

International Medical Alliance of Rancho Mirage preps for mission
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The International Medical Alliance of Rancho Mirage is gearing up for its annual medical mission to Somoto, Nicaragua, from July 29 to Aug. 8 and is in need of donations.

The organization needs to send an anesthesia machine donated by John F. Kennedy Memorial Hospital and approximately three tons of medical supplies, medicines, vitamins and equipment to Nicaragua to support the team of medical professionals and volunteers.

It will cost approximately \$15,000 to move the freight.

The group, which includes local volunteers from the Coachella Valley including Cathedral City Fire Chief Bill Soqui and Cathedral City Rotary Club president Gillian Cross, will provide much-needed medical attention to thousands during the 10-day trip.

Information or to donate: (760) 485-8963.