

Opening Ceremony of the Project for Construction of Prosthetic Orthopedic Rehabilitation Center in Tbilisi financed by the Government of Japan within the framework of “Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects”

On November 11, 2015, the Opening Ceremony of the Prosthetic Orthopedic Rehabilitation Center was held in Tbilisi. The project for construction of this center has been implemented within the framework of “Grant Assistance for Grassroots Human Security Projects” of the Government of Japan. The project was also funded by Georgian Foundation for Prosthetic Orthopedic Rehabilitation (GEFPOR), Johanniter International and International Committee of Red Cross (ICRC). The Ceremony was attended by the Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Japan to Georgia, H.E. Mr. Toshio Kaitani, representatives of Johanniter International and ICRC, and representatives of Georgian government.

This project was implemented by Georgian Foundation for Prosthetic Orthopedic Rehabilitation. Under this project new infrastructure for the physical rehabilitation of disabled population of Georgia was provided. More than 10,000 people with affected mobility registered at GEFPOR and their care givers will benefit with the new orthopedic center planned and constructed according to the international standards. The Japanese grant for this project amounts to 122 929 USD.

