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From May 29th to June 2nd a training on humanitarian drug policies was held by Villa Maraini Foundation for a delegation of Iranian Red Crescent Society. Massimo Barra, founder of Villa Maraini, stressed that "Given the international situation, it was not simple to be able to organize a training on humanitarian drug policy here at Villa Maraini, for some members of the Iranian Red Crescent. A success of humanitarian diplomacy, achieved also thanks to the power of the Red Cross and Red Crescent emblems, which break down a lot of resistance. Also striking the wide media coverage of the event in Iran, which was widely reported by TV channel and newspapers."

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