

UKRAINE CRISIS APPEAL – UKRAINE NEEDS AMBULANCES - CONVOY 3

Byron Bay, Lake Macquarie to Kharkiv: Aussies Saving Lives in Ukraine 🇺🇸🇺🇦

Three Australians - Benjamin and Neil Webster, and Ivan Semciw - recently completed a 3,000km humanitarian mission with the AFUO's Ukraine Crisis Appeal (UCA), delivering 2 x \$60,000 ambulances, stocked with vital medical supplies to Ukraine.

❤️ Through AFUO's Ukraine Crisis Appeal partnering with Medical Lifelines Ukraine, they were able to join a convoy transporting ambulances to hard-affected regions like Kharkiv, where medical resources are desperately needed.

🚑 "These ambulances save 20 - 30 lives a month," said Neil. "Even if the ambulance lasts just a few months, it's a tangible way to make a real difference."

Since 2023, Ukraine Crisis Appeal (UCA) has donated 4 evacuation vehicles and 8 ambulances to Ukraine, by converting decommissioned NHS vehicles into life-saving tools.

"The strength and optimism of Ukrainians is inspiring," Benjamin said, speaking with news.com.au. "It's a reminder that even small actions can have a huge impact." Read the full article [here](#).

The UCA's volunteer team exemplifies Australian generosity and a hands-on approach to supporting Ukraine amidst relentless Russian aggression.

🙏 We wholeheartedly thank Neil, Benjamin and Ivan for their bravery and generosity; the drivers of the ambulance convoys; the volunteers; and our partners at Medical Life Lines Ukraine and Rotary World Community Service. We also extend a special thanks to Neil for funding one of the ambulances!

🎁 Give the gift of hope and life this Christmas - please donate to Ukraine Crisis Appeal today at: www.ukrainecrisisappeal.org. All donations are tax deductible.

If you would like to join our volunteering efforts across Australia, please contact Diahanna (Darka) Senko via the UCA website.



Aussie convoy drivers Ivan Semciw, Neil and Benjamin Webster



Benjamin and Neil Webster with the ambulance they donated and delivered to Ukraine.



Hospital team receiving ambulance