

July 2022: Towel donation to Matsumoto Yamaga FC Youth Academy

- As a team towel sponsor, we provide original towels to the Matsumoto Yamaga FC top team. To support and encourage local youth and women's activities and sports, we donated 214 towels featuring the same design to the U-18, U-15, U-14, U-13, U-12, U-11, U-10, and Ladies U-15 teams, who will pave the way for the future.



Hamano from our Management Planning Section handing a towel to President Kanda of Matsumoto Yamaga Co., Ltd.



Youth Academy U-11 players with towels spread out in their hands



Youth Academy U-14 players with towels spread out in their hands

April 2021: Towels donated to Matsumoto Yamaga FC Youth Academy

- With the aim of promoting local youth and women's activities and sports, we presented a total of 210 towels to the Under-18s, Under-15s, Under-12s, and Ladies' Under-15 teams who are next generation's leaders. The towels have the same design as the original towels supplied to the Matsumoto Yamaga FC top team as team towel sponsor.



Towel donation to Youth Academy players

2020: Spread of COVID-19

- We provided disposable clothing and towels to COVID-19 patients in hospitals to help reduce the disinfection workload on nurses and prevent secondary infections.
- We sponsored the supply of materials that were in short supply during the pandemic, such as consumables, to hospitals and nursing care facilities.
- We supported M3 Inc.'s COVID-19 countermeasures, under which 2 million masks were provided free of charge to approximately 15,000 frontline medical facilities. (Source: M3 Inc.'s home page)



July 2020: Torrential rains

- CS sets were provided free of charge to disaster victims at contracted facilities in the Kuma River basin in Kumamoto Prefecture, which suffered extensive damage.



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October 2019: Typhoon Hagibis

- A total of 23 employees spent eight days helping with recovery efforts (removing accumulated sediment and mud, cleaning equipment, etc.) at facilities using CS Sets in the Chikuma River basin in Nagano Prefecture.
- Linen supplier affiliates in the Abukuma River basin in Fukushima Prefecture was damaged and stopped operating. We purchased and were donated towels, patient gowns, and underwear (roughly 1,650 pieces of clothing and 2,000 towels) from affiliated linen suppliers in neighboring prefectures, which we transported to damaged facilities using CS Sets. We asked local linen suppliers to do the laundry and carry out collection and delivery work.
- We provided relief supplies (water, clothing, towels, light meals, consumables, etc.) to the contracted facilities in the above disaster areas.
- We waived usage fees for a portion of the period for afflicted facilities and persons using CS Sets in the above disaster areas.

September 2019: Typhoon Faxai

- We transported relief supplies (water, food, towels, consumables, etc.) to key hospitals and facilities using CS Sets in Chiba Prefecture from our nearby bases and provided support through facility visit. We also sent relief supplies by post from other areas (western Japan).



Elan employees assisting with recovery efforts and transporting relief materials



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September 2018: Hokkaido Eastern Iburi earthquake

- We transported relief supplies from head office in Matsumoto and group companies in Tohoku region (former L Task) to affected facilities providing CS Sets in Hokkaido, and provided diapers and other paper products and food free of charge.



Transporting emergency supplies

July 2018: Torrential rains

- We waived CS Set usage fees for a part of the period (about 27 days) for persons affected by disaster at facilities in Hiroshima, Okayama, and Ehime Prefectures.
- Relief supplies (water, consumables, daily necessities, paper products, portable toilets, etc.) were provided at no charge to facilities using CS Sets and shelters.



Transporting relief supplies

April 2016: Kumamoto earthquake

- We sent donation of one million yen as an expression of sympathy through the Japanese Red Cross Society.
- Water, food, paper products, and other relief supplies were provided to facilities using CS Sets in Kumamoto and Oita Prefectures.
- We waived CS Set usage fees for a portion of the period for contracted facilities and persons who reported they had been affected by the disaster in Kumamoto Prefecture.



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March 2011: Great East Japan Earthquake (Tohoku Earthquake)

- We developed East Japan Support Plan and waived CS Set usage fees for afflicted persons at contracted facilities.



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