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***In the name of Allah, the Most Kind, the Most Merciful***

## **News and Events**

### **Eid Message 1430 from the President**

The World Federation President Dr. Ahmed Hassam shares his thoughts during the time of Eid.

### **Ramadhan Relief 1430: Reporting from Myanmar**

This Ramadhan, The World Federation provided aid to the Shia Muslim community in Myanmar.

### **Ramadhan Relief 1430 in Africa**

As part of its Ramadhan Relief Fund distribution, The World Federation contributed £51,000 GBP to The Africa Federation to provide respite and aid to our needy brothers and sisters during the month of Ramadhan.

### **Distribution of Literature in East Africa – Feedback received**

In its service to the propagation of the Shia Ithna Asheri madhab, the Al-Itrah Foundation of Dar es Salaam recently distributed free literature across a number of educational institutions in East Africa.

### **Addressing depression within the community**

1 in 4 people will experience some kind of mental health problem in the course of a year.

## **CHB Newsflash 90 – Cervical Cancer screening in Dar es Salaam**

Cervical cancer is the easiest female cancer to prevent, with regular screening, tests and follow-up. It also is highly curable when found and treated early.

## **From The Africa Federation Archives: The Chairman's first Eid message**

Find out what the past chairman addressed in his first Eid message.

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