

# 98 YEARS AGO WE GIVE A PROMISE. WE PROMISED FOR A HEALTHY AND PEACEFUL LIFE. THE PROMISE OF HOPE AND DETERMINATION IN THE FIGHT AGAINST ADDICTIONS



### We

Are a non-governmental organization founded in İstanbul on 5 March 1920. We are making effort to protect the society and the youth indiscriminately from bad habits through our studies on which we ground human dignity and prestige. We fight against tobacco, drug, gamble and technology addiction by utilizing scientific methods.

As a public health institution performing preventive and rehabilitating studies, we work with a vision of making Turkey a role model and leader country on fight against addictions.

**120** BRANCHES IN TURKEY

110 UNIVERSITY CLUBS

40 green crescent in the world HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS

# What Green Crescent Does?

• Carries out research and development activities by using scientific and evidence-based methods, and develops and carries out projects according to results received. • Aims at reaching the large masses by performing organizational studies in at home and

abroad by strengthening member and volunteer network. • Assumes written and visual media, Internet and social media networks as an active arena for fight against addictions and works to communicate the messages to all sections of the society.

• Creates awareness on Green Crescent consciousness and addictions on children and the youth by becoming widespread on educational institutions through setting Green Crescent Clubs at the primary, middle, high schools and universities.

• Prepares fight against addictions-oriented curriculum for non-formal and formal educational institutions in cooperation with state institutions and organizations, forms face to face and remote education program, and actively participates in educational courses on fight against addictions.

• Participates in formation or initiates to formation of international umbrella organizations fighting against addictions in the world.

• Endeavors to increase social awareness by performing advocacy studies related to development of legal legislation in fight against addictions.

• Endeavors to increase awareness regarding addictions through country-wide activities and actions.

# Sepetçiler Pavilion - The HQ in Istanbul



Sepetçiler Pavilion is one of the pavilions that remained intact to this day, located in the external garden of Topkapı Palace on the sea walls. The construction of Sepetçiler Pavilion was started in 1591 by Grand Vizier Sinan Pasha in Sultan Murat III's era (1574-1595) and was completed in the first year of the grand vizier office of Ferhat Pasha. The materials that were used in the construction of the pavilion, built on the walls from the era of Byzantium Emperor Theodosius II, were brought from various places of Anatolia: the red marble was brought from Darıca and Rusçuk, tiles came from İznik, and iron accessories and nails came from Samakoy and Salonika.



## Xinlei Wang - China





Horacio Petre - Iran



#### Darsono - Brazil



Vinicio Alejandro - Ecuador



Carlos Amorim - Brazil



Vinicio Alejandro - Ecuador



Sunnerberg Constantin - Belgium



Juli Sanchis - Spain





Silvano Mello - Brazil



Olivier Siersma - Netherlands



İsmail Kar - Turkey



Ayse Işın - Turkey



Nikolay Sviridenko - Uzbekistan



EXHIBITION OF ADDICTION THROUGH THE EYES OF WORLD CARTOONISTS IN THE 61.CND MEETING

THE CARTOONS IN THIS EXHIBITION HAS BEEN SELECTED FROM THE INTERNATIONAL GREEN CRESCENT CARTOON CONTEST.

The Turkish Green Crescent Society has organized the 2nd International Green Crescent Cartoon Contest in order to raise awareness of addictions and facilitate the public to think about this important issue. This exhibition includes selected works among 836 cartoons submitted by 377 participants from 63 countries. The exhibition aims to portray the damages caused by drug, tobacco, alcohol, technology, and gambling addictions on humans and society as a whole through the eyes of cartoonists.

cartooncontest.yesilay.org.tr



2ND INTERNATIONAL GREEN CRESCENT CARTOON CONTEST

GREEN CRESCENT



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EXHIBITION OF GREEN CRESCENT ON ADDICTION THROUGH THE EYES OF WORLD CARTOONISTS IN THE 61.CND MEETING







Leslie Ricciardi - Uruguay



Sabine Voigt - Germany





Luis Eduardo - Colombia



Sergii Riabokon - Ukraine



Aidarbek - Kazakhistan



Siavash Pezeshkifar - Iran



lman Nouri Najafi - Iran













Tošo Borković - Croatia





Borta Ovidiu - Romania





Phu Nguyen - USA



Asuman Kucukkantarci - Turkey

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Andrea Bersani - Italy

