Severance Hospital health system to the medical institutions of Kazakhstan, including:

- Quarterly secondment of Severance Hospital specialists to Kazakhstan to provide consultation and medical assistance to citizens of Kazakhstan (more than 3500 citizens remote districts of Kazakhstan have been covered).
- Technical support for local hospitals (ultrasound equipment worth of USD 100 000 transferred to a medical institution in East Kazakhstan).
- Consultations on planning, medical equipment provision, and training for the rehabilitation center in Ust-Kamenogorsk.
- Treatment of patients from Kazakhstan at the expense of the Hospital's corporate grant fund





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- The Severance Hospital organizes training programs for doctors and employees of medical institutions of the East Kazakhstan region, Aktobe region, the Diagnostic Center of Al-Farabi Kazakh National University.

The following facilities were opened within the framework of assistance in establishing International Scientific and Educational Cluster of Al-Farabi KazNU and in collaboration with the Yonsei University Severance Hospital:

- Diagnostic Center, equipped with the modern medical equipment. Medical doctors have been trained at the Severance Hospital.
- Medical Department - Graduate School of Public Healthcare, which offers newest educational programs according to high international standards from the leading Korean universities.



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## SEVERANCE-KZ International Medical Public Fund

Trainings for hospital staff, internships, training programs and international educational programs

Assisting medical institutions of Kazakhstan in modernization and construction of high-tech medical centers, through PPP and co-management

Organizing and participating in the conferences, symposia, fora and other educational activities in healthcare

Charitable events and other activities to attract funding from donors

Applying for international grants



# SEVERANCE - KZ



Higher education  
institutions, R&D



Donors (legal entities  
and individuals)



Medical institutions

## IMPF SEVERANCE-KZ



Yonsei  
University

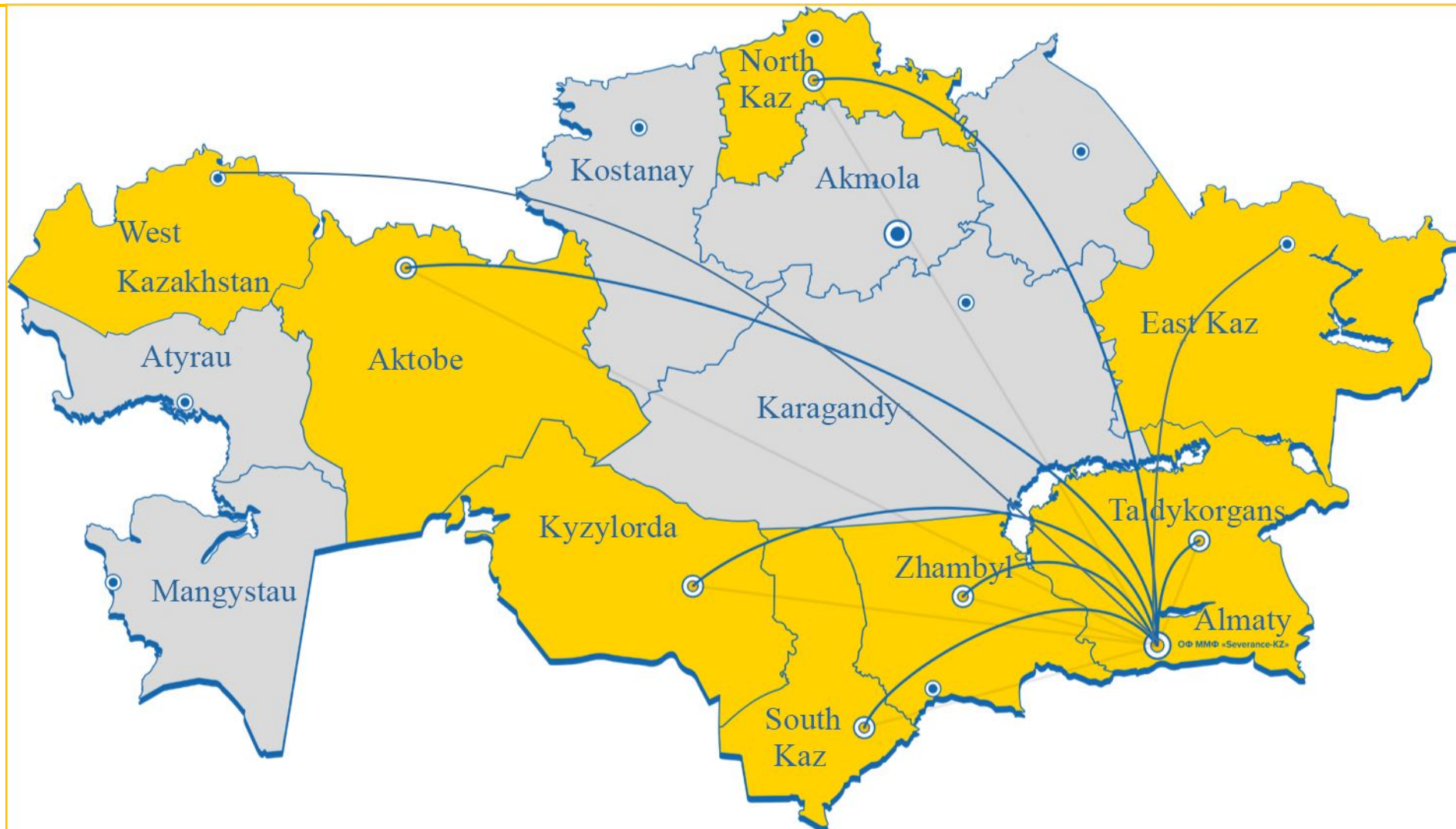
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# IMPF Geographical Coverage

