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Global solidarity is key to defeating the COVID-19 pandemic — a global threat.



In this spirit, Turkey helped a total of 55 countries during the pandemic and it remains the world's third largest provider of humanitarian aid.

We are proud to announce that Turkey will deliver medical supplies to the United States, upon our NATO ally's request, to support America's fight against the Coronavirus.

The President has ordered the Ministry of National Defense and the Ministry of Health to deliver 500,000 surgical masks, 4,000 overalls, 2,000 liters of disinfectant, 1,500 goggles, 400 N95 masks, and 500 face shields to the United States.

A military cargo plane will depart from the Etimesgut Military Airport on Tuesday, 28 April, and deliver said supplies to the American people.

Moving forward, we pledge to help our friends and allies in need to the best of our ability and stand in solidarity with nations around the world at this difficult time.

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