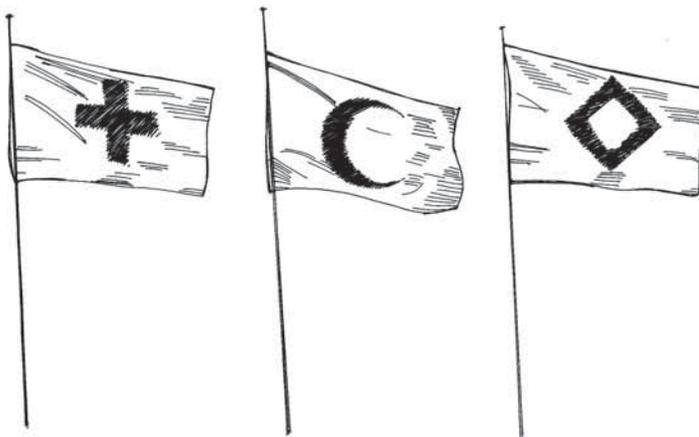
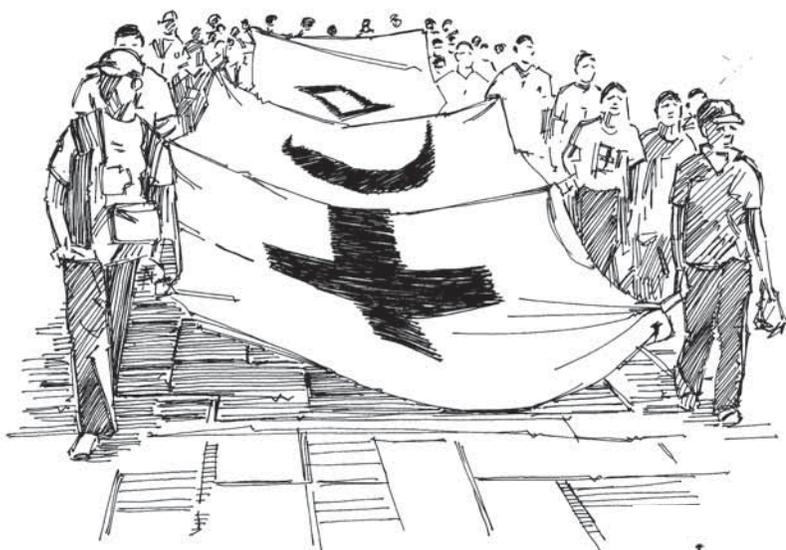


## Tool 1

# International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement



**Question:** *What do you see in these pictures?*

**Responses:** Red cross, red crescent, and red crystal emblems.  
They are symbols of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement.

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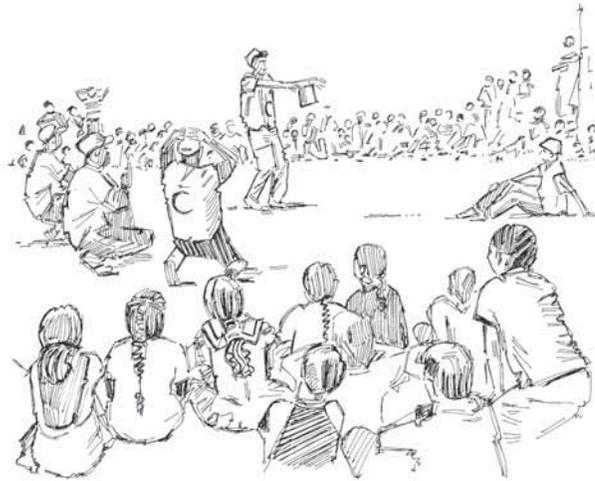
**Question:** *What do these emblems mean to you?*

**Response:** They are worn by Red Cross and Red Crescent volunteers.

**Key message:** The red cross, red crescent, and red crystal are emblems of the Movement. They must be respected.

## Tool 2

# Red Cross and Red Crescent activities



**Question:** *What does the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and its volunteers do?*

**Point to the pictures as you ask and explain.**

**Responses:** The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement provides protection and assistance to people affected by disasters, emergencies, diseases and outbreaks, armed conflicts, and other situations of violence. The Red Cross or Red Crescent local branch organizes activities with the community according to their needs and interests.

**Key message:** The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement encourages respect for others.

**Take action:** Would you like more information about the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and the local branch?  
*If yes, provide information.*

Tool 3

# Our Fundamental Principles

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**HUMANITY**

**IMPARTIALITY**

**NEUTRALITY**

**INDEPENDENCE**

**VOLUNTARY SERVICE**

**UNITY**

**UNIVERSALITY**

**State:** These are the seven Fundamental Principles of the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement. They are humanity, impartiality, neutrality, independence, voluntary service, unity and universality.

**Question:** *What do these words mean to you?*

**Responses:** Listen and provide additional information.

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**Humanity** The Movement endeavours to prevent and alleviate human suffering wherever it may be found. It promotes mutual understanding, friendship, cooperation and lasting peace amongst all peoples.

**Impartiality** It makes no discrimination as to nationality, race, religious beliefs, class or political opinions. It endeavours to relieve the suffering of individuals, being guided solely by their needs, and to give priority to the most urgent cases of distress.

**Neutrality** The Movement may not take sides in hostilities or engage at any time in controversies of a political, racial, religious or ideological nature.

**Independence** The Movement is independent of governments.

**Voluntary service** The Movement is a voluntary relief movement not prompted in any manner by desire for gain.

**Unity** There can be only one Red Cross or Red Crescent Society in any one country. It must be open to all and carry on its humanitarian work throughout its territory.

**Universality** The International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, in which all societies have equal status and share equal responsibilities and duties in helping each other, is worldwide.