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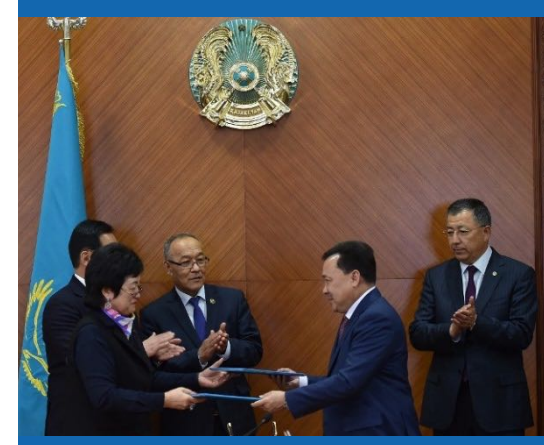


# Strengthening International Cooperation

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As part of its international cooperation strategy in the areas of healthcare, education, and innovation, the SEVERANCE-KZ Fund signed a number of memoranda of understanding and cooperation with the largest regions of Kazakhstan:

- August 16, 2017- Memorandum of cooperation with the Akimat of Aktobe region
- October 2, 2017- Memorandum of cooperation with the Akimat of North Kazakhstan region
- October 16, 2017- Memorandum of cooperation with the Akimat of Kyzylorda region
- October 24, 2017- Memorandum of cooperation with the Akimat of Zhambyl region
- October 25, 2017- Memorandum of cooperation with the Healthcare Department of South Kazakhstan region
- October 27, 2017- Memorandum of cooperation with the Akimat of Almaty region
- December 27, 2017- Memorandum of cooperation with the Healthcare Department of Almaty city
- December 28, 2017 - Memorandum of cooperation with Almaty Hospitals Association
- January 15, 2018 - Memorandum of cooperation with the Akimat of East Kazakhstan region
- January 25, 2018 - Memorandum of cooperation with the Akimat of West Kazakhstan region



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As part of its international cooperation programs for educational and medical institutions of the Republic of Kazakhstan, the SEVERANCE-KZ IMPF, jointly with the Al-Farabi Kazakh National University, organized a series of seminars, lectures and workshops by professors and doctors of the Yonsei University Severance Hospital for faculty members and employees of the Al-Farabi University, as well as for employees of the regional medical institutions of Kazakhstan.

- October 20, 2017: Therapeutic Endoscopy Seminar "New Technologies in the South Korean Medicine", participated by more than 30 doctors from Aktobe, North Kazakhstan and South Kazakhstan, East Kazakhstan, Zhambul and Almaty regions, as well as oncologists from the Kazakh Oncology Research Institute of the Ministry of Health of the RoK and the Asfendiyarov KazNMU.
- October 27, 2017: Interventional Cardiology Seminar "New Technologies in the South Korean Medicine" (more than 45 participants).

International certificates were awarded to all seminar participants.

- October 25-27, 2017, Diagnostic Center of Al-Farabi Kazakh National University: Professors from the Severance Hospital run consultations for faculty members and employees of Al-Farabi KazNU.

participated: 122 specialist from medical institutions of the Republic of Kazakhstan

advisory services: 234 patients covered







**“With the love of God, free humankind from disease  
& suffering”**

