

# Temporary medical transfer of severely injured children from Gaza to German hospitals

Dear Leading Member of the [Committee],

From your leadership position in one of the most important committees for German foreign policy, your voice carries great weight. According to the World Health Organization (WHO) and the UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA), between 14,800 and 15,600 people in Gaza are in urgent need of medical evacuation — a large proportion of them children. In this context, I kindly ask you to place this matter on the agenda of the next meeting and to initiate a timely resolution in the responsible bodies with the following core points:

- **Nationwide admission program:** Time-limited, clinically prioritized transfer of severely injured children and particularly vulnerable individuals from Gaza (child + 1 accompanying person) in small, manageable contingents.
- **Establishment of a central coordination office:** A single point of contact that brings together all relevant state levels, the health system, and international partners, coordinating triage, transport windows, reception/distribution, child protection, and reporting.

## Justification:

1. **Specialized medical treatment for children:** Our healthcare system offers procedures (e.g., pediatric ECMO, specialized burn treatment, complex neurosurgery) that can determine survival and long-term outcomes.
2. **Human rights leadership:** Several European democracies — Italy, Spain, and Romania — are already admitting injured children. It is time for us to join them and assume humanitarian responsibility.
3. **Existing municipal support:** Several German cities — including Hanover, Düsseldorf, Leipzig, Bonn, and Kiel — have signaled their willingness to take in patients, which strengthens feasibility at the federal and state level.
4. **Not a substitute for neighboring states:** German support would be complementary to the region, handling highly complex special cases that cannot be treated quickly and safely on site or in neighboring countries.

Children are not a party to the conflict. When life-saving treatment is unavailable locally, it is both humane and legally imperative to help in a time-limited and clinically prioritized way. Please support the proposed resolution in committee and advocate for including this matter on the agenda! Every treatment slot made available means the survival of a child.

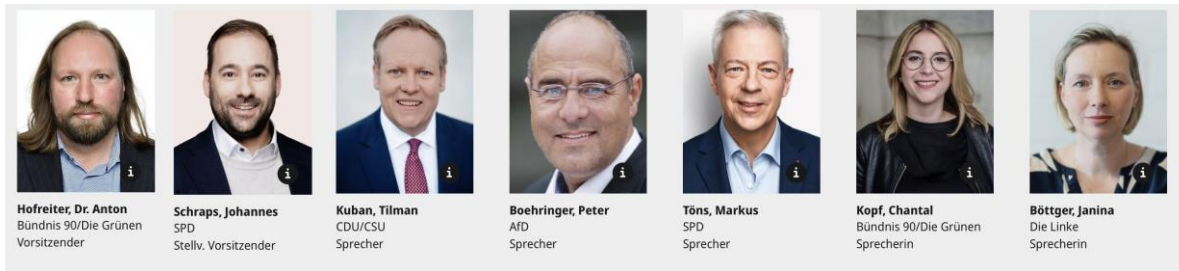
Yours sincerely,  
Your supporter / [Name]

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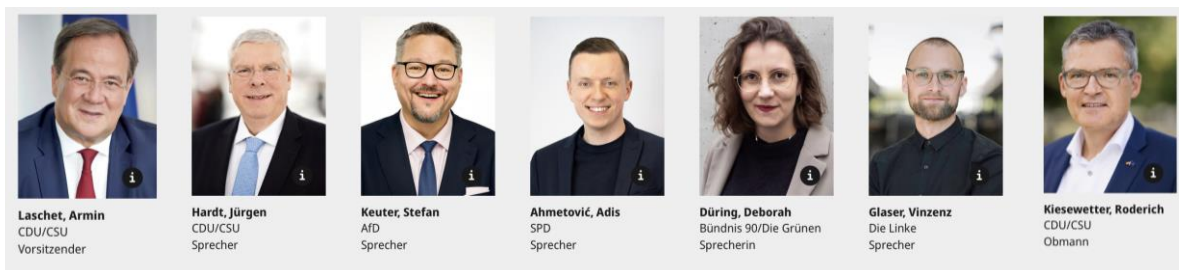
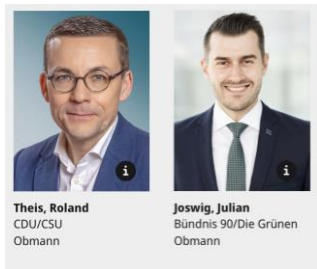
[2] <https://www.timesofisrael.com/child-evacuated-from-gaza-with-rare-disease-recovers-from-malnutrition-in-italian-hospital/>

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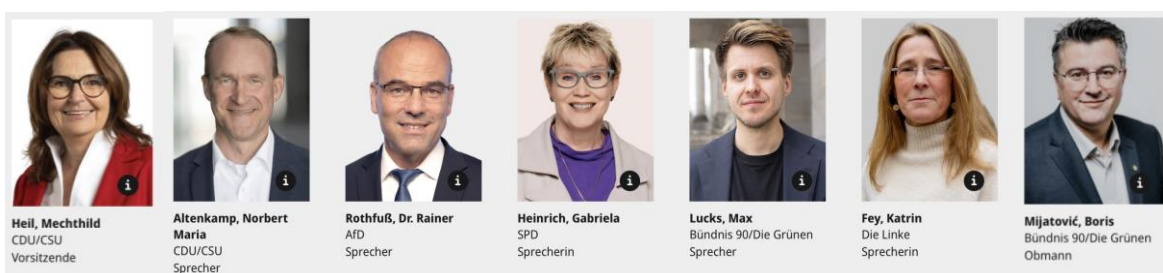
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