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Response to Covid-19. Personal experiences of Dr Lalit, and the need to fundraise for PPE with online auction.

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# DOCTORS FOR NEPAL

**A CALL TO ACTION - OUR TEAM NEEDS YOUR HELP.  
AUCTION EXTENDED UNTIL 2 OCTOBER**



*Dr Lalit happily recovering from Covid-19 infection*

Dear Friend.

As Covid-19 continues to wreak havoc across the globe, infection rates in Nepal are rising at an alarming rate. Latest figures show over 45,500 confirmed cases – many of which are in isolated areas with extremely poor infrastructure and access to only the most basic of healthcare facilities. DFN's qualified doctors and nurses continue

students are stuck in lockdown in their villages – attempting to continue their education via intermittent internet access.

The most worrying personal news that we can now share, is that Dr Lalit - our first ever DFN funded student (currently undertaking his postgraduate education in obstetrics and gynaecology in Egypt) - is recovering from being extremely unwell with Covid-19. He touchingly writes “I pray to God for my life. I want to survive because I need to do many things that are pending...I remember those beautiful days of working in the remote hospitals of Nepal...I remember the smiles of my patients after getting new life..”. You can [CLICK HERE](#) to read the full account of his experience.

The most important thing that **we** can do right now is to ensure that our doctors, nurses, and students are adequately protected against catching Covid 19, or inadvertently spreading it to others through the nature of their work. They need urgent supplies of good quality PPE, plus the reassurance that we can continue to support their education, so that they can deliver the healthcare that is so desperately needed.

We have sourced high quality PPE - and want to raise a minimum of £5000 to ensure that our team and colleagues in their health posts are adequately protected over the coming months. The PPE is literally waiting to be distributed; so, we are holding a fantastic **online auction** (note deadline extension) with some truly unique prizes on offer. From lovely authentic Nepalese gifts, through to a holiday in the south of France! Please get bidding today, so that we can reach our target and help our team. Any additional funds raised will go towards ensuring we can continue to support the tuition and living fees of our students.

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to start bidding in our auction.

In these difficult times, every pound really does count, so please dig deep. Thank you.

Stay safe - and stay well.

Dr Kate Yarrow  
Chair and Founder, DFN

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Bidding end date **NOW EXTENDED** until 11pm 2 October 2020



### House in France

1 week's stay for up to 10 people in beautiful 300 year old rustic house in Bauduen, Provence.

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### 1 hour flight for one in East Sussex

Fly above the beautiful Seven Sisters along the coast in a vintage Stinson 105.

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### Private Camping Glade in Wilderness Wood, East Sussex.

Perfect for a midweek, wild, night with family or friends.

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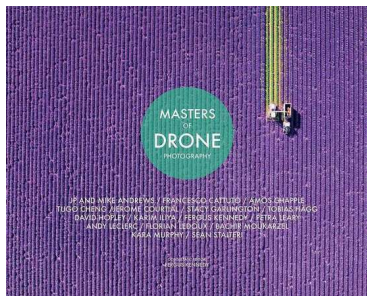
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1 night's stay for 2 in this charming houseboat in Shoreham-by-Sea.

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**Masters of Drone Photography**

Beautiful coffee table book signed by the author.

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**Handmade ceramic vase**

Handmade by one of Doctors For Nepal's trustees.

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**Handmade ceramic bowl**

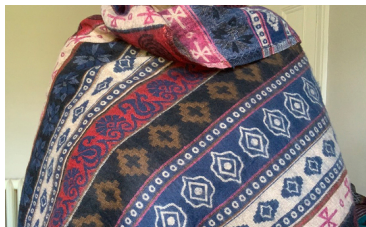
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Beautiful Tsourati terracota pot.

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Pure wool Nepalese pashmina

Handmade from pure wool in the Himalayas.

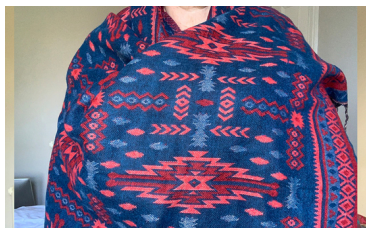
